

Friends and family

Hello and welcome back in this lesson we will be looking at family and friends.

So, what is a family?



Family

Simply put, a family is defined as group of people living together who are related.

This is normally parents and their child/children

Family

Parents:

Children:



Mother



Father



Son



Daughter

The family can be bigger than just the parents and children.
We can have the parents, parents. We call these the grandparents.

Grandparents:



Grandfather



Grandmother

The parents can have brothers and sisters, these are the grandparent's children.

If they had children then their children would be cousins with the other children. The children of the aunt and uncle are the parent's niece and nephew.

Cousins:



Aunt



Uncle



Niece



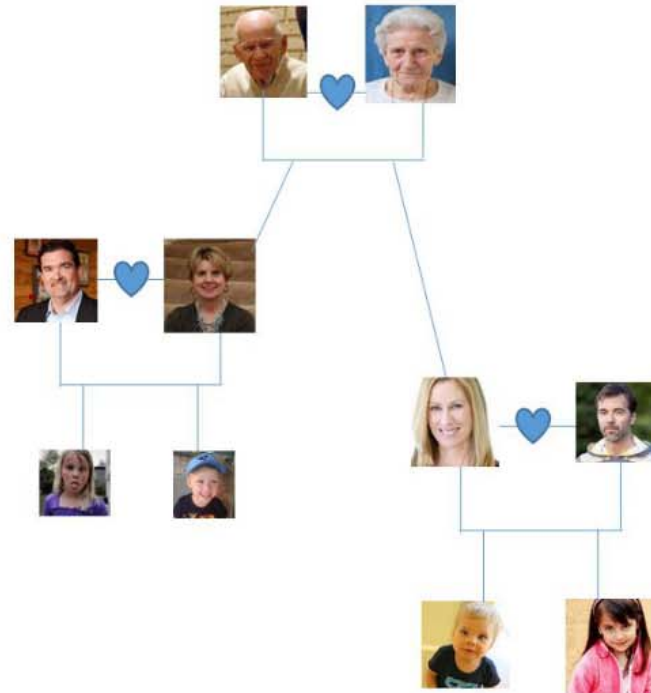
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Family tree

A great way to display a family is using a family tree. Let's put this family onto a tree.

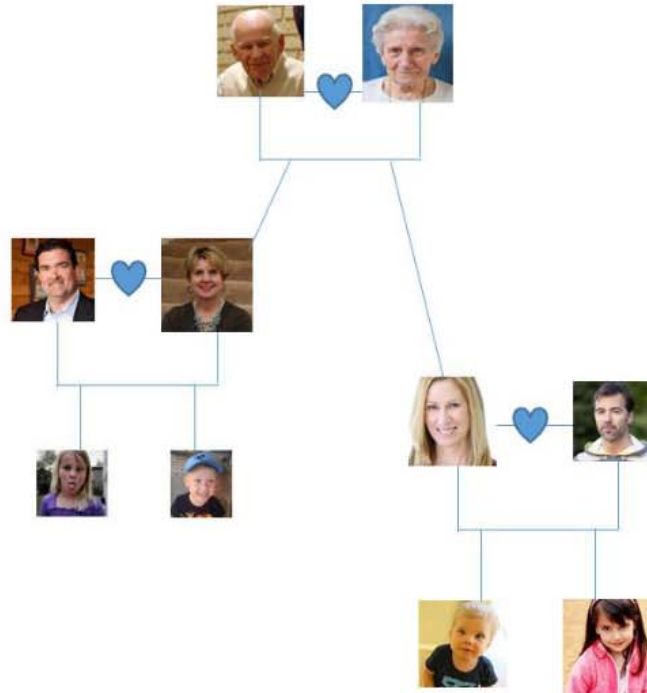
Firstly we need a centre point, a person in which the tree is for.

Let's use the **mother**:



Let's try again but using a new centre point.

Let's use the **Son**:



What are friends?

A friend is a person in which you share similar interests with or someone in which you enjoy spending time with.

A friend can come from work, home, outside and so on.



You may meet all kinds of people from around the world.

One person might know how to only speak English.

In order to become friends you will need to introduce yourself.

Introduction:

Let's recap on how we can introduce ourselves in English

Hello, how are you?

My name is Oliver.

What about you? What is your name?

Nice to meet you.



Here, we have introduced ourselves and also asked for someone's name. If you manage to have a conversation and become friendly with one another then you can ask for some information:

Please:

Remember when we are asking for something we use the word:

'Please'

'Please can I

'Please give me

This is a polite and correct way to ask for information.



Telephone number:

If you want to get in touch with someone after meeting each other, you might want to **call** the person again.

We can ask for their **mobile number** or you could provide yours.



How to ask:

Please can I have your number?

Please could you provide me with your telephone number? (Formal)

If you are asked:

Yes, my phone number is: **01822 456 908**

For this number you would read out aloud **0-1-8-2-2-4-5-6-9-0-8.**

Address:

An address is the information you use to show:

where you live

where people can send mail to you.

or if someone wants to find you.

Addresses include:

the street number, name of the street, and the apartment or block number. Addresses also include the city, region, and zip/post code.

How to ask:

Please can I have your address?

Could you provide me with your address? (Formal)

If you are asked:

Yes, my address is:

Name,

Street,

City,

Region,

Post/zip code.

Each line ends with a comma. (,)

Example:

James Harrington,
22 Sunnyhill Road,
Plymouth,
Devon,
PL20 8b8

E-mail:

If you want to get in touch with someone after meeting each other, you may choose to contact each other via E-mail.

This is a great method of communicating worldwide quickly and for free. So we can ask for their E-mail or you could provide yours.

How to ask:

Please can have your e-mail address?

What is your e-mail?

Please could you provide me with your e-mail address?
(Formal)

As you can see it's just as simple as asking for a phone
number.

If you are asked:

Yes, my email is: englishwizzard@abc.com So when we
read out the email as: **englishwizzard at a-b-c dot com.**

Thank you:

When you have received the information from someone you
can respond with a

'Thankyou'.

This shows that you are happy to receive the information.