

to produce something

to do to perform an action

1. the decorations

4. a phone

call

2. the dusting 3. your homework

5. the 6

gardening 5

7. a special dish 8. the washing-up

tea

9. the shopping



10. a cake

Who are the people in the pictures?

Rosa's Dad

Aunt Betsie

Grandma

Clara and Steve

the twins

Mum



Read the e-mail from Rosa and answer the questions.

- 1. What holiday are all members of Rosa's family preparing for?
- 2. What kind of dish is her mum making?
 - Why are the twins excited?
 - Where's her dad?
 - Why is Steve washing the grapes?
 - Who is decorating the streets?
- How do the Spanish people call the last night of the year?

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What are you doing now?

read— write — sit — make





Use the prompts to say what the people in the picture are doing. What are they celebrating?

blow a party horn

• talk on the mobile

dance

• play the drums

• eat a sandwich

bring a cake

What <u>are</u> the people in the nictures doing?



