

# HOMEWORK

## Exam task

For questions 1–8, read the text below and think of the word which best fits each gap. Use only one word in each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Example: (0) ABOUT

### The importance of friendship

It is undeniable that friendship is important for just (0) ..... everyone. Individuals with several close friends are usually happier than those (1) ..... Good friends often know things that family members may not be aware of, even (2) ..... they have lived together for years. This is probably (3) ..... when in the company of a good friend we share our secrets and dreams. Friends turn to one (4) ..... for suggestions on how to solve their problems. There is a tendency (5) ..... close friends to be very honest, sometimes saying things the other person may not want to hear!



Good friends stick together, and the best relationships may last a lifetime. It is (6) ..... surprise that most friends have similar personalities, which reduces the risk of conflict. However, people don't always have an accurate picture of (7) ..... their true friends are. Research shows that in a surprising number of cases a person someone considers a good friend doesn't feel the (8) ..... about them.

Use a dictionary if necessary.

<https://www.oxfordlearnersdictionaries.com/>

Complete the sentences with the correct form of the phrasal verbs in the box.

break up	bring up	count on	fall out	get on with
	get together	look up to	take after	

1. Mario ..... everyone in his family except his older brother.
2. Everyone decided to ..... to celebrate Katy's graduation, even her cousins who live in Canada.
3. My parents decided to move to London because they thought it would be easier to ..... my brothers and I in a big city.
4. Everyone says I ..... my father; people are always pointing out the similarities in the way we look and behave.
5. In my last year at university I ..... with my girlfriend and she got together with someone else.
6. I've known Tom for twenty years and he's my best friend; I can always ..... him.
7. The two sisters ..... last year and haven't spoken to each other since!
8. I ..... my uncle because he's achieved so many amazing things in his life.

Complete the following sentences with the correct phrasal verb from the previous exercise.

1. Do you ..... everyone in your family?
2. Who do you ..... most – your mother or your father?
3. How often do you ..... with your friends?
4. Have you ever ..... with a friend or family member? What happened?
5. Which famous people do young people in your country ..... the most?