

23 Read and write *True, False or I don't know*.

Hi, my name is John. I have a big family. I have got four brothers and two sisters. I am the youngest child. They call me the baby of the family! I am happy to have a big family. Our house is noisy and fun. I always have somebody to play with and my older brothers and sisters look after me.

Hello, I'm Rachel. I have a small family. It's just me and my mum and dad. I like being an only child. My parents always have lots of time to play with me and help me. I don't feel lonely because my cousin lives near me. We ride our bikes together at the weekend.



- 1 John's family is bigger than Rachel's family.
- 2 John is the oldest in his family.
- 3 Rachel has one brother.
- 4 Rachel doesn't feel lonely.
- 5 Rachel's grandmother lives near her.
- 6 Both John and Rachel are happy with their families.

True

24 Think and write.

BIG FAMILY		SMALL FAMILY	
advantages	disadvantages	advantages	disadvantages

25 Answer the questions.

- 1 How big is your family?

- 2 Which type of family do you prefer?

I think I like a _____ family because _____