

SCENE 16 • NUMBER 7

Perekonna fotod

Leena invites you in for her strong black tea. One wall of her living room is all family photos: her son, her daughter, her late husband, Liis and her baby brother.

143 Words · 5 Exercises · Duration: 15 min.

Photos on the wall

Estonian

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LEARNING GOAL

I can name family members and say how old people are.

Leena = ■ Lena (Lukas) = ○

■ Tere päevast! Tulge sisse, tulge sisse. Teed?

○ Jah, aitäh.

■ Minu tee on must ja kange. Nagu mina!

○ Oi! Väga kange!

One whole wall of her living room is covered in old photos.

○ Nii palju fotosid! Kas see on teie perekond?

■ Jah, kogu minu perekond. See on minu poeg. Ja see on minu tütar, Liisi ema.

○ Kui vana teie poeg on?

■ Minu poeg on viiskümmend ja tütar nelikümmend neli.

A young man laughing, in an old black-and-white photo.

○ Ja kes see on? Nii noor!

■ Minu abikaasa. Siin on ta kakskümmend.

○ Ja kus ta nüüd on?

■ Teda ei ole enam meiega.

○ Mul on väga kahju.

■ Aitäh. Ta oli väga hea mees.

■ Ja need on Liis ja tema vend. Vend on veel beebi.

○ Kui vana ta on?

■ Ainult kuus kuud. Ja Liis on üheksa, peaaegu kümme.

■ Teie perekond on kaugel, Saksamaal, eks?

○ Jah. Väga kaugel.

■ Aga siin on teil ka perekond. Maja, Liis... ja Muri.

Muri jumps onto the shelf and knocks down the one photo that faces the wall. For a second you see a boy's face and curly black hair.

○ Oi! Ja kes see poiss on?

■ Ei. Mitte see foto.

■ Veel teed?

Vocabulary

SMALL WORDS

peaaegu almost

FINDING THE WAY

kaugel far

FAMILY

perekond family

pere family

poeg son

tütar daughter

ema mother

abikaasa spouse; husband in this story

vend brother

beebi baby

PEOPLE AROUND YOU

poiss boy

WHAT THINGS AND PEOPLE ARE LIKE

tugev strong

noor young

EVERYDAY THINGS

foto photo

DATES AND EVENTS

aasta year

kuu month

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING**L1) WHO SAYS IT**

Read the dialogue again. Who says these words? Tick the right person.

1 Tere päevast! Tulge sisse, tulge sisse. Teed?

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Leena

2 Teda ei ole enam meiega.

- ☐ A Leena
- ☐ B Lena

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN

Tick the right English meaning.

1 Minu tee on must ja kange. Nagu mina!

- ☐ A And who's this? So young!
- ☐ B My tea is black and strong. Like me!
- ☐ C Yes, thank you.

2 Kui vana ta on?

- ☐ A How old is he?
- ☐ B And where is he now?
- ☐ C No. Not that one.

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT

Tick the right Estonian sentence.

1 How old is your son?

- ☐ A Oi! Väga kange!
- ☐ B Kui vana teie poeg on?
- ☐ C Ja need on Liis ja tema vend. Vend on veel beebi.

2 Your family is far away, in Germany, isn't it?

- (A) Teie perekond on kaugel, Saksamaal, eks?
- (B) Aitäh. Ta oli väga hea mees.
- (C) Teda ei ole enam meiega.

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER

Write the words in the right order on the line.

- 1** Ja noor! Nii see kes on?
-

- 2** kes on? Oi! see poiss Ja
-

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST

Number the lines in the order they come in the scene.

- ☐ Minu tee on must ja kange. Nagu mina!
- ☐ Ainult kuus kuud. Ja Liis on üheksa, peaaegu kümme.
- ☐ Teda ei ole enam meiega.
- ☐ Minu poeg on viiskümmend ja tütar nelikümmend neli.
- ☐ Oi! Ja kes see poiss on?

SCENE 16 • WORDS

Perekonna fotod

Photos on the wall

4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

Photos on the wall

Estonian

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tugev
strong



foto
photo



perekond
family



poeg
son



tütar
daughter



ema
mother



aasta
year



noor
young



abikaasa
spouse;
husband in this
story



vend
brother



beebi
baby



kuu
month

Words

FROM THE SCENE

tugev

strong

foto

photo

Ei. Mitte see foto.

perekond

family

Teie perekond on kaugel, Saksamaal, eks?

poeg

son

Kui vana teie poeg on?

tütar

daughter

Minu poeg on viiskümmend ja tütar nelikümmend neli.

ema

mother

Jah, kogu minu perekond. See on minu poeg. Ja see on minu tütar, Liisi ema.

aasta

year

noor

young

Ja kes see on? Nii noor!

abikaasa

spouse; husband in this story

Minu abikaasa. Siin on ta kakskümmend.

vend

brother

Ja need on Liis ja tema vend. Vend on veel beebi.

beebi

baby

Ja need on Liis ja tema vend. Vend on veel beebi.

kuu

month

Ainult kuus kuud. Ja Liis on üheksa, peaaegu kümme.

peaaegu

almost

Ainult kuus kuud. Ja Liis on üheksa, peaaegu kümme.

kaugel

far

Jah. Väga kaugel.

poiss

boy

Oi! Ja kes see poiss on?

