

Rozwiązania zadań proszę przesłać na mój adres mailowy: magdalenawalczak13@wp.pl

Good luck!

1. Which options are correct?

Last Friday I attended my friend Daniel's wedding *reception / ceremony* at the city hall. (Daniel and his fiancée are not religious and it was a *church / civil* wedding). In fact, I didn't just attend it; as Daniel's oldest friend, I was his *best man / groom*. I had to hand the *wedding bands / bouquets* to the *registrar / priest* at the right moment for the couple to exchange them. The *groom / bride* didn't wear a white veil, but she had a very pretty dress. There were even three of her friends acting as *newlyweds / bridesmaids*.

2. Read the text and complete each gap with one word below in the correct form.

There are two more words.

lonely lose sympathy gain incredible exist

Do people nowadays have more friends than before? What does friendship stand for in the era of social media?

On the one hand, social networking sites make it _____ easy to meet new people and stay in touch. They promote bonding and increased communication.

At the same time, we live in a society where the word 'friend' _____ its true meaning over the years – friendship does not mean the same as it used to. You can have thousands of virtual friends and still feel the _____ person in the world. Relationship experts claim that our capacity for maintaining emotionally close relationships is finite. At any point, individuals are able to keep up close relationships with only a small number of people, so that new friendships come at the expense of loosening contact with _____ friends.

Whatever your definition of friendship, the bottom line is, we all need friends in our lives.

3. Answer the questions.

1. Your husband or wife is your
a) spouse b) sibling c) offspring
2. Which two people would you expect to see at a wedding
a) registrar b) groom c) midwife
3. Which two things do you need if you have a baby
a) nappies b) a cot c) a veil
4. Someone you travel with is your *travelling*
a) acquaintance b) colleague c) companion
5. What should you do after you've *fallen out* with someone you care for?
a) tell him or her off
b) make up

c) split up

6. Which preposition completes both sentences?

- He's asked me _____.

- We really should sort _____ this problem.

4. Complete the sentences with the words below. Use the plural where necessary.

ancestor, godmother, great-uncle, half-sister, husband-to-be, in-laws, offspring, sibling, spouse, stepmother

1. My father's company held a party for employees and their _____, but my Mum didn't want to go and I went instead of her.

2. A new medical study suggests there is a link between obesity in parents and various health problems in their _____.

3. When Saskia and her brother were younger, they fought so much that their Mum bought a book on conflicts between _____.

4. Uncle Larry is really my _____, my grandma's brother.

5. Emily's getting married soon. Last weekend we met her _____ for the first time.

6. Margaret and Alice are _____; they've got the same mum but different fathers.

7. I actually like my _____. My husband's mum is very open-minded and his father's a real darling.

8. Do you remember the tale of Cinderella? She had an evil _____, her father's second wife, and a fairy _____ who helped her.

9. The people in these paintings are my _____ who lived in the 18th and 19th century.

5. Choose the correct tense.

1. What **do you do / are you doing** on Sunday afternoons?

2. She **likes / is liking** watching TV in the evenings.

3. **Do you want / Are you wanting** to go to the shopping centre?

4. She usually **plays / is playing** video games on Saturdays.

5. Oh no! It **rains / is raining** now.

6. They **get / are getting** married in June.

7. The bus **leaves / is leaving** at 6:15 a.m.

8. We **stay / are staying** with Molly these days.

9. Tony **lives / is living** in Los Angeles.

10. We **don't want / aren't wanting** to go abroad this summer.