

2 The way we live

Present tenses • have/have got • Collocation • daily life • Making conversation

STARTER

These flags all belong to English-speaking countries. Write the name of the country.

 1 _____	 2 _____	 3 _____
 4 _____	 5 _____	 6 _____

The United States
Canada
Australia
New Zealand
South Africa
Scotland

PEOPLE AND PLACES

Present tenses and *have/have got*

1 Read the texts. Match a country from the Starter with a text and a photograph.

Complete the texts with the words from

b favourite variety has only

This is the second biggest country in the world, but it has a population of _____ 30 million. It is so big that there is a _____ of climates. Most people live in



PRACTICE

Talking about you

1 Practise the forms of *have* and *have got* in the question, negative, and short answer.

Do you have a car? Yes, I do. No, I don't.

Have you got a car? Yes, I have. No, I haven't.

I don't have a computer. I haven't got a computer.

T22 Listen and repeat.

2 Ask and answer about these things with a partner, using *have* or *have got*:

- a computer
- a credit card
- brothers and sisters
- a stereo
- a Walkman
- your parents/a holiday home
- a camera
- a mobile phone
- your sister/a car
- a bicycle
- a pet
- your brother/a motorbike

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Nicole, 15	Texas, the United States	two brothers and a dog!	student at high school	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> listens to music Florida or Mexico 	getting ready to go out
Jeff, 54, and Wendy, 53	Melbourne, Australia	one daughter and three grandchildren	He ... office. She ... hairdresser.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> tennis, swimming Bali every summer 	having a barbecue in the back yard

Write questions to find the information about the people in your chart.

- Town/country** • Where does he ... from?
- Family** • ... married? • Has he got ...?
• Does she have ...? • How many ...?
- Occupation** • What ... do?
- Free time/holiday** • What does she ... in her free time?
• Where ... go on holiday?
- Present activity** • What ... doing at the moment?

T23 Listen and compare.

4 Ask and answer questions with your partner to complete



5 Think of questions to ask about free time and holiday activities.

- What do you do in your free time?
- What do ... at the weekend?
- ... any sports?
- Do you like ...?
- Where ... holiday?
- Do ... winter holiday?

Stand up! Ask two or three students your questions. Use short answers when necessary. Find out who has the most hobbies and holidays.

Do you like skiing?

No, I don't.

Check it

6 Tick (✓) the correct sentence.

- ☐ Where you go on holiday?
☐ Where do you go on holiday?
- ☐ Do you have any children?
☐ Do you have got any children?
- ☐ I'm Hans. I'm coming from Germany.
☐ I'm Hans. I come from Germany.
- ☐ This is a great party! Everyone is dancing.
☐ This is a great party! Everyone

VOCABULARY

Daily life

1 Match the verbs and nouns.

have	a film on TV	make	to music
wash	to my friends	listen	my homework
watch	my hair	relax	a cup of tea
talk	breakfast	do	on the sofa

have	posters on the wall	cook	magazines
clear up	the mess	go	a meal
do	a shower	put on	make-up
have/put	the washing-up	read	to the toilet

T24 Listen and check.

2 Match the activities from exercise 1 with the correct room.

<p>Kitchen</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Living room</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>Bathroom</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Bedroom</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>
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3 Do you like where you live? Choose your favourite room. What do you



READING AND SPEAKING

Living in the USA

- 1 Close your eyes and think of the United States. Write down the first five things you think of.

The Empire State Building
Cheeseburger and fries

Compare your list with other students.

- 2 Read the introduction to the magazine article. Then work in three groups.

Group A Read about Roberto.

Group B Read about Endre.

Group C Read about Yuet Tung.

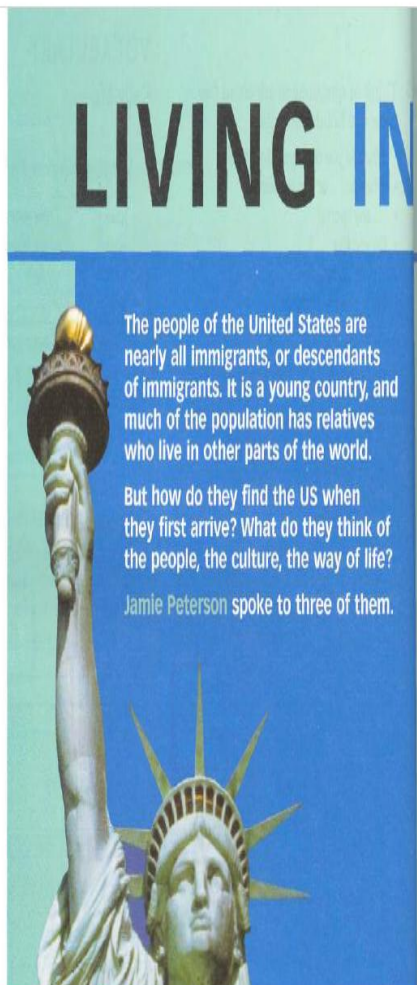
- 3 Answer the questions.

- 1 Why and when did he/she come to the US?
- 2 What does he/she do?
- 3 What does he/she like about living in the US?
- 4 What was difficult at the beginning?

- 4 Find a partner from each of the other two groups. Compare the three people.

- 5 Answer the questions with your group.

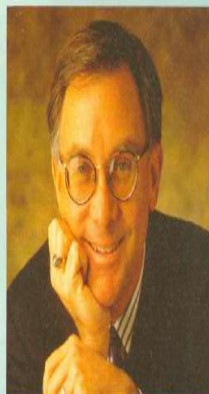
- 1 What do the people have in common?
- 2 Are they all happy living in the US?
- 3 Who has other members of their family living there?





Roberto Solano
aged 24, from Mexico

Roberto came from Acapulco to New York ten years ago. At first he missed everything – the sunshine, the food, his girlfriend. But now he has a successful business with his three brothers and his sister. They run a soccer store in New Brunswick. Roberto's girlfriend is now his wife, and they have two children who go to American



Endre Boros
aged 45, from Hungary

Endre is a mathematician at Rutgers University, New Jersey. He came from Budapest thirteen years ago. 'I had an opportunity to come here for two years.' After a year, his wife came to join him, and since then they've had a daughter, so they decided to stay. 'At first it was very strange.



Yuet Tung
aged 31, from Hong Kong

Yuet Tung is her Chinese name, but in English she's known as Clara. She came to the US eight years ago and studied fine art. Now she works on Madison Avenue for a publisher. She married a Vietnamese American three years ago, and they live in Long Island. They don't have any children yet.

LISTENING AND SPEAKING

You drive me mad (but I love you)!

1 Complete these sentences about the people in your life. Tell a partner.

- My mother/father drives me mad when she/he ...
- I don't like people who ...
- I hate it when my boyfriend/girlfriend ...
- It really annoys me when friends ...

2 Choose one person in your life. What annoying habits does he/she have?

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| Does he/she ...? | Is he/she ...? |
| • always arrive late | • untidy |
| • talk too loudly | • always on the phone |
| • leave things on the floor | • never on time |

What annoying habits do you have? Discuss with your partner.

3 You are going to listen to a radio programme called *Home Truths*. Two couples, Carol and Mike, and Dave and Alison, talk about their partner's annoying habits. Look at the pictures below. What are their annoying habits?

T 2.5 Listen and write the correct names under each picture below.



What does she like best? 'The space. Here I live in a house with a yard. In Hong Kong it is so crowded. And the people are friendly. When I go jogging, everyone says "Hi!" And the food is from every country in the world.'