NEW WORDS

isa

father

See on isa.

naine

woman

See on naine.

pisike

little (small and dear)

Beebi on pisike.

sõbralik

friendly

Mari on sõbralik.

õde

sister

See on õde.

vanemad

parents

Need on vanemad.

vanaisa

grandfather

See on vanaisa.

VOCABULARY & COMMUNICATION

W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

What does it mean?

1 **vanemad**

- ☐ A parents
- ☐ B fifteen
- ☐ C juice

2 vanaisa

- ☐ A grandfather
- ☐ B eleven
- ☐ C ad (small ad: a flat ad)

3 tütar

- ☐ A yellow
- ☐ B daughter
- ☐ C or

4 vend

- ☐ A meat
- ☐ B yes
- ☐ C brother

5 tugev

- ☐ A trumpet
- ☐ B how are you?
- ☐ C strong

6 perekond

- ☐ A menu
- ☐ B egg
- ☐ C family

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

tee palju Väga Tere

_____ päevast! Tulge sisse, tulge sisse. Teed?

Meaning: Good day! Come in, come in. Some tea?

palju Tere Väga tee

Minu _____ on must ja kange. Nagu mina!

Meaning: My tea is black and strong. Like me!

tee palju Tere Väga

Oi! _____ kange!

Meaning: Oh! Very strong!

Väga Tere palju tee

Nii _____ fotosid! Kas see on teie perekond?

Meaning: So many photos! Is this your family?

Jah Tere Väga tee

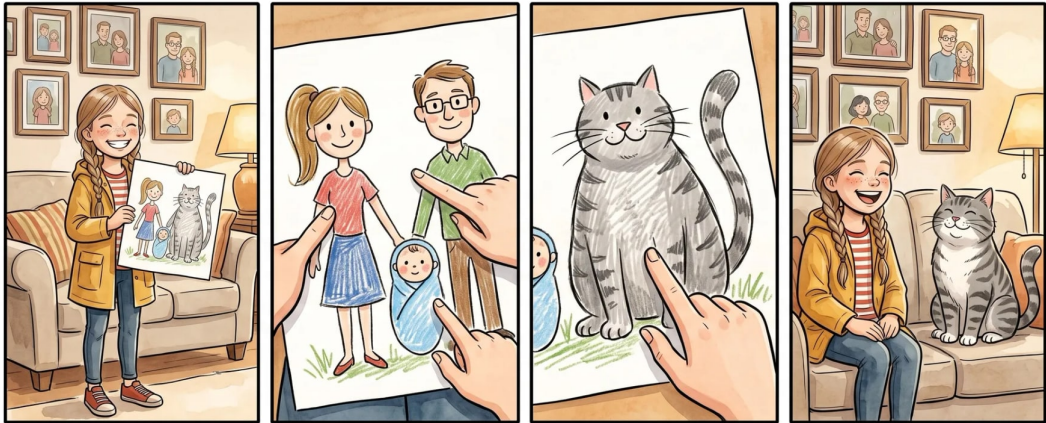
_____, kogu minu perekond. See on minu poeg. Ja see on

minu tütar, Liisi ema.

Meaning: Yes, my whole family. This is my son. And this is my daughter, Liis's mother.

W3) LOOK! THIS IS MY WHOLE FAMILY.

Fill the speech bubbles.



vanaisa perekond Muri beebi

Liis: Vaata! See on kogu minu _____.

Liis: Ema, isa ja minu vend. Ta on veel _____.

Lena: Ja kes see on? Sinu _____?

Liis: Ei! See on _____. Tema on ka minu vend!

Meaning: 1. Look! This is my whole family.

2. This is Mum, this is Dad, and this is my brother. He's still a baby.

3. And who's this? Your grandfather?

4. No! That's Muri. He's my brother too!

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

palju Väga tee Tere

_____ päevast! Tulge sisse, tulge sisse. Teed?

Meaning: Good day! Come in, come in. Some tea?

Tere palju tee Väga

Minu _____ on must ja kange. Nagu mina!

Meaning: My tea is black and strong. Like me!

Väga Tere tee palju

Oi! _____ kange!

Meaning: Oh! Very strong!

tee palju Tere Väga

Nii _____ fotosid! Kas see on teie perekond?

Meaning: So many photos! Is this your family?

tee Väga Tere Jah

_____, kogu minu perekond. See on minu poeg. Ja see on
minu tütar, Liisi ema.

Meaning: Yes, my whole family. This is my son. And this is my
daughter, Liis's mother.

SCENE 16 • GRAMMAR

Minu pere, mul on vend

Family and age

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

Photos on the wall

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Family and age

A family is **pere** or **perekond**. A brother is **vend/venna/venda** and sister **õde/õe/õde**. **Mul on üks noorem vend ja üks vanem õde** means I have one younger brother and one older sister.

Comparative **noorem/vanem** are learned as these useful family descriptions first.

