

## 2A Families

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

### Vocabulary and listening

#### 1 a Match quotes 1–4 with photos A–D.

- We're just a small family – me, my wife and our daughter.
- There aren't any children in our family, but we still have lots of fun!
- I have a very big family: lots of brothers and sisters, uncles and aunts!
- My grandson and granddaughter live with me. My grandchildren are my world!

#### b Work in pairs and discuss the questions.

- Are you from a big or small family?
- Where's your family from?
- Who is your favorite person in your family?
- a Listen to Dominic talk about his family with his girlfriend Anna. Answer the questions.
- Whose family do they talk about?
- Do you think it is a big or small family?
- b Listen again and complete the family tree with the names in the box.

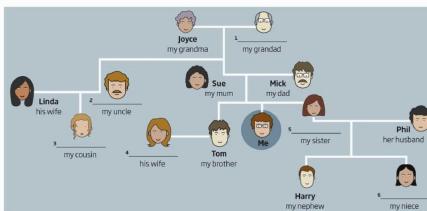
Arthur Charlotte Jack Kerry Lily Sally



- 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 grandchild

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### Grammar

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

possessive adjectives and possessive 's	possessive adjectives
you	my
he	your
she	his
it	its
we	our
you	your
they	their

1 That's Tom's right? He's 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 That's his/her grandparents.  
 possessive 's  
 jack's wife  
 NOT the wife of jack  
 My mother's brother  
 NOT the brother of my mother

#### 4b Listen and check.

#### 5a Listen to the sentences and notice the differences.

#### 5b Listen and repeat.

#### 6 Choose the correct alternatives.

- Is that Carl/Girl's wife?
- No, it isn't. It's her/sister!
- What's your grandpa/grandma's name?
- Her/his name's John/Jane's new girlfriend.
- Yes, I know. She's their/our manager at work.
- Is it that you/you're uncle?
- Yes, it is. And that's her/his wife and they're son, Kevin.

#### 7 Complete the sentences with the correct possessive adjectives.

- My brother lives in Boston with \_\_\_\_\_ wife.
- I live here with \_\_\_\_\_ sister.
- I'm a \_\_\_\_\_ teacher.
- My cousins live with \_\_\_\_\_ parents.
- She lives with \_\_\_\_\_ husband in Manchester.

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### Speaking

#### PREPARE

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

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

#### SPEAK

- 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 Henry?  
 She's my brother's wife.  
 They're my aunt and uncle.  
 Svetlana is their daughter.

- 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 ...\_he
- 2 ...\_a...e...\_e...
- 3 ...au...h...\_r
- 4 ...\_u...
- 5 ...\_l...\_r...\_e...
- 6 ...\_r...\_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.

- My mother is my \_\_\_\_\_ maa...  
 2 My grandson and my granddaughter are my \_\_\_\_\_.
- My father's brother is my \_\_\_\_\_.
- My man and my wife are my \_\_\_\_\_.
- My son and my daughter are my \_\_\_\_\_.
- My grandmother is married to my \_\_\_\_\_.
- My sister's son is my \_\_\_\_\_.
- 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.

- John is Alice grandad.
- Vera and Alfie are Mark grandparents.
- My parents house is quite big.
- My dad dad is called Harry.
- What's your mother name?
- Is Kira Jean-Luc sister?
- Her son name is Chris.
- Is that Brian's bike?
- My grandparents dog is called Poppy.
- My brother name is Damiano.

#### 5 Choose the correct alternatives.

- A: Is this your/you're pen?  
 B: No, it's not. It's Alice's.
- A: What's your brother/sister's name?  
 B: Her/His name is Luke.
- A: Is Storn Michelle's/Storn's Michelle grandad?  
 B: No, he's her/his uncle.
- A: Who's Mariana's/Brian's/Brian's mum.  
 B: She's Brian's/Brian's/Brian's mum.
- A: Are these your/you're keys?  
 B: No, they're Tony's/Tony's keys.
- A: What's your/you're/mum's name?  
 B: It's/It's/Beth.

#### 6 Complete the text with the correct possessive adjectives.

- \_\_\_\_\_ family is quite small. I have one sister, and \_\_\_\_\_ name is Svetlana. We have a dog and \_\_\_\_\_ name is Darya. My father has one brother, my uncle. He has two sons. One son's name is Svetlana. \_\_\_\_\_ grandparents are very nice. \_\_\_\_\_ daughters, (my aunts), live near us. What about \_\_\_\_\_ family? Is it big or small?