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## Family and friends

## Vocabulary

## Family members

1 Read the sentences. Complete the family tree with the correct names.

- 1 Tomas is Marco's son.
- 2 Juan is Marco's father.
- 3 Gabriela is Marco's daughter.
- 4 Bianca is Gabriela's mother.
- 5 Ana is Tomas's grandmother.

2 Complete the sentences with these words.

children    husband    parents    sister    wife

- 1 Matt and Tess have two \_\_\_\_\_ —a son and a daughter.
- 2 Patricia is married to Jeff. Jeff is her \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 George is married to Aisha. He and his \_\_\_\_\_ are both 30 years old.
- 4 Steve's \_\_\_\_\_ live in Chicago. Steve is their only son.
- 5 I don't have a brother, but I have a \_\_\_\_\_. Her name is Saira.

2 Read the blog post. Circle the correct answer (a–c).

- 1 Where do Haley's grandparents live?  
a in the same house as Haley  
b in an apartment next to Haley's house  
c in Haley's living room
- 2 What percentage of Australians live in a house with grandparents, parents, and children?  
a 6%   b 20%   c 25%
- 3 What does Haley plan to do next year?  
a go back to school   b get a new job  
c buy a house



## Reading

1 Skim the blog post on page 47. Circle its purpose (a–c). The post describes how Haley and her family ...

- a like living together.
- b don't like living together.
- c both like and don't like living together.

3 What do Haley's family like about living together? Check (✓) the reasons Haley talks about.

- a  Haley's grandparents like living near their family.
- b  Haley's parents can look after her grandparents.
- c  Haley can work from home.
- d  Haley likes hearing stories from her grandmother.

# At home with Haley

In this week's blog post, I want to talk about my home and the people in it. I'm 25 years old, and I live with my brother, my parents, and my grandparents. We live in a large house in the U.K. My grandparents live in the same house. They have their own kitchen, bedroom, bathroom, and living room.

People in some countries often move out of their parents' homes after they finish school or get a job. That is starting to change. A family with grandparents, parents, and children in one house is more common now. Today, 6% of Canadians live with their family like this. In Australia, it's 20%. In the United States, it's 25%.

What do my family like about living together? My grandparents like being near their family. My parents can look after them. And I like hearing stories from my grandmother and learning from her. There's another important reason. I want to buy and move into my own place, but housing prices are very high. Living with my family, I save money. I plan to buy a house next year—I think!

What about you? Do you live with your parents? Do you like living with your parents? Does it work for you? I want to hear what you think!

## Grammar

Simple present questions (Yes / No questions)

1 Answer the questions about the photo.



1 Is Jake in the kitchen?

No, he isn't.

2 Are Stephen and Alison on the couch?

Yes, they are.

3 Is Jake wearing a hat?

No, he isn't.

4 Does Alison have long hair?

Yes, she does.

5 Is the TV off?

Yes, it is.

2 Put the words in order to make questions.

1 have / she / a big family / does

Does she have a big family

?

2 mother / is / your / at work

Is your mother at work

?

3 with his parents / does / live / he

Does he live with his parents

?

4 you / your family history / do / know

Do you know your family history

?

5 his / are / from Turkey / grandparents

3 Complete the conversations with *are*, *is*, or *does*.

1 A: <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ your sister in college?

B: Yes, she <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_.

A: <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ she like it?

2 A: <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ your grandmother live with you?

B: No. She lives in her own apartment downtown.

A: <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ she like living there?

3 A: <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ your parents home?

B: My mother <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, but my father is in Spain right now.

# Grammar

## Simple present questions (open questions)

### 1 Match the questions (1–6) with the answers (a–f).

1 Where are they?	<u>d</u>	a Great!
2 How are you?	<u> </u>	b Photos.
3 What are those?	<u> </u>	c At 7:45.
4 Who are they?	<u> </u>	d At home.
5 Why is she at home?	<u> </u>	e My parents.
6 When does it start?	<u> </u>	f Because it's cold outside.

