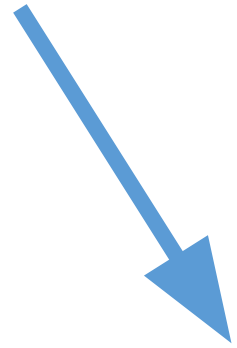
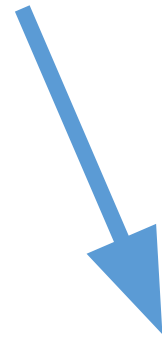
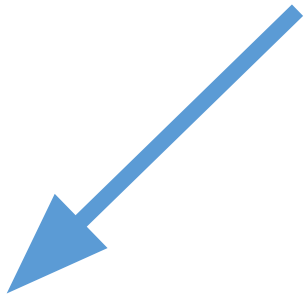
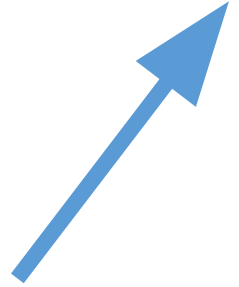
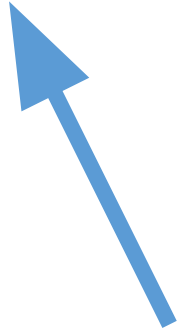




Entertainment



Describing pictures

- **What is in the picture?**

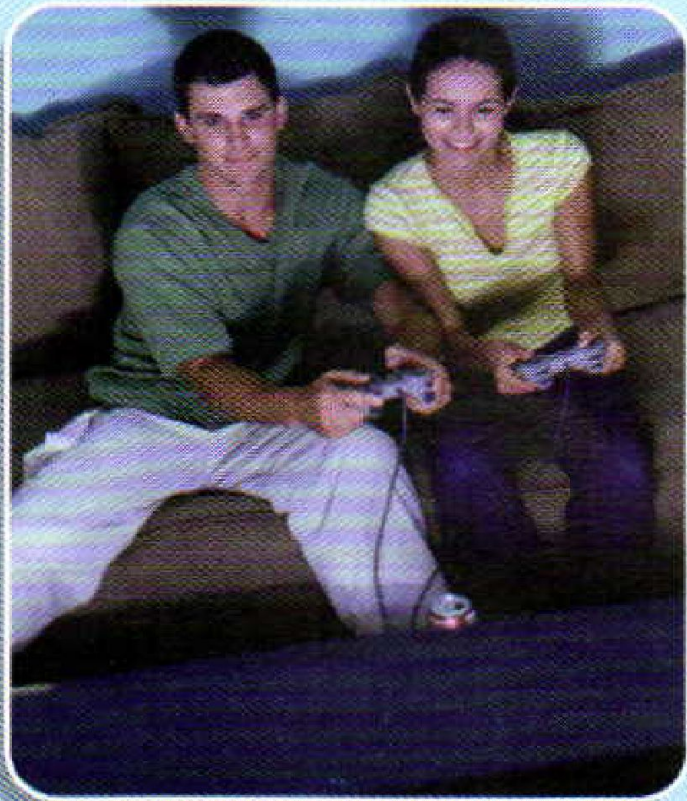
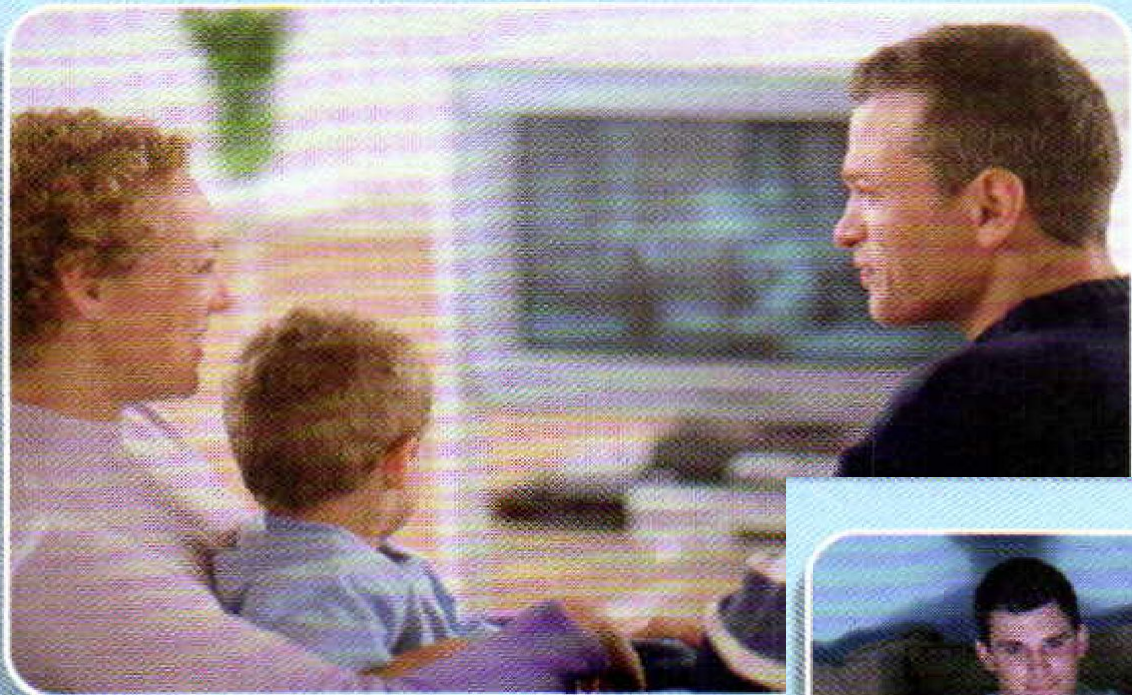
In the picture I can see ...

