

2 Wedding customs

- 1 **Read** about what grooms wear in different countries. Write the country under the picture.

Brides and grooms want to look their best on their wedding day. Grooms in different countries wear different clothes. In China, grooms often wear a jacket made of red silk. In Malaysia, men wear something special on their head called a tanjak when they get married. In Scotland, some grooms wear a skirt made of wool. It's called a kilt.



2 Over to you

Complete the chart about wedding customs. Tick (✓) the spaces in the table. Then write sentences in your exercise book.

Custom	We do this where I live.	We don't do this where I live.	This sounds fun.	This doesn't sound fun.
Wedding kimonos				
Hand painting				
Wedding lei				
Throwing rice or flower petals				

Revision

Titles

Mr – for a man

Mrs – for a married woman

Miss – for an unmarried woman or girl

Ms – for a woman, married or unmarried

3 Use of English

Read the information about the teachers.
Write each teacher's title in front of
their surname.

Maria Pedra teaches Maths.

Her husband's first name is José.

Mark Grey is the only male teacher. His subject is Music.

Emma Cox doesn't like people to know if she is married or not. She teaches English.

The Science teacher Ana Lo is unmarried.



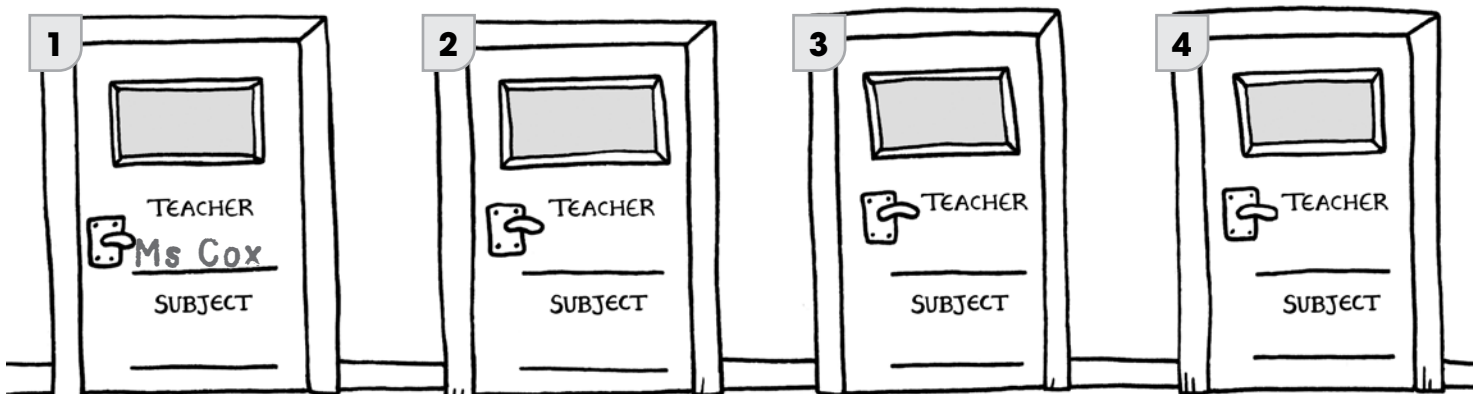
4 Read

Look at the clues below and in Activity 3. Write the name and subject on each
classroom door. Remember to use the teachers' titles.

The Science classroom is next to the English classroom.

The Music classroom is next to the Science classroom.

The Maths classroom is next to the Music classroom.



3 When I was young

1 Unscramble

Unscramble the words and write them in the box below.

1 tores

2 viehc

3 veenah

4 nigs

5 veelen

6 ebe

7 esoh

8 eilf



2 Interview

Ask eight friends what they did when they were ... and what they do now.

Name	When I was 6	When I was 8	When I was 10	Now



Challenge

What was your favourite toy when you were very young?
Write a short text about it.

4 Use of English

Last week it was Sara's birthday. Look at the picture.
Write five questions to ask Sara about her party.
Write Sara's answers too.
Use **was** or **were**. Use some of the words in the box.



a cake nice food balloons presents
friends grandmother Mum and Dad happy

1 **How old** _____ ?

Sara: I was _____ .

2 **Was there** _____ ?

Sara: _____ .

3 _____ ?

Sara: _____ .

4 _____ ?