### 3 Complete the conversation with *are*, *is*, *do*, or *does*.

A: You have a lot of photos on your phone. Who <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ that?

B: Oh, that's my sister Terry.

A: Where <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ she live?

B: She lives in Paris.

A: What <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ she <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ there?

B: She works in a hotel.

A: And who <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ they?

B: That's her husband and two children.

### 2 Circle the correct options to complete the text.



Joel and Lacy are my neighbors. Joel is 35 and Lacy is 37. Joel is <sup>1</sup>tall / long and has <sup>2</sup>quiet / dark hair. He's really <sup>3</sup>short / funny—he always make me laugh! He's also quite <sup>4</sup>long / clever. I know he's a teacher. He's a very <sup>5</sup>blond / interesting person—not boring at all. I really like talking to him. Lacy has <sup>6</sup>blond / quiet hair. It's not very <sup>7</sup>tall / long. She likes it <sup>8</sup>nice / short. She's a very <sup>9</sup>long / nice person. She's kind, but she's a little <sup>10</sup>interesting / quiet sometimes. She doesn't talk much.

### 2 Correct the mistake in each question.

1 When **do** your class begin?

When does your class begin?

2 Who **are** your favorite singer?

3 Where **do** your grandparents from?

4 Why **is** she always come to class late?

5 How **does** you spell your name?

# Vocabulary

## Appearance and personality

### 1 What do the words (1–10) describe? Write A (appearance) or P (personality).

1 long hair	<u>A</u>	6 clever	<u> </u>
2 nice	<u> </u>	7 short	<u> </u>
3 blond hair	<u> </u>	8 tall	<u> </u>
4 funny	<u> </u>	9 interesting	<u> </u>
5 quiet	<u> </u>	10 dark hair	<u> </u>

# Listening

1 **7.2** Listen to the podcast. What is its main idea? Circle the correct answer.

- a Appearance is important.
- b Personality is important.
- c Some people are bad friends.

2 **7.2** Listen again. Complete the sentences.

- 1 A good friend is kind to you and to \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 A good friend \_\_\_\_\_. They're interested in your life.
- 3 A good friend makes you \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 A good friend is \_\_\_\_\_ there for you.
- 5 A good friend says what's \_\_\_\_\_.

# Grammar

## Adjectives

1 Circle the correct options to complete the text.



My friend Chirawan lives in Udon Thani, Thailand. She <sup>1</sup>is / has tall and <sup>2</sup>is / has long black hair. She <sup>3</sup>is / has brown eyes. I love her personality. She <sup>4</sup>is / has funny and nice, and everyone loves being around her. She has a <sup>5</sup>nice family / family nice, too. Her parents are very <sup>6</sup>interesting / interestings.

2 Rewrite the sentences. Use the verb *be*.

1 I have brown eyes.

My eyes are brown.

2 She has short hair.

Her \_\_\_\_\_.

3 That's a funny movie.

That \_\_\_\_\_.

4 She has beautiful clothes.

Her \_\_\_\_\_.

5 They have nice friends.

Their \_\_\_\_\_.

6 This is an interesting photo.

This \_\_\_\_\_.

## Writing

1 Read the text message. Match the sentences in bold (1–7) with their function (a–f).

How are things? Do you have time on Saturday morning? **1**I need someone to meet my friend Jake at the train station. **2**I have an exam then. His train gets in at 9:45. **3**He's tall with short blond hair. **4**He's 23 years old. **5**He's a very interesting and funny person. I think you will like him. **6**You both love movies a lot. **7**He lives in Los Angeles and wants to be an actor.

- a describes someone's personality \_\_\_\_\_
- b says why you need help \_\_\_\_\_
- c says what the people have in common \_\_\_\_\_
- d describes someone's appearance \_\_\_\_\_
- e says that you need help \_\_\_\_\_
- f gives other information about someone \_\_\_\_\_