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ex3 Read the text again and for questions 1-8 choose the best option A, B. C or D.

1 When Alex called his sister

A she begged him to move in.

B he felt very uncomfortable.

C he was angry at her reaction.

D she said he could stay only a day or two.

2 Alex thinks that extended families are

A unusual nowadays.

B the normal family unit.

C difficult to organise.

D a wife. husband and children only.

3 During the first few days of moving in Alex

A thought everyone was pretending to be happy.

B found he settled into a routine immediately.

C and his sister, Dara, weren't very relaxed.

D realised he had made a mistake.

4 Alex likes to

A help Liam put up shelves.

B take Liam and Dara out in the evenings.

C make life easier for Liam and Dara.

D find a babysitter when Liam and Dara need one.

5 When Alex is with his niece and nephew he

A can't remember how old he is.

B thinks it's good for them to get away from their parents.

C only ever spends an hour or two with them.

D joins in children's activities with them.

6 Alex feels that Liam

A is jealous of how well he gets on with the children.

B doesn't like having him live there all the time.

C really appreciates his presence in the house.

D is the same kind of friend he's always been.

7 The writer uses the phrase 'outstayed my welcome' in line - to mean

A it was obvious his sister and family no longer wanted him there.

B he believed his sister's family would want him to move out.

C that he didn't think he could be hospitable any longer.

D he wanted to move out as soon as possible.

8 How did the writer's attitude change during the passage?

A He realised that the living arrangement suited everyone.

B He started to look forward to having his own space again,

C He discovered how much he liked his sister's children.

D He started to enjoy doing things around the house.

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