There's / There are ...

- **Say what is happening(use PrCont.)**

The people are ...ing





- A** Theatre for all the family
- B** An unhealthy habit
- C** A developing talent
- D** Healthy eating
- E** Unusual, useful learning
- F** Better in the theatre
- G** Talent finally recognised
- H** Enjoyable, but hard work

Healthy eating

1 Fresh from his campaign to improve the quality of meals offered to children in British schools, television celebrity and well-known chef Jamie Oliver is on the warpath again. In his new television series, Jamie's Ministry of Food, he will try to improve the quality of food offered to children in their homes. According to Jamie, very few parents know the basic principles of cooking, so their children are being raised on an unhealthy diet of junk food.

**Improve
On the warpath
Basic
Principles
To raise
children-bring up
Junk food**

Talent finally recognized

2 Last night was the night to be in downtown Hollywood. Everyone who is anyone was there, either on the red carpet itself, or as a spectator on the sidelines. Cameras flashed and fans applauded as the stars exited their luxurious cars and entered the theatre for the event that everyone had been waiting for. The highlight of the evening was when the gorgeous and gifted Ms Cameron held the prize she had waited so many years to get high above her head and tearfully dedicated it to her mother.

Downtown

Spectator

Everyone who is anyone

To applaud

Exit-entrance

The highlight

Gorgeous

Gifted

Tearfully

To dedicate smth to sb

Theatre for all the family

3 Why not do something a bit different with your children this Christmas holiday? The TipTop Children's Theatre's latest production for the holiday season is a series of puppet shows based on some of the most popular pantomime stories. Each week in December there will be a different, thrilling puppet pantomime for you and your children to enjoy. What's more, every child who attends will receive a puppet as a Christmas present. Be sure to book early or you could miss out!

Latest production
Puppet show
Pantomime
Thrilling
Attend
Receive
book beforehand

An unhealthy habit

4 Shocking though it may seem, research shows that most American children spend at least four hours a day sitting in front of the box. What that means is that over a year-long period, these children watch over 1,000 hours of TV. Many experts are worried about the effects of this on children's health. To make matters worse, experts have also discovered that 70% of childcare centres in the US have at least one TV on their premises.

A year-long period
Effect-affect
To make matters
worse
Premise

Better in the theatre

5 A sudden hush descended as the magician walked onto the stage. The lights dimmed and not a sound could be heard as the people in the packed auditorium held their breath and waited for the entertainment to begin. For the next hour the magician performed tricks that had everyone gasping in amazed delight. Only in such a setting could this show be truly appreciated; for some strange reason it just wouldn't have been as impressive if it had been on television.

Suddenly

Hush

To descend

To dim

To be packed

To hold one's breath

To gasp

Delight

To appreciate

Unusual useful learning

6 The Newford Leisure Centre, which is known for coming up with innovative concepts to attract new members, will be running workshops on circus skills for beginners this summer. The workshops are scheduled to begin later this month with an introduction to juggling. Kirsten Hynde, one of the UK's top jugglers, will be leading the course. She says that the course will not only be great fun but that it will do wonders for your general coordination skills.

To be known for...
To come up
Innovative
To run a workshop
Skills
A schedule
To lead
Do wonders
Perform tricks

A developing talent

7 Kate Daniels is not your typical teenager. Discovered by a record producer just over a month ago, this accomplished young lady has become a star practically overnight. Her mornings are filled with practising her scales and her afternoons are taken up with recording an album of her songs. Kate has stopped attending classes and now has all her lessons with a private teacher.

Typical

To accomplish

An overnight

Practice smb scales

To take up

Private teacher

5 **Fill in:** overnight, popular, wonders, holiday, run, junk, childcare, to make, latest, packed, cost. **Use the phrases in sentences of your own.**

1 food

2 matters worse

3 centre

4 auditorium

5 stories

6 season

7 production

8 do

9 workshops

10 become a star