Sara: _____ .

5 _____ ?

Sara: _____ .

Revision

Was and were

Was I (he, she) happy?

Were you (they, we) happy?

Yes, I (he, she) was. No, I (he, she) wasn't.

Yes, you (we, they) were. No, you (we, they) weren't.

Was there a cake? Yes, there was. No, there wasn't.

Were there any balloons? Yes, there were. No, there weren't.

4 Birthdays

1 Use of English

Read about birthday cakes. Write **was** or **were** in the spaces.

The ancient Greeks ¹ _____ good at making cakes. Some people think that the first birthday cake ² _____ made in ancient Greece. But the Greek cakes ³ _____ very different from the cake in the photo. They used honey to make the cakes sweet, not sugar, and the cakes ⁴ _____ flat.

Other people think a German baker ⁵ _____ the first person to make a birthday cake, three hundred years ago. German birthday cakes ⁶ _____ more like our cakes today.

Sometimes the German bakers put candles on the cake. There ⁷ _____ one candle for each year of a child's life.



2 Challenge

Do you think birthday cake is a good idea? Why or why not?
What kind of a birthday cake would you like for your birthday?
What flavour, colour and shape would you like? Write a short text.

3 Word study

Read the rhyme about months. A **leap year** is a year with one extra day – the extra day is always in February.

Count thirty days in June, September,
April and the month November.
All the rest have thirty-one,
Except for February alone.
It has twenty-eight days clear,
And twenty-nine in each leap year.

January	July
February	August
March	September
April	October
May	November
June	December

In the list of months, circle all the months with 30 days. Underline all the months with 31 days. Write a star (*) next to the shortest month. Now write the months in alphabetical order.

Revision

We write:

17th October.

We say: **on the seventeenth of October.**

4 Use of English

Write today's date. _____

Write the date of your birthday. _____

Write the name and date of an important festival in your country.

5 Word study

Write the name of the place that each word comes from. (Look at Learner's Book page 27 if you can't remember.) Then colour the flag in the right colours.

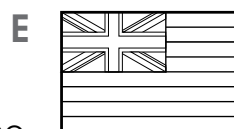
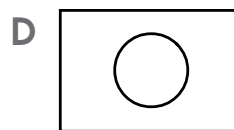
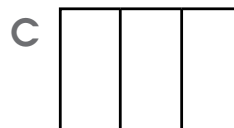
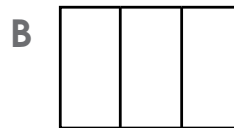
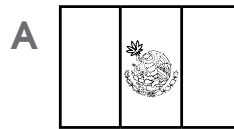
A piñata _____

B pizza _____

C café _____

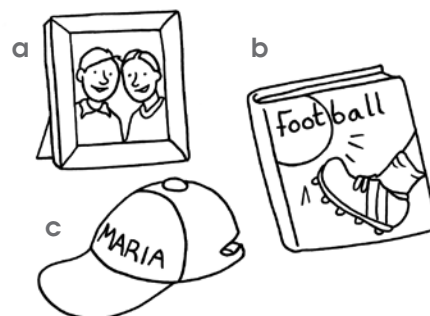
D kimono _____

E lei _____



6 Write

Match the labels with the presents. Draw a line.



You have three presents. Give each present to one person.

Who are you giving each present to?

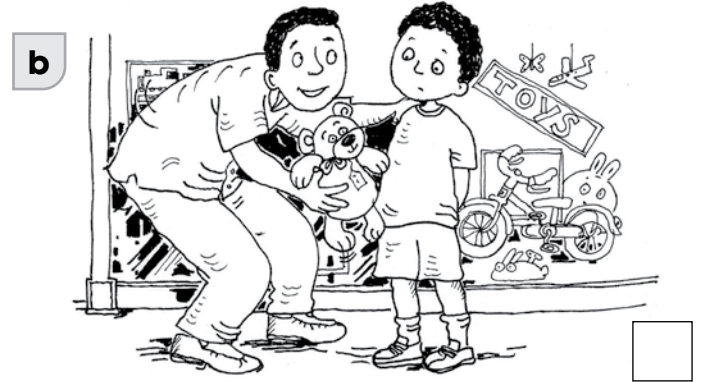
Write the person's name on the tag. Then write a short text about:

- the present
- who you are giving the present to and
- why are you giving this person a present.

