Friends and family

Vocabulary

1 Complete the family tree
Look at the words below and write them under the pictures of the family and friends to show their relationship to Damien.

- mother
- cousin
- aunt
- grandmother
- uncle
- best friend
- father
- grandfather
- sister
- grandparents
- brother
- girlfriend

Write

How are these people related to Damien?
Unscramble the words.

1 Mary: ehntgoamrrd ______________
2 Sally: ehrmto __________________
3 Mike: sbte nedfur __________________
4 George: arhredgtafn __________________
5 Sally and Andrew: tnepsra ______________

Write

How are these people related to Damien?
Write full sentences.

1 Patsy: Patsy is his friend.
2 Lizzie: __________________
3 Daniel and Louisa: __________________
4 Tom and Alison: __________________
5 Jane: __________________
That's my grandmother

4 Listen and read
Listen to this conversation and follow it in your book.

Patsy What’s that, Damien?
Damien It’s a photo of my family.
Patsy Really? Oh, it’s a birthday party! Who’s that woman with the cake?
Damien That’s my grandmother. Her name’s Louisa and she’s 75. And that’s my other grandmother. Her name’s Mary. The two men on the right are my grandfathers.
Patsy Ahh! It’s a really happy photo! Is that your aunt?
Damien Yes, it is. That’s Aunt Jane … and that’s Uncle Paul. He’s a doctor and she’s a teacher. They’re from Glasgow.
Patsy And who are the two children?
Damien They’re my cousins, Tom and Alison.
Patsy Are they twins?
Damien No, they’re not. They’re nine and ten.
Patsy And who is that?
Damien That’s their dog, Meg!
Patsy She’s lovely! You’re a big family!
Damien Yes, we are!

5 Comprehension
Are the statements true (T) or false (F)? Correct the false statements.

1 Louisa is 85 years old. ________________
2 Andrew is his uncle. ________________
3 Jane is a doctor. ________________
4 Tom and Alison are brother and sister. ________________
5 They are a small family. ________________

6 Write
Write sentences about you.

1 How old are you?
I’m ________________

2 Where are you from?
____________________

3 Who is your best friend?
____________________

4 What is the name of your school?
____________________

5 What is your favourite sport?
____________________
Personal pronouns and possessive adjectives

1 Complete the table.

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2 Complete the sentences with a personal pronoun.

1 Hi, ________ 'm Sonia.
2 My grandmother is 89 – ________ ’s very old.
3 Tommy and Vic are in my class. ________ are very nice.
4 Lisa and I are cousins. ________ are both 13 years old.
5 You and Nadia are in class 1F. ________ are classmates.

3 Complete the text with the correct personal pronouns.

Hi, I'm Sean and this is 1 ________ family. Mum is a doctor and 2 ________ name is Victoria. Dad is a teacher and 3 ________ name is Ben. My grandparents aren’t in this photo but 4 ________ names are John and Patricia. Oh, and there’s also 5 ________ cat, Saffron. She’s lovely!

Regular plurals

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Variations in spelling

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Irregular plurals

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7 Write the plural of these words.

1 sister | ________ 4 fox | ________
2 country | ________ 5 mother | ________
3 class | ________ 6 mouse | ________
The verb be

8 Complete the table.

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<td>Am I? _____ you? _____ he? _____ she? _____ it? _____ we? _____ you? _____ they?</td>
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9 Complete the dialogue with the correct forms of the verb be.

Emily: Hi! I’m Emily.

Penny: Hi, Emily. I’m Penny.

Emily: 3 Are you in 1F?

Penny: No, I’m not. I’m in 1G.

Emily: My friends Barbara and Jim are in 1G.

Penny: That’s right. We are all in the same class. But my twin cousins, Laura and Beth, are in your class.

Emily: 10 Are they your cousins? They are very nice. I really like them.

Penny: Oh, that’s the bell! It’s eight o’clock. Bye, Emily.

Emily: Bye, Penny.

Question words

10 Complete the questions with who, what, how or where.

1 _______ is your name?

   Andrea.

2 _______ is your English teacher?

   Mr Judds.

3 _______ is Venice?

   In Italy.

4 _______ old is Rachel?

   She’s 14.

