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## Unit 1 Reading

### The British Royal family

The British Royal family is famous all over the world. Their surname is Windsor. The King's first name is Charles. Charles III is the son of Queen Elizabeth II and of Prince Philip. Prince William and Prince Harry are the sons of King Charles. Prince William and his wife Kate Middleton have three children; Prince Harry and his wife Megan Markle have two. King Charles' wife is Queen Camilla.

The King has got many houses. Buckingham Palace is his house in London, at one end of a long street with trees on both sides called The Mall. It is very big – it has 775 rooms, 1514 doors and 760 windows. The King has many other homes – for example, Windsor Castle and Balmoral Castle. Windsor Castle is not very far from London – in Berkshire. The King's summer home, Balmoral Castle, is in Scotland. He has another house, Holyrood Palace, in Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland, and one in Norfolk, Sandringham House.

King Charles likes dogs and has two. Their names are Bluebell and Beth. His interests include listening to classical music and painting outside in places like Scotland, Tanzania and the south of France.

**1. Read the text. What is Queen Elizabeth's surname?**

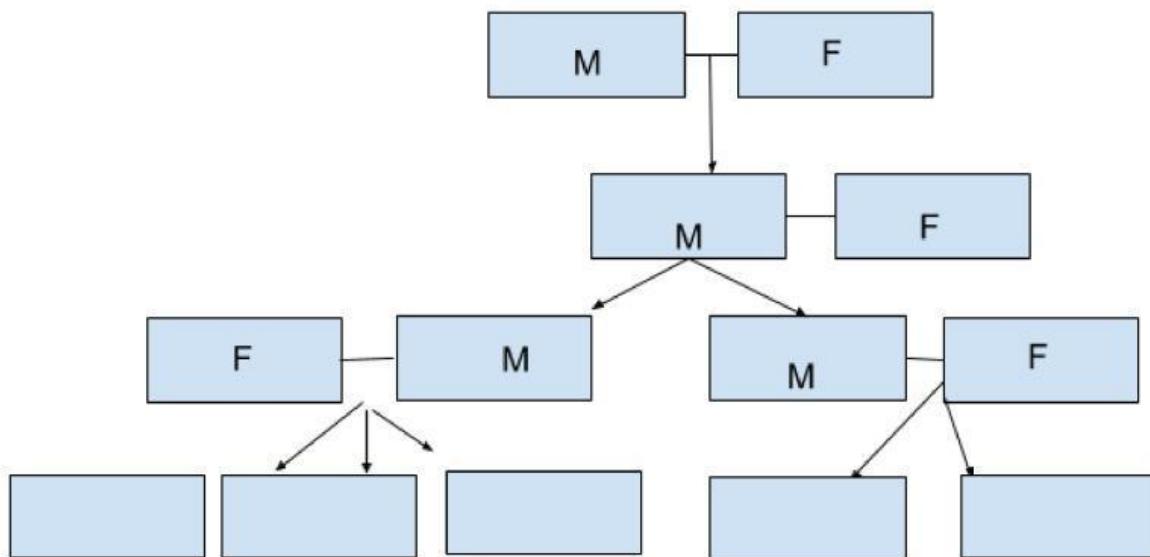
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**2. Complete the sentences with information from the text. Use one word.**

- 1 King Charles has got \_\_\_\_\_ grandchildren.
- 2 Windsor Castle is in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 The British Queen's first name is \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 King Charles has two houses in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 Bluebell and Beth are King Charles' \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 King Charles likes to \_\_\_\_\_ in other countries.

3. Complete the family tree with the names of the Royal family according to the test.  
Some spaces will be empty.

Charles III	Queen Elizabeth II	Prince Philip	Megan Markle
Prince William	Kate Middleton	Prince Harry	Camilla



4. Find in the text a word that means the same as:

house: \_\_\_\_\_

son and daughter: \_\_\_\_\_