5 Special memories

1 Read

Write the jumbled sentences correctly under each picture. Then number the pictures 1-4 in the correct order.



me teddy bought a bear. Dad new
 forgot Bruno. We
 Bruno. bear a I had teddy called
 sat rock while played. My bear teddy a on we

2 Word study

Write the opposite of each word. Clue: all the answers are in the stories in the Learner's Book on pages 28-30.

winter _____ remembered _____ sad _____

young _____ short _____ early _____



Challenge

Have you ever lost something important to you?
 What happened? How did you feel?
 Write three or four sentences.



4 Read

Look at 'A proud memory' on page 29 of the Learner's Book again. Answer the questions.

1 Why did Grandpa and Ling climb the mountain?

2 Could the girl climb the mountain?

3 Was Grandpa sad at the top of the mountain?

4 What did they do at the top?

5 Write

Grandpa made a certificate for Ling. A certificate is a thing that you give to somebody when they do something special – for example, if they win a race.

Finish the words that Grandpa wrote.



Certificate

Well done, Ling!

On 22nd August 2013 you

I am _____

of you!

Signed _____



6 Quiz

67 Listen

Listen and tick (✓) the box. Write a sentence for each correct picture.

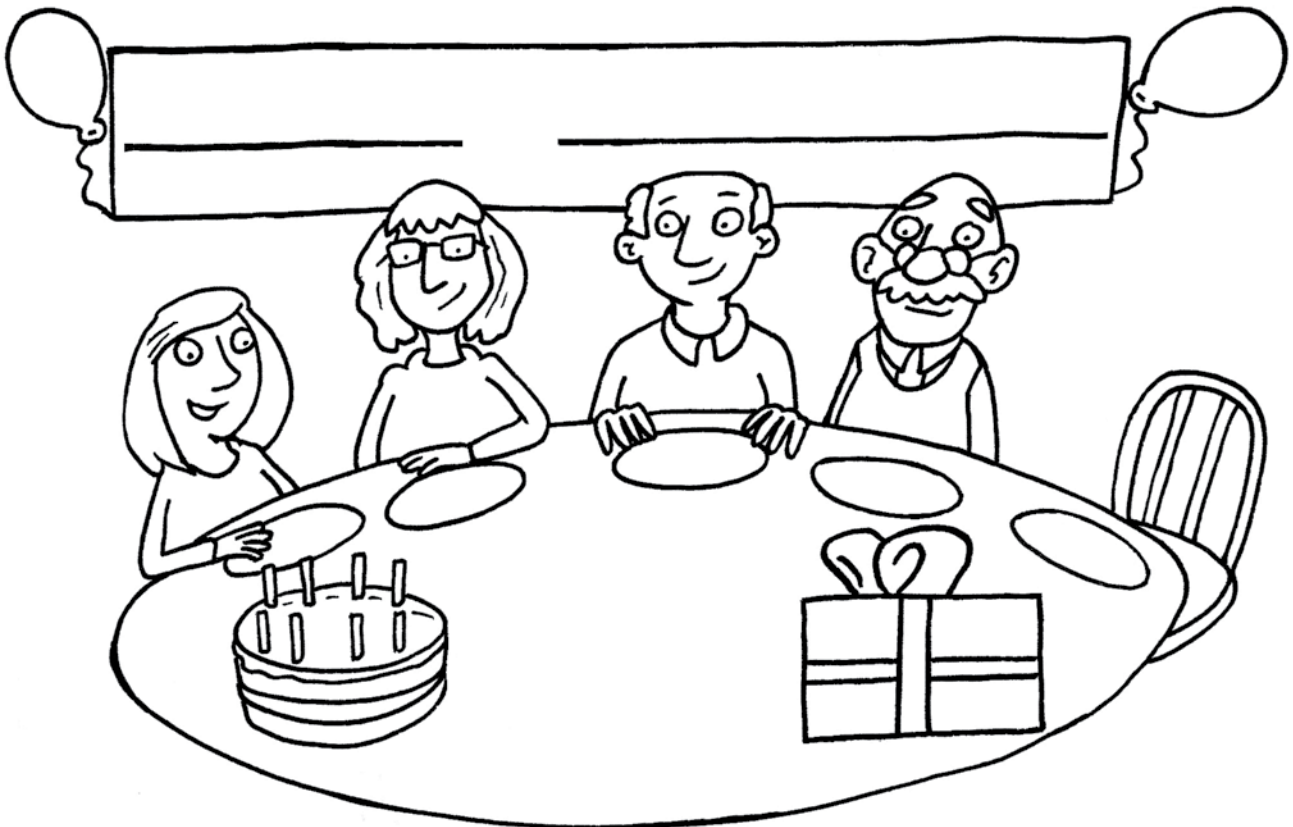
1 Who is talking? _____



2 Who made the cake? _____



3 Look at the picture. Listen, draw and write.



Read

Read and circle the best answer.

6 Teacher: This unit was about family memories. What did you learn about?

Child: **A** Yes, it was very interesting.

B I went to my aunt and uncle's wedding.

C Now I know more about weddings and birthdays in different countries.

7–9 **Write** the missing words.

When my best friend ⁷ _____ eight, she had

a birthday party. All my friends ⁸ _____

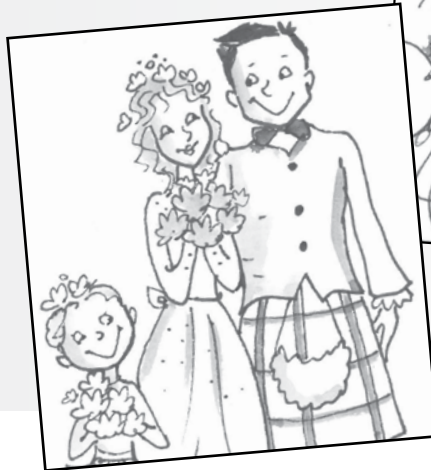
to the party. But I ⁹ _____

go because it was my sister's
wedding on the same day!

All in all we ¹⁰ _____

great fun and ¹¹ _____

a lot of photos.



Read and write

10 Which would you like to go to: a wedding or a birthday party? Why?

My global progress

Think about the activities you did in this unit. Answer the questions.

