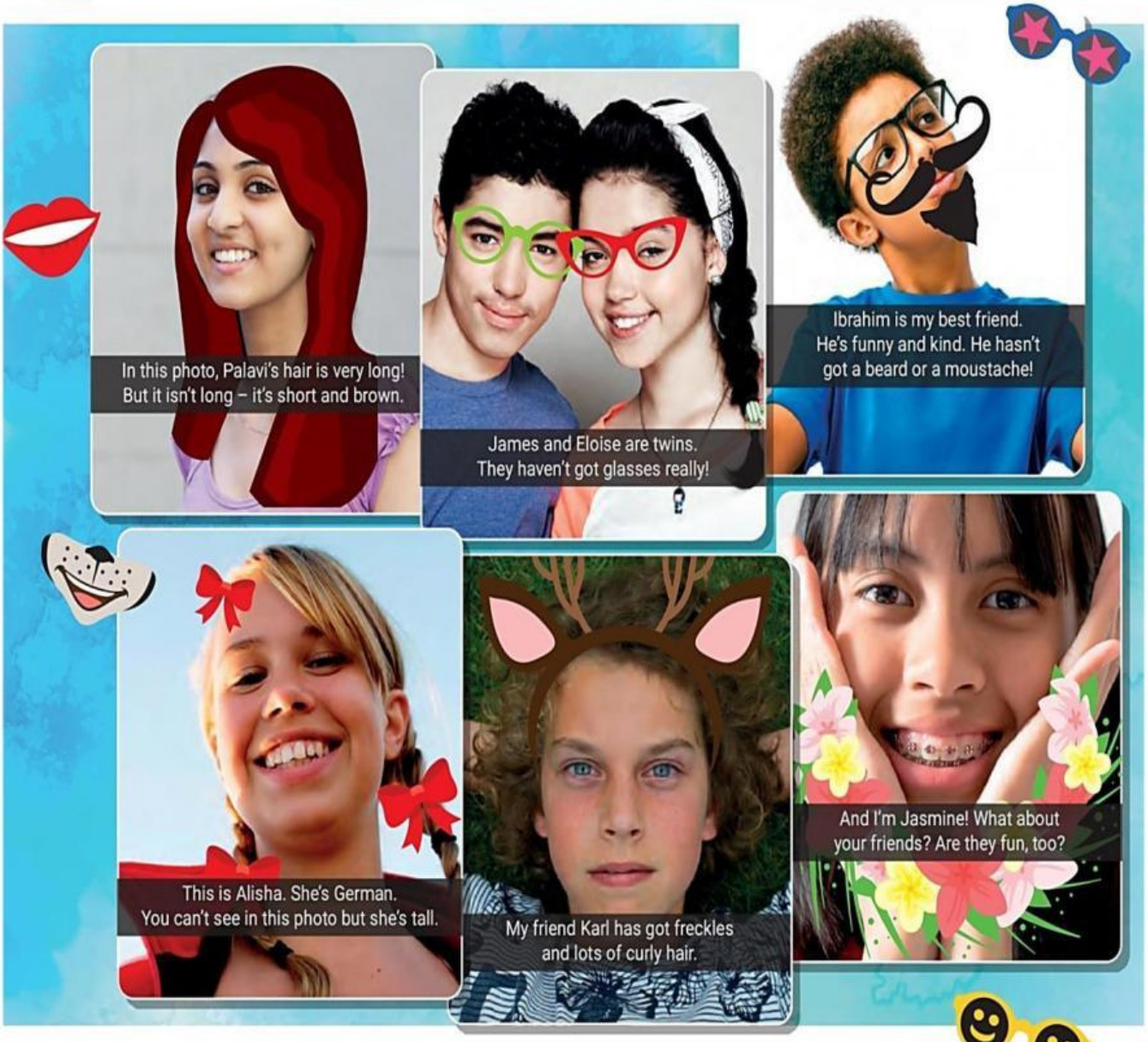
1.2 #MYFRIENDS

LESSON OBJECTIVES

- Describe the appearance and personality of people
- Use the present simple: *be*



VOCABULARY

1 Look at the photos. Have you got photos like these of your friends and family?

2 Look at the photos again and read the descriptions. Match the people 1–6 with the descriptions A–F.

1 ___ Alisha	A haven't got blonde hair.
2 ___ Eloise and Alisha	B has got glasses.
3 ___ Karl	C has got braces.
4 ___ Ibrahim	D has got blue eyes.
5 ___ James and Palavi	E isn't short.
6 ___ Jasmine	F have got long hair.

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3 Use the table to say sentences about people in the photos. Your partner guesses.

He's got glasses. | Ibrahim.

That's right.

Hair length / style	
She's got **short** hair.	long short curly straight
Hair colour	
He's got **blonde** hair.	blonde brown grey red white dark fair
Eyes	
She's got **brown** eyes.	brown blue green
Special features	
He's got **freckles**.	a beard a moustache braces freckles glasses
Height / build	
She's **tall**.	medium-height tall short slim
Personality	
He's **clever**.	creative friendly funny interesting kind

GRAMMAR

Present simple: *be*

4 Complete the table with the correct form of the verb *be*. Use the descriptions on page 10 to help you.

Affirmative	
I [1] _____ Jasmine. She [2] _____ tall. They [3] _____ twins.	
Negative	
I **am not** his sister. Her hair [4] _____ long. They **aren't** Spanish.	
Questions	**Short answers**
Are you happy? **Is** your cousin friendly? [5] _____ your friends fun?	Yes, I **am**. / No, I'**m not**. Yes, he **is**. / No, he **isn't**. Yes, they **are**. / No, they **aren't**.

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5 Choose the correct option.

1 I **isn't** / **am not** from the UK.
2 She **'s** / **'re** very kind.
3 My parents **isn't** / **aren't** tall.
4 His eyes **is** / **are** brown.
5 My name **am** / **is** Bruno.

6 Complete the questions with *Is* or *Are*. Then answer with short answers.

Are you from London? No. I'm not.

1 _____ your teacher tall?
2 _____ you creative?
3 _____ your best friend funny?
4 _____ your school big?
5 _____ your neighbours friendly?

7 Use the table in exercise 3 to say sentences about yourself. Compare your answers with a partner. What information is the same?

I'm short. | I've got glasses.

We're kind. | We've got short hair.

8 Think of a person you both know. Write three sentences about the person with the verbs *be* or *have got*. Can your partner guess the person?

He's got a beard. | Is he Mr Davies?

No, he isn't. He's tall and slim. | Ah! Is he Mr Jackson?

Yes, that's right.

PROJECT BUILDER 2

Complete short descriptions of the special people in your life.

Workbook **Project Log** p4

9 Look at your list of people from Project Builder 1. Make notes about three of them. Think about:

- their relationship to you
- their appearance
- their personality

Becky, best friend, medium height, short hair ...

10 Describe these three people to your group. Are some of your descriptions similar?

LIVEWORKSHEETS