People around you vocabulary
describing people vocabulary/ relationships vocabulary
New Cutting Edge Intermediate Module 1

Test each other on the meaning, spelling, pronunciation etc of the following words:

great great grandfather	mate	partner
fiancé	fiancée	ex
acquaintance	classmate	pal
stepfather	half sister	
younger brother/ little brother	youngest brother/ baby brother	
aunt	best friend	roommate
colleague	workmate	flatmate
housemate	stranger	passerby
relative	niece	nephew
tutor/ homeroom teacher	private tutor/ one to one teacher	
boss	line manager	
sibling	spouse	neighbour
next door neighbour	pen pal	ancestor
descendant	mum/ mom	
mistress	trophy wife	steady boyfriend
great uncle	in-laws	twin
employer	employee	close friend
best friend	fling	grandchild
birth parent	foster parent	homeboy
buddy	school friend	old friend
gran/ nan	second cousin	father-in-law

When your teacher stops you, ask about any which you aren't sure about, then put the words above into these categories:

Family	Romance	Friends	Work and studies	Other

Check as a class, then find things in common about people you know covering all the categories above, e.g. "I've got two older brothers" "Me too" *and* "I don't know my neighbours" "Neither do I".

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