What were you good at? Name one or two activities.

What did you find difficult? Name one or two activities.

7 Dictionary

Unit 2

wedding	Today is my sister's wedding.	Hochzeit
Greece	We went to Greece last summer.	Griechenland
bride	The bride looks so beautiful.	Braut
groom	The groom is nervous.	Bräutigam
aunt	My aunt works at my school.	Tante
uncle	Is your uncle a painter?	Onkel
cousin	I have five cousins.	Cousin(-e)
photographer	The photographer took many pictures.	Fotograf
napkin	My sister wanted yellow napkins for her wedding.	Serviette
cloth	She had a small green cloth in her hand.	Stoff
to fold	I folded the paper to make an airplane.	falten
fan	We folded napkins to make fans.	Fächer
diagonally	Fold the paper diagonally.	diagonal
custom	What wedding customs do you have in your country?	Brauch
traditional	We had a traditional wedding cake.	traditionell
silk	Her dress is made of silk.	Seide
petal	We put rose petals on the tables.	Blumenblatt
to decorate	My mum and aunt decorated our house.	dekoriieren
pattern	Your shirt has a nice pattern.	Muster
necklace	She lost her necklace.	Halskette
to marry	My mum married my dad a long time ago.	heiraten
value	What is the value of her necklace?	Wert
nearly	I nearly missed the bus.	beinahe, fast
hardly	We hardly eat any sweets.	kaum
alive	The old turtle is still alive.	lebendig
clever	My best friend is very clever.	klug, schlau
rich	Your uncle has a big house. He must be rich.	reich
string	A piece of string is hanging from your trousers.	Schnur
coin	I found a 2 Euro coin on the street.	Münze
cardboard	I need a small cardboard box for her necklace.	Karton

container	Put the milk in the white container.	Behälter
shape	What shape is their wedding cake?	Form
memory	I have good memories of our last holiday.	Erinnerung
proud	My mum is very proud of us.	stolz
to invite	My sister invited seven friends to her birthday party.	einladen
far	How far is it?	weit
picnic	My dad went on a picnic with us.	Picknick
bridesmaid	Her best friend and sister are the bridesmaids.	Brautjungfer
banquet	The wedding had a big banquet.	Festmahl
hide and seek	The children played hide and seek outside.	Versteckenspiel