11 Match the questions to the answers.

   1 Where is Paris? a It’s my new mobile phone.
   2 What’s this? b I’m in class.
   3 Who is Ken? c I’m fine.
   4 Who are they? d He’s my brother.
   5 Where are you? e They are my cousins.
   6 How are you? f It’s in France.
Sarah: Look! There’s Lindy!
Jack: Where?
Sarah: There! Outside the Odeon Cinema.
Lindy: Hello, Sarah!
Sarah: Hi, Lindy. This is my little brother, Jack.
Lindy: Hi Jack, nice to meet you.
Jack: Hello, Lindy. Nice to meet you, too.
Lindy: So how old are you, Jack?
Jack: I’m eleven. I’m in the first year at secondary school.
Lindy: I see. Three years below Sarah and me.
Jack: Yes, that’s right.
Sarah: OK. Let’s go to the Tip-Top café – I’m really thirsty.
Lindy: Good idea, Sarah. It’s a cool place.
Jack: Yes, and I’m hungry!
Sarah: You’re always hungry!

Lindy: Sarah! How are you?
Sarah: I’m very well, thanks. 2 my friend Paul.
Lindy: Nice to meet you, Paul.
Paul: 3 .
Lindy: So, where are you from?
Paul: 4 , London.
Lindy: Oh, that’s great.
Paul: 5 ?
Lindy: I’m from Blackdean, in the west of England.
How old are you?
Paul: 6 .
Lindy: Really? I’m fourteen too!
Read

Read the text about Jenny. How many brothers and sisters has she got?

Hi, everybody. My name's Jenny and I'm 15 years old. I'm from Blackpool, a town in the north of England. My surname is Bertolli, and my family is from Italy – my grandfather is from Trento. My best friends are Anna and Kate. We are all in the same class at school.

Music and biology are my favourite subjects at school. My family is very small – just my parents, my brother, Peter, and me. My Italian grandfather, Aldo, lives with us, too. My father is a teacher at a primary school, and my mother is a doctor at Blackpool Hospital. Peter is little – he's only five. He is a big problem when my friends are at our house – he's very curious about what we say and do!

Comprehension

Read the text about Jenny again and decide if these statements are true (T) or false (F). Correct the false statements.

1. Jenny is fourteen years old. ___________

2. She is from Blackpool. ___________

3. Her family is from Italy. ___________

4. Her family is very big. ___________
Read
Read the texts and complete the gaps with the words in the box.

autumn the USA cold animals

In winter in Britain the days are very short and there isn’t a lot of light. The weather is _______ but the temperatures do not often go below 0°C. Young people are very happy when it snows. Schools often close for the day and the students can play outside on sledges.

Spring is the season of new life. The countryside is full of lots of young _______ and colourful flowers. The weather also changes a lot. It is possible to have rain, sun, wind and even snow – all in one day! People never know what clothes to wear!

In summer the weather is usually hot and the days are long. It is sunny and the temperatures are high. But in Britain this is not always true. It can rain and be cold. Lots of British people go on holiday abroad in July and August. Popular destinations are Spain, France and Italy, but sometimes they go to more exotic places like _______ , Thailand or Australia!

The countryside changes again in _______. The leaves on the trees become lots of different colours – orange, yellow, red and brown. It's beautiful! A very popular festival in Britain in October is Halloween. Lots of children wear costumes and go to Halloween parties.

WORD LIST
light _______ sledges _______ colourful _______ change _______
below _______ countryside _______ wear _______ become _______
outside _______ full of _______ abroad _______ leaves _______
**2 Comprehension**
Are the statements true (T) or false (F). Correct the false statements.

1. There is a lot of light in winter. ________________
   ______________________

2. Young people are very sad when it snows. ________________
   ______________________

3. In spring the weather can change a lot. ________________
   ______________________

4. Spain, France and Poland are popular holiday destinations in Britain. 
                                                                 ______________________

**3 Write**
Match the words to the correct season.

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**CRACK THE CODE**

**4 Can you solve this little puzzle? Read the words with a mirror and then complete the crossword. Two new words will appear!**

**Clues:**
- The shortest day of the year is 21st December.
- The longest day of the year is 21st June.