

Relationships

1 Write a relationship word for each definition.

A person who lives next door or very near to you.
neighbour

- A person whose job is to give orders to others at work.

- A mother or father of a person. _____
- A person who you know but is not a close friend.

- A member of your family. _____
- A person who works at the same place as you.

- A person who's in the same class as you at school.

2 Correct the underlined mistakes in the sentences.

They said they would get on well after the interview, but I haven't heard from them yet. *in touch*

- My classmate never cleans up the kitchen after she's used it. It's the big problem with sharing a flat!

- We were going out together, but now he's my acquaintance, I can't stand him! _____
- Mia doesn't get together with her sister. They're always arguing. _____
- I like getting in touch with my family at the weekends. We usually have a meal at my mum's house.

Appearance and personality

3 Complete the text with the words in the list.

casual ■ clean-shaven ■ good-looking ■ scruffy ■ medium height ■ skinny ■ slim ■ spiky ■ tanned

My best friend James is eighteen years old. He's always *clean-shaven* and he's got short, (1) _____ hair that stands up on his head. He loves playing basketball, although he's only of (2) _____. He's quite (3) _____ because he plays a lot of sport, although he isn't (4) _____ because he likes eating a lot too! He's always (5) _____ in the summer because he spends so long outside in the sun. When he's not in sports clothes, he wears (6) _____ clothes like jeans and T-shirts, although he's never (7) _____ and he always looks clean and tidy. All the girls in my class think he's very (8) _____!

4 Complete the sentences with antonyms for the underlined words.

Jack isn't lazy. He's really *hard-working*.

- Kirsty isn't very outgoing. She's quiet and _____.
- It isn't true that the English are _____. They're quite *friendly* when you get to know them.
- Fun-loving? Oliver? He's _____ and never smiles!
- He seems like a _____ person at first, but he's really cold and only cares about himself.
- Peter isn't stupid. He's _____ and always does the right thing.
- Some people think she's insensitive, but it's not true. She always helps other people and is very _____.

Verb + *-ing* form / *to* infinitive

5 Complete the text with the correct form of the **bold** verbs. In *one* case, there is more than one possible answer.

Hi! My name's Isabella and I live in Brinklow, a small village in the middle of England. To be honest, I can't stand *living (live)* here. I prefer big cities and I can't wait (1) _____ (**go**) to university next year. Everybody knows what you're doing in a village and I hate (2) _____ (**listen**) to the neighbours when they gossip. I want (3) _____ (**study**) French and Spanish at a university in London. I enjoy (4) _____ (**speak**) foreign languages and I would like (5) _____ (**travel**) abroad when I finish university. I've got to escape from Brinklow!

6 Correct the underlined mistakes in the sentences.

We love play tennis and we usually have a game every weekend. *to play / playing*

- Amy says she can't wait buying her wedding dress.

- A lot of people hating shopping, but I really enjoy it.

- Would you like seeing the new Angelina Jolie film?

- Jason can't stand to get low marks for his homework.

- They want to seeing the final, but they can't afford the tickets. _____