

TALKING ABOUT FAMILY AND HOBBIES

Vocabulary Builder

Part One

FAMILY MATTERS

è **Task 1: Read about Emily and her family. Look up the words you do not understand in a dictionary. Then write a short text about yourself. Use the words from the box below.**

(Lesen Sie den Text über Emily und ihre Familie. Schlagen Sie die Wörter, die Sie nicht verstehen in einem Wörterbuch nach. Dann, schreiben Sie einen kurzen Text über sich selbst und ihre Familie. Nehmen Sie die Wörter aus dem Kästchen unter dem Text zur Hilfe.)



Hi, my name is Emily. I am 36 years old and I am from the UK. I am married and I live with my family in Birmingham. My husband's name is George. He is 40 years old. We have two children. A boy named Jim, eight years and a girl named Fiona, six years. They go to school in Birmingham. We live in a house with a small garden in a quiet road. Our dog's name is Ridley, because my husband is a huge fan of the film director Ridley Scott.

George is an engineer and he works with a company in Dudley. I am a system analyst and I work with a company in the city centre. I only work part-time, because of the children. My husband works full-time.

I have two brothers and one sister. My sister lives in Dublin, Ireland. She is single and works as a secretary at the University Library. My brothers live in London. Sam is divorced and lives with his three cats in a flat in the north of London. His two sons visit him every weekend. Henry is married and lives with his wife Laura and his three daughters in West London. My whole family meets every year for New Year's Eve in London. I love my job and my family.

Vocab Corner:

married – verheiratet
divorced – geschieden
single – alleinstehend
son – Sohn
daughter – Tochter
sister – Schwester
brother – Bruder
parents – Eltern
uncle – Onkel
aunt – Tante
grandparents – Großeltern

mother – Mutter
father – Vater
pet – Haustier
dog – Hund
cat – Katze
siblings – Geschwister
husband – Ehemann
wife – Ehefrau
child / children – Kind / Kinder
friend – Freund, Freundin

Part Two

HOBBIES

è **Task 1: Match the names of the hobbies with the pictures**

(Benennen Sie die Aktivitäten auf den Bildern)

going to the cinema // cycling // hiking // reading books // playing football //skiing // listening to music // swimming

a) _____



b) _____



c) _____



d) _____



e) _____



f) _____



g) _____



h) _____



-> Task 2: Your Turn: Can you think of any other hobbies? Name at least five more!

(Jetzt sind Sie an der Reihe! Ihnen fallen bestimmt noch mehr Hobbies ein. Schreiben Sie mindestens fünf auf! Auf Englisch natürlich ...)
