

ENGLISH 2ND YEAR - READING CLASS

- 1) READ THIS ARTICLE ABOUT MANU GINÓBILI, AN EX-BASKETBALL PLAYER FROM ARGENTINA.
PUT THE WORDS IN THE CORRECT BLANKS.



SOME FACTS ABOUT MANU GINÓBILI

Manu Ginobili is a professional retired Argentinian basketball player. He is from _____, a city in Buenos Aires, Argentina. He is _____ years old and _____ in San Antonio, the USA. Manu is married to Antonella, also Argentinian, and they have got _____: Dante, Nicola and Luca. Dante and Nicola are twins.

In his free time, he loves reading and _____ movies. His favourite movies are Seven and Sixth Sense. He also likes surfing the web and travelling but he hates _____ video games. On Sundays he _____ having lunch with his family. They like “asado” and they usually invite friends to eat with them.

Apart from basketball, he likes playing _____. He doesn't like watching sports, just playing them (apart from basketball, he loves playing tennis). Guess what his favourite football team is! It's River Plate!

One more thing! He hates drinking _____! Can you believe it?

playing

“mate”

three boys

lives

forty-three

tennis

watching

Bahía Blanca

loves

WHAT ABOUT HIS HOUSE?

Manu's house in San Antonio is enormous! _____ four bedrooms, five bathrooms, a big gourmet kitchen, a game room, a big family living.-room, a swimming pool and a spa. _____ a big garden in the house, too. Is there a basketball court in his house? No, there _____! But he doesn't want to have one. “I'd love to have a tennis court!” he says.

Manu's favourite room is the _____ because he can relax with his family there. They love eating _____ and watching horror movies! In the game-room, he likes playing _____ with his sons.

living-room

There are

table tennis

isn't

popcorn

There is

2) MATCH THE QUESTIONS ABOUT THE ARTICLE WITH THE ANSWERS:

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| a) Where is Manu from? | In the living room |
| b) Does he live in Argentina? | No, there aren't. |
| c) Does Manu like watching sports? | He's from Argentina |
| d) What does he like doing on Sundays? | No, there isn't |
| e) What sports does he like playing? | Having lunch with his family |
| f) Is there a tennis court in his house? | No, he doesn't |
| g) Are there six bathrooms in his house? | Four |
| h) How many bedrooms are there? | No, he doesn't |
| i) Where in the house can he relax with his family? | Basketball and tennis |

3) CHOOSE THE CORRECT OPTION:

- a) Do/Does you like cooking? Yes, I do/Yes, I can
- b) Do/Does your wife, Antonella, like cooking, too? Yes, she does/Yes, she can
- c) Do/Does you and your sons like playing videogames? No, we don't/No, we can't
- d) What do/does you and your family like doing in the summer? We like travel/travelling!
- e) Do you like read/reading books? Yes, I do/Yes, I can
- f) Can you play tennis? Yes, I can/Yes, I do
- g) Can your children play basketball? Yes, they can/Yes, he can
- h) Is/Are there a sauna in your house? Yes, there is/Yes, there are
- i) Is there/Are there any PlayStations in the game room? Yes, there is/Yes, there are
- j) How many bathrooms are there? There is/There are five

THE END!
