

Meet my family

Read/Listen to the text.



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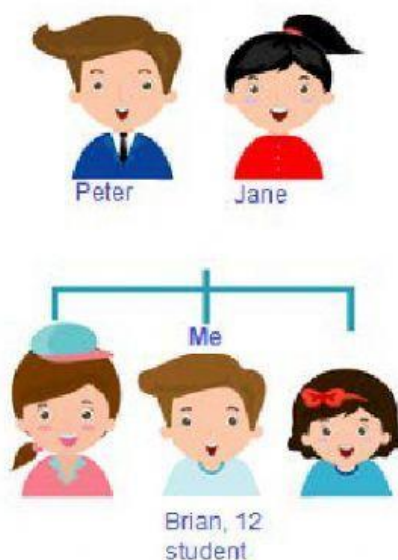
I live about 40 miles west of New York in a small town called Madison. I'm stuck between two girls, Meg who is 16 and Christina who is 8! My dad works in construction: he builds houses. And my mom is a Science teacher. I guess that's why I love doing experiments and stuff. Sometimes I come home at lunchtime or I just go for a burger with my friends. My parents are pretty cool, they make rules, but at least they explain why. Maybe Meg has a tougher time sometimes because she's a teenager!

Source: Gonçalves, M.E. and al, iTeens 7, Ed Areal, 2020

A - True (T) or false (F)? Correct the false ones.

1. Brian is American.
2. He lives in New York.
3. He has got two sisters.
4. His father is a Science teacher.
5. Brian likes doing experiments.
6. Brian loves his parents.
7. Christina is a teenager.

B - Complete the family tree:



C – Brian talks about his family. Complete the sentences:

Jane is my _____ and Peter is my _____. So, Jane and Peter are my _____ and I am their _____.

Meg and Christina are my _____. So, I am their _____. We are Jane and Peter's _____.

Jane is Peter's _____ and he is her _____.

D - Make sentences according to the example:

Ex: *Meg/Brian*

Meg is Brian's sister

1. Meg/ Christina
2. Brian/Christina
3. Jane/Brian
4. Brian/Jane and Peter
5. Jane and Peter/Christina Brian and Meg
6. Peter/Jane
7. Jane/Peter
8. Christina / Jane and Peter

E - Make sentences according to the example:

Ex:

Peter is Brian's father. He is his father

1. Jane is Brian's mother. She is _____ mother.
2. Christina is Meg's sister. She is _____ sister.
3. Jane is Peter's wife. She is _____ wife.
4. Peter is Christina's father. He is _____ father.
5. Peter is Meg Christina and Brian's father. He is _____ father.
6. Meg Christina and Brian are Jane's children. They are _____ children.
7. Brian is Christina's brother. He is _____ brother.
8. Meg Christina and Brian are Peter's children. They are _____ children.
9. Meg Christina and Brian are Peter and Jane's children. They are _____ children.
10. Peter and Jane are Meg Christina and Brian's parents. They are _____ parents.

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