Age uses **olema**, not a have verb: **Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana**. After six use partitive **kuus kuud**. Grandchild **lapselaps** is gender-neutral; context identifies a grandson or granddaughter. **Ta oli hea mees** is a past-state chunk, explained fully in this module.

Form	Example	Meaning
vend	Mul on üks vend.	I have one brother.
venda	Tal ei ole venda.	He/she does not have a brother.
venna	See on minu venna foto.	This is my brother's photo.
õde	Mul on üks õde.	I have one sister.
aastat	Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana.	I am thirty years old.
kuud	Beebi on kuus kuud vana.	The baby is six months old.

Mul on üks vend.

I have one brother.

Tal ei ole venda.

He/she does not have a brother.

See on minu venna foto.

This is my brother's photo.

Mul on üks õde.

I have one sister.

Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana.

I am thirty years old.

Beebi on kuus kuud vana.

The baby is six months old.

Mina olen Lena (Lukas). Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana.

I am Lena. I am thirty years old.

Mina olen Lena (Lukas). Beebi on kuus kuud vana.

I am Lena. The baby is six months old.

GRAMMAR**G1) NOTICE THE USEFUL PATTERN**

Underline the form practised in this unit.

- 1 Mul on üks vend.

Meaning: I have one brother.

- 2 Tal ei ole venda.

Meaning: He/she does not have a brother.

- 3 See on minu venna foto.

Meaning: This is my brother's photo.

- 4 Mul on üks õde.

Meaning: I have one sister.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Use the English meaning and the pattern in this unit.

1 Mul on üks _____.

- ☐ A vennad
- ☐ B vend
- ☐ C venda

Meaning: I have one brother.

2 Tal ei ole _____.

- ☐ A vend
- ☐ B venda
- ☐ C vennad

Meaning: He/she does not have a brother.

3 See on minu _____ foto.

- ☐ A venna
- ☐ B venda
- ☐ C vend

Meaning: This is my brother's photo.

4 Mul on üks _____.

- ☐ A õed
- ☐ B õdesid
- ☐ C õde

Meaning: I have one sister.

5 Ma olen kolmkümmend _____ vana.

- ☐ A aastat
- ☐ B aasta
- ☐ C aastad

Meaning: I am thirty years old.

6 Beebi on kuus _____ vana.

- ☐ A kuud
- ☐ B kuudest
- ☐ C kuu

Meaning: The baby is six months old.

7 Mina olen Lena. Ma olen kolmkümmend _____ vana.

- ☐ A aasta
- ☐ B aastat
- ☐ C aastad

Meaning: I am Lena. I am thirty years old.

8 Mina olen Lena. Beebi on kuus _____ vana.

- ☐ A kuudest
- ☐ B kuud
- ☐ C kuu

Meaning: I am Lena. The baby is six months old.

G3) COMPLETE THE MESSAGES

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

aastat õde venna kuud

See on minu _____ foto.

Meaning: This is my brother's photo.

venna kuud aastat õde

Mul on üks _____.

Meaning: I have one sister.

aastat õde venna kuud

Ma olen kolmkümmend _____ vana.

Meaning: I am thirty years old.

kuud aastat venna õde

Beebi on kuus _____ vana.

Meaning: The baby is six months old.

kuud aastat venna õde

Mina olen Lena. Ma olen kolmkümmend _____ vana.

Meaning: I am Lena. I am thirty years old.

venna õde aastat kuud

Mina olen Lena. Beebi on kuus _____ vana.

Meaning: I am Lena. The baby is six months old.

G4) BUILD A SENTENCE

Put the words in order.

1 on vend. Mul üks

Meaning: I have one brother.

2 venda. Tal ei ole

Meaning: He/she does not have a brother.

3 See minu foto. on venna

Meaning: This is my brother's photo.

4 üks on õde. Mul

Meaning: I have one sister.

5 vana. olen Ma aastat kolmkümmend

Meaning: I am thirty years old.

- 6 kuud Beebi kuus vana. on

Meaning: The baby is six months old.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 I have one brother. You say:

- ☐ A Mul on üks venda.
- ☐ B Mul on üks vend.

2 He/she does not have a brother. You say:

- ☐ A Tal ei ole venda.
- ☐ B Mul ei ole vend.

3 This is my brother's photo. You say:

- ☐ A See on minu vend foto.
- ☐ B See on minu venna foto.

4 I have one sister. You say:

- (A) Mul on üks õde.
- (B) Mul on üks õed.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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| (1) Mul on üks õde. | (A) I have one sister. |
| (2) See on minu venna foto. | (B) I am Lena. I am thirty years old. |
| (3) Mina olen Lena. Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana. | (C) I am Lena. The baby is six months old. |
| (4) Beebi on kuus kuud vana. | (D) I am thirty years old. |
| (5) Tal ei ole venda. | (E) This is my brother's photo. |
| (6) Mul on üks vend. | (F) He/she does not have a brother. |

- 7 Mina olen Lena. Beebi on kuus kuud vana.
- 8 Ma olen kolmkümmend aastat vana.
- G The baby is six months old.
- H I have one brother.