

## READING 1 - Pepa's family

**Hello, how are you?** Are you fine? And where are you from? What are you like and how old are you?

My name is **Pepa** Novák, I'm thirty-seven years old and I'm from Vidlákov. It's not in the United States and it isn't in Mexico **either**. It is in the Czech Republic. So I'm not American and I'm not Mexican **either**. I am Czech. And this is my family:

My wife's name is **Jane** Nováková. She is American **because** her family is from Florida. She is a very pretty woman. She is quite young **because** she's only twenty-eight years old. She is nice and **attractive** and she is quite clever too. She is a good wife and a very good mother. My wife is a fantastic cook! Our two children are "**little Pepa**" and "**little Jane**". Our son is eight and our daughter is six years old. Their big friend is **Joey**. It's big and white. And what is it like? It is fast and clever, but it's very lazy too. Little Pepa and Little Jane's **half-brother** is **Mark**. He is from Prague and he's Jane's **stepson**. He's seventeen.

My brother is a great doctor. He is very hard-working. His name is **Franta**, his surname is Novák, he's forty-two and he's married. His wife is **Perla**, her surnames are Sanchez and Nováková. Franta's wife's a **36-year-old** nurse. Franta and Perla are from Madrid. It's in **Spain**. Their children's names are **Carlos** and **Rosa**. They are **twins**.

Carlos and Rosa are babies **because** they're only five **months** old. One day Carlos **will be** a very good doctor. He's my nephew and I'm his uncle. Jane is his aunt. Carlos and Rosa's grandparents are my and Franta's parents. Their names are **Alois** and **Silva** and they're from Sosnová. They are quite old, they're eighty-five and eighty-three years old. They are slow because their legs are short and lazy. **Poor** Alois and Silva! Their last name is also Novák. Alois and Silva are **pensioners**. But **when** they **were** young, Alois **was** a hard-working farmer and Silva was a housewife. **When** they **were** young, they **were** quite happy people. **Now** they are sad.

Jane's sister is **Kate**. Her last name is Brown. She is a **25-year-old** dentist. She is tall, her eyes are big and her **face** is nice too. But she isn't so pretty. She says: "**Pepa, I'm your fantastic sister-in-law!**". Kate isn't married but her boyfriend's name is **Pedro**. He's **Mexican**, he's twenty-three and he's **unemployed**. He is from Papantla, but his girlfriend is from Florida. And her parents are from Florida too. I'm their son-in-law. **Linda** is forty-nine years old, she's quite a young grandmother and she's also **unemployed**. Two years **ago** she **was** a **tailor**. Her husband, my father-in-law, is a **50-year-old** businessman. **When** he **was** young, he **was also** a **police officer** and a **fire fighter**. He's not an old grandfather and he isn't stupid **at all**. And he's quite **rich**. That's good! Their car is new and fast and their house is very big. Linda and **Rick** are my children's grandparents. They are nice, but they are **divorced**. Their family name is Brown, but Linda isn't Rick's wife and he isn't her husband **either**. Isn't it interesting?

And what about your family? What are they like? Tell me about your family!

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**task 1:** Write right **names** into the picture on the next page ... Name the people according to the text above.  
(dle informací v textu vpište do rámečků na další stránce jména všech osob, o kterých se Pepa zmiňuje)

**task 2:** Try to guess the meaning of the red words ... (zkuste odhadnout význam červených slov)

**task 3:** Write a short story about your family ... (napište krátký příběh o vaší rodině)

