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Name: _____

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Reading & Vocabulary

1) Read and complete the text with the words from the table. You can choose each word only once. There is one example.

cousins	dad	best friend	sister
parents	uncle	brother	grandpa
mum	wife	grandparents	teammates
aunt	English	grandma	Australia

Hello! My name is Sara and this is my favourite photo. This is my (0) brother James. My (1) _____, Jessica, likes to make funny faces. We live in a big house with our (2) _____ in London. We like doing many activities at the weekends. I enjoy riding my bike in the park. My (3) _____ is very beautiful and she has got long blonde hair. My (4) _____ has got short black hair and he likes swimming. My (5) _____ live next to our house. We eat all together every Sunday at their house. They have a big backyard and my (6) _____ likes to play football with my dad and my brother. My mum makes all the food with my (7) _____. We sometimes call my mum's sister who doesn't live with us in Britain. They live in (8) _____ which is 20 hours far away from us. My (9) _____ and my (10) _____ come in Britain every two years and they have got two children, Mary and John. Mary is 10 years old and John is only 6 years old. He speaks (11) _____ very well. I miss my (12) _____ a lot and I can't wait to play table games with them again. My dad's brother is Nick and his (13) _____ is Mary. They live in Italy. My (14) _____ comes and sleeps with me every Saturday. Her name is Helen and she is very beautiful. We like playing basketball and we are in the same school team. We practise every Monday and Thursday for the match with our (15) _____.



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2) Read the text again and answer the following questions.

0. Where does Jessica live?

London

1. What is the name of Sara's brother?

2. What does Sara's family like doing at the weekends?

3. What does Sara like doing at the weekends?

4. When does the family eat all together?

5. How old is John?

3) Read the sentences and **circle** True (T), False (F), and Doesn't Say (DS).

0. Jessica's bike is pink. T F **DS**

1. John speaks Greek very well. T F DS

2. Sara plays football with Mary and John. T F DS

3. Nick and Mary live in Italy. T F DS

4. Helen goes to Sara's house every Friday. T F DS

5. Sara and Helen practise for the basketball matches every Tuesday and Friday. T F

DS

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Answer Key:

Exercise 1

- 1) sister
- 2) parents
- 3) mum
- 4) dad
- 5) grandparents
- 6) grandpa
- 7) grandma
- 8) Australia
- 9) aunt/uncle
- 10) uncle/ aunt
- 11) English
- 12) cousins
- 13) wife
- 14) best friend
- 15) teammates

Exercise 2

Accept one-word or full answers.

- 1) James/ His name is James/ The name of Sara's brother is James./ Sara's brother is called James.
- 2) Many activities/ They like doing many activities.
- 3) She likes riding her bike (in the park). Sara likes riding her bike (in the park).
- 4) Every Sunday/ The family eat all together every Sunday.
- 5) 6/ 6 years old/ six years old/ John is 6 years old.

Exercise 3 (10 marks)

- 1) F
- 2) F
- 3) T
- 4) F
- 5) F