

Vocabulary Life stages

1 * Choose the correct option.

0-12 months: baby / adult

1 18-25 years: **toddler** / adult

2 65+ years: **child** / **elderly**

3 1-3 years: **adult** / **toddler**

4 3-12 years: **adult** / **child**

5 13-18 years: **child** / **teenager**

2 ** Complete the words.



get a job



1 r _____ e



2 m _____ e house



3 leave h _____ m _____



4 get m _____ d



5 buy a h _____ s _____

3 ** Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

children degree drive
house married university

They're going to buy a house by the sea.

- When I'm 17, I will learn to _____ a car.
- Jan doesn't want to go to _____ next year.
- Maria and Rob want to have three _____.

4 ** Match 1-7 to A-G to make life stages. Then put them in the order that we usually do them.

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|---------|----------|--------------|----------|
| 1 buy a | <u>C</u> | A degree | _____ |
| 2 get a | _____ | B university | _____ |
| 3 get | _____ | C house | <u>6</u> |
| 4 go to | _____ | D children | _____ |
| 5 learn | _____ | E married | _____ |
| 6 have | _____ | F home | _____ |
| 7 leave | _____ | G to drive | _____ |

5 *** Rewrite the sentences. Replace the phrases in bold with the life stages in the box.

~~buy a house~~ get a degree get a job
go to university have children learn to drive
leave home move house retire

I want to **own my home**.

I want to buy a house

- I'd like to **be a dad** one day.

- When I'm older, I'm going to **stop living with my parents**.

- When I leave secondary school, I'm hoping to **study medicine**.

- My brother says it's difficult to **find paid work**.

- My parents want to **live in a different town**.

- In the UK, you can **have driving lessons** when you're 17.

- In the UK, you can **stop working** when you're 66.

- You have to study hard to **complete a course at university**.
