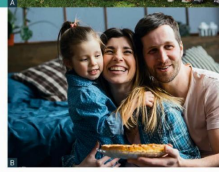
2A Families

- **Goal:** describe your family
- **Grammar:** possessive adjectives and possessive 's
- **Vocabulary:** family members


A


B

Vocabulary and listening

1 a Match quotes 1–4 with photos A–D.

1 *We're just a small family – me, my wife and our daughter.*

2 *There aren't any children in our family, but we still have lots of fun!*

3 *I have a very big family: lots of brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts!*

4 *My grandson and granddaughter live with me. My grandchildren are my world!*

b Work in pairs and discuss the questions.
1 Are you from a big or small family?
2 Where is your family from?
3 Who is your favourite person in your family?

2 a 2.1 **Listen to Dominic talk about his family with his girlfriend Anna. Answer the questions.**
1 Whose family do they talk about?
2 Do you think it is a big or small family?

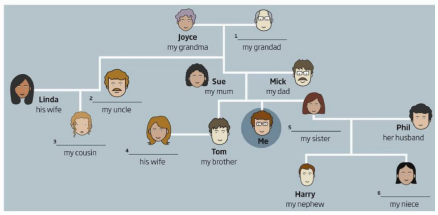
b Listen again and complete the family tree with the names in the box.

Arthur Charlotte Jack Kerry Lily Sally

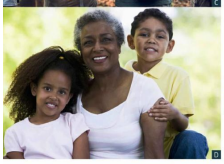
3 Match family members 1–8 with a–h.

1 mother	a grandma
2 father	b parents
3 mother + father	c mum
4 son + daughter	d dad
5 grandfather	e grandparents
6 grandmother	f children
7 grandfather + grandmother	g grandchildren
8 grandson + granddaughter	h grandad

Go to your app for more practice.




C


D

Grammar

4 a Read the grammar box and choose the correct alternatives in sentences 1–5.

possessive adjectives and possessive 's

possessive adjectives

subject pronouns	possessive adjectives
I	my
you	your
he	his
she	her
it	its
we	our
you	your
they	their

1 That's Tom, right? He's *you/your* brother.
2 And that's *his/her* wife, Kerry?
3 That's *my/* sister, Charlotte and *his/her* husband, Phil.
4 Are those *they/their* children?
5 They're *our/we* grandparents.

possessive 's
jack's wife
NOT ~~*the wife of jack*~~
My mother's brother
NOT ~~*the brother of my mother*~~

b 2.2 **Listen and check.**

5 a 2.3 **Listen to the sentences and notice the pronunciation of 's.**
1 This is Ana's husband.
2 Is that Nick's mum?
3 Georgia is Charlotte's cousin.
4 Who is Maria's brother?

b Listen again and repeat.

6 Choose the correct alternatives.
1 **A:** Is that *Carl/Carl's* wife?
B: No, it isn't. It's *his/her* sister!
2 **A:** What's your *grandma's/grandma* name?
B: *Her/ His* name's Phillippa.
3 **A:** That's Melissa, *John is/John's* new girlfriend.
B: Yes, I know. She's *their/our* manager at work.
4 **A:** Is that *your/you* uncle?
B: Yes, it is. And that's *her/his* wife and *they're/ their* son, Kevin.

7 Complete the sentences with the correct possessive adjective.
1 My brother lives in Boston with _____ wife.
2 I live here with _____ sister.
3 We like _____ teacher.
4 My cousins live with _____ parents.
5 She lives with _____ husband in Manchester.

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Speaking

PREPARE

8 a Your new friend is meeting your family or friends for the first time. First, write the names of eight family members or friends.

b Make notes about each person. Think about:
- who they are in your family (e.g. *my brother's wife*)
- their age
- where they're from
- any other information about them

SPEAK

9 a Work in pairs. Describe your family or friends to your partner. Use the Useful phrases to help you and ask questions to find out more information.

Useful phrases
Who's (Heni)?
She's my brother's wife.
They're my aunt and uncle.
Svetlana is their daughter.

b Tell the class something interesting about your partner's family or friends.

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Homework

2A

Vocabulary

Family members

1 Complete the words for family members.
1 f__he_
2 _a_e_t_
3 _au_h__r
4 _u_
5 c_i_ _re_
6 g__n__a__e_
7 _r___dm_
8 _o_

2 Complete the table with the words in Exercise 1.

Male	Female	Both
father		



3 Complete the sentences.
1 My mother is my _____*mum*_____.
2 My grandson and my granddaughter are my _____.
3 My father's brother is my _____.
4 My mum and my dad are my _____.
5 My son and my daughter are my _____.
6 My grandmother is married to my _____.
7 My sister's son is my _____.
8 My grandfather and my grandmother are my _____.

Grammar

Possessive adjectives and possessive 's

4 Put the possessive 's in the correct place in each sentence.
1 John is Alice's grandad.
2 Vera and Alfie are Mark grandparents.
3 My parents house is quite big.
4 My dad dad is called Harry.
5 What's your mother name?
6 Is Kira Jean-Luc sister?
7 Her son name is Chris.
8 Is that Briana bike?
9 My grandparents dog is called Poppy.
10 My brother name is Damiano.

5 Choose the correct alternatives.
1 **A:** Is this *your/you're* pen?
B: No, it's *Rachel/ Rachel's*.
2 **A:** What's your *brother is/ brother's* name?
B: *He's/ His* name is Luke.
3 **A:** Is *Ston Michelle's/ Ston's Michelle* grandad?
B: No, he's *her/ his* uncle.
4 **A:** Who's Margaret?
B: Margaret is *Brian's/ Brian* mum.
5 **A:** Are these *you're/ your* keys?
B: No, they're *Tanya's/ Tanya* keys.
6 **A:** What's *your/ you're* mum's name?
B: *Its/ It's* Beth.

6 Complete the text with the correct possessive adjectives.

1 _____ family is quite small. I have one sister, and 2 _____ name is Svetlana. We have a dog and 3 _____ name is Darya. My father has one brother, my uncle. 4 _____ name is Slava. 5 _____ grandparents are very nice. 6 _____ daughters, (my aunts), live near us. What about 7 _____ family? Is it big or small?

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