

Alba's Family



1. Match the vocabulary below with the correct image:

grandfather	father and son	sisters
brothers	grandmother	mother and daughter

1. sisters	2. brothers	3. father and son
		
4. grandmother	5. mother and daughter	6. grandfather
		



2. Match the vocabulary below:

Female ♀	Male ♂
1. Great grandmother h	a) Son
2. Grandmother i	b) Brother
3. Great Aunt c	c) Great Uncle
4. Wife j	d) Nephew
5. Mother g	e) Brother-in-law
6. Mother-in-law k	f) Uncle
7. Daughter a	g) Father
8. Aunt f	h) Great grandfather
9. Sister b	i) Grandfather
10. Sister-in-law e	j) Husband
11. Cousin l	k) Father-in-law
12. Niece d	l) Cousin



3. It's Thursday afternoon. Jack and Alba are a new couple. They met on a dating app a month ago. At the moment they are sitting in a park and Alba is talking about her family. Read about Alba's family below.

I have one sister. **Her** name is Sofia and she is 38 years old. **Her** hair is blonde and **her** eyes are brown. **Our** mother's eyes are brown too. Sofia is married. **Her** husband's name is Santiago. **My** brother-in-law is a history teacher in Barcelona. I like him very much because he is very funny.

They have two children. One son and one daughter. So, I have a nephew and a niece and of course I am an Aunt. **My** nephew's name is Mateo and my niece's name is Mariana. Mateo is 6 years old and Mariana is 4 years old. I love them very much!



My sister and brother-in-law have a very big house in Barcelona. I love **their** house. It is very beautiful and it has a very big garden. I hope I can take you there one day!

Possessive Adjectives

Possessive adjectives (my/your etc.) talk about possession or belonging.

Singular	Singular
I	My
You	Your
He	His
She	Her
It	Its
Plural	Plural
We	Our
You	Your
they	Their

Possessive adjectives come before the noun.

For example: My sister lives in Spain. Her house is very big.

Our parents have a dog. Its name is Armando.

Our friends live in Barcelona. Their flat is small.

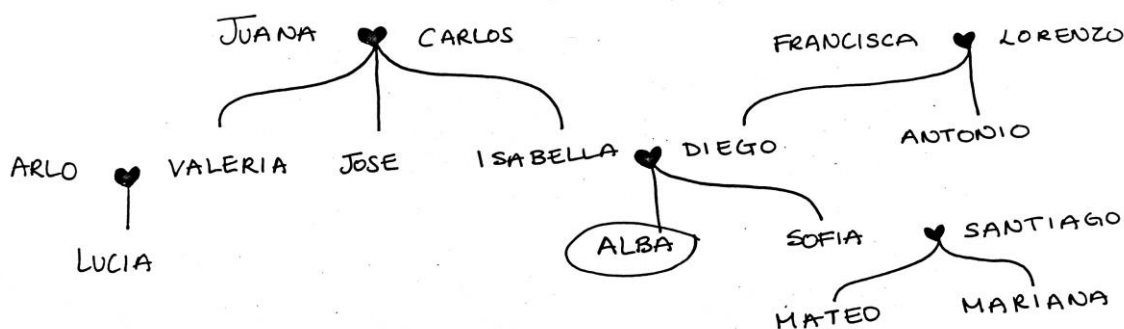


4. Read Alba's description of her family again (ex.3) and underline the possessive adjectives.

Note: We use 's when something belongs to someone.
 For example: This is Jack's book. not ~~This is the book of Jack.~~



5. Here is a simple drawing of Alba's family tree. Use the family tree and the vocabulary from ex. 2 to complete the following phrases.



1. Jose is Alba's uncle.
2. Isabella is Alba's mother.
3. Isabella is Mateo's grandmother.
4. Juana is Mateo's great grandmother.
5. Valeria is Alba's aunt.
6. Santiago is Alba's brother-in-law.
7. Mateo is Alba's nephew.
8. Mariana is Alba's niece.
9. Mariana is Mateo's sister.
10. Mateo is Mariana's brother.



6. Now make some of your own full phrases about Alba's family.

For example: Diego is Alba's father.

Note: The verb **HAVE** and **BE** are two very important verbs in English. They are also irregular.

HAVE	BE
I have	I am
You have	You are
He has	He is
She has	She is
It has	It is
We have	We are
You have	You are
They have	They are



7. Alba is showing Jack a picture of her mother. Read the information below and write a short text about Alba's mother. (Use Alaba's description in ex. 3 to help you.)



Name: Isabella
Eyes: Brown
Hair: Blonde
Age: 60
Married
Children: 2
Job: Housewife
Sister: 1 Name: Valeria Age: 65
Brother: 1 Name: Jose Age: 58

Her name is Isabella.



8. Now make some sentences about someone in your family.



9. Ask your partner the following questions:

1. How old are you?
2. What colour is your hair?
3. What colour are your eyes?
4. What is your brother/sister's name?
5. What colour is his/her hair?
6. What colour are his/her eyes?
7. How many cousins do you have?
8. How many *pets do you have? (*pet = house animal)
9. How old is your pet ?



10. Now tell the class about your partner's family.

For example:

Maria is 25 years old.

Her hair is brown.

Her sister's name is Daniela.

Her sisters's hair is black. / Daniela's hair is black.

Her sister's eyes are blue./ Daniela's eyes are blue.

She has 25 cousins.

She has one dog.

Her dog is five years old.