

Read the article about modern British family life. In pairs, try to complete the gaps with the numbers from the list.

2 10% 14% 17% 30 32 40% 45%

## The modern family

Family life is changing all over the world, and it's not just the structure of the family, but also its habits.

A recent survey of British family life showed some surprising statistics.

### Family structure

60% of families have married parents.



22% are single-parent families.  
Only 1 \_\_\_\_\_ of the single parents are men.



2 \_\_\_\_\_ of families have one child, 3 \_\_\_\_\_ have two, and 15% have three or more.  
11% of families have stepchildren.



On average women get married at 4 \_\_\_\_\_, and men at 5 \_\_\_\_\_.



### Family habits

20% of families only eat together once or twice a week, and 4 \_\_\_\_\_ never eat at the same time.



They visit friends or extended family twice a month.

7 \_\_\_\_\_ of people have family members who they never speak to or contact.



75% of people are happiest with their families, and 17% with their friends.

The average family has 8 \_\_\_\_\_

rows each day, and the most common cause is children or teenagers refusing to put down their phones or tablets.

