

Vocabulary/ Expressions	
Nuclear family	(n) – a family consisting of the parents and their children
Extended family	(n) – a family unit that includes grandmothers, grandfathers, aunts, uncles, and cousins in addition to parents and children
Single parent	(n) – someone who has a child or children but no husband, wife, or partner who lives with them
Sibling	(n) – a brother or sister
Relative	(n) – a member of your family
Grow up	(phrasal verb) – to go from being a child to an adult
Divorce	(n or v) – a legal process to end a marriage
Childcare	(n) – the care of children by a day-care center, babysitter, or other providers while parents are working
Your own flesh and blood	(idiom) – a member of your family
It runs in the family	(idiom) – an ability that is passed on through the generations

## PART 1 QUESTIONS

Here are possible questions that might come up during the test. Go over them with your tutor.

### Family

- How many people are there in your family?
- What do you like to do together?
- Who is your favorite family member?

## PART 2&3 QUESTIONS

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### Sample A

#### Part 2 Questions

- Describe a happy childhood memory. You should say:
  - when it happened
  - who was with you
  - how you felt at the time
  - and why you remember this specific time.

#### Part 3 Questions

- What do role models provide children?
- How does TV influence children in a bad way?

### Part 1 Questions

- **How many people are there in your family?**
  - Besides my mom and dad, I have three siblings to include two brothers and one sister. I have to say, I'm the third child to be born to some awesome parents.
- **What do you like to do together?**
  - Since we are all adults and don't live together, we spend very little time together. However, when we reunite it's normally for a holiday such as Thanksgiving or Christmas.
- **Who is your favorite family member?**
  - When it comes to family I don't have a favorite, because all of my family members are equally as important, especially my nuclear family.

### Sample A

#### Part 2 Questions

- Describe a happy childhood memory. You should say:
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  - and why you remember this specific time.

I have so many joyful memories of me growing up, but sometimes I can't think of them? Hmm, let me see? This is not exactly a happy memory, but it ended up in a happy way.

I remember when I was starting 9th grade in high school. It was my first year, so I was the new kid on the block along with the rest of my classmates. My older brother and sister were upperclassmen, therefore I was not nervous or intimidated by the older students. Boy, was I wrong!

My older brother's classmates, especially the women, knew I was the younger brother. On the first day of school, they made it a point to embarrass me by teasing me in front of my fellow classmates, but also my brother. They blew kisses at me and called me little Johnny until I was red in the face with embarrassment. I ended up running into the bathroom to get away from it all. I stayed in the bathroom until I heard the bell for classes to begin.

I remember, ummm, peeking out the door to make sure none of my brother's friends were around. After seeing that the coast was clear, I made a mad dash for my class. I made it just in time, but as I entered the class, I saw all my classmates laughing at me. They were calling me little Johnny also!

Looking back on this memory, I would have to say it was probably one of the most embarrassing times in my life. However, it was all in fun and I gained the nickname, Johnny. To this day, my family and good friends call me Johnny.

#### Part 3 Questions

- **How do role models influence children?**
  - This is a good question, and it's important that every child has good role models while growing up. These people set good examples for children to learn by. Some of these people turn out to be mentors like parents, relatives, or even teachers. A good role model teaches right from wrong, provides support, and encourages success. Unfortunately, there are some bad role models in life, who teach children bad habits like smoking and drinking.
- **How does TV influence children in a bad way?**
  - Not all TV programs affect kids in a negative way, although I would have to say lots of them are not suitable for children. It seems to me that the content on TV has changed over the years and keeps getting worse. This alone shows kids that maybe violence, profanity, and killing is acceptable in society.