

Past Lives - Listening Activity



1  **56** There is a connection between the two photos. What do you think it is? Listen and find out.

2  **56** Listen again and underline the correct option.

- 1 Chris took black and white photos in the nineteen *fifties and sixties* / *seventies and eighties*.
- 2 The first photo is from 1980 / 1981.
- 3 The second photo is from 2015 / 2016.

3 ▶ **57** Match the phrases for talking about periods in time (1–5) with the years. Then listen, check and repeat.

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| 1 the nineteen seventies | 1960 to 1969 |
| 2 the end of the eighteenth century | 1789–1799 |
| 3 the beginning of the twenty-first century | 1800 to 1899 |
| 4 the sixties | 1970–1979 |
| 5 the nineteenth century | 2002 |

4 Match these people and events with the periods of time (1–5) in Exercise 3.

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| a the first photographs | d The Beatles |
| b the euro currency | e the American Revolution |
| c the first mobile phones | |

Speaking

5 Do you have a lot of family photos? How old are they? Whose 'past lives' do they show?