

SCENE 17 • NUMBER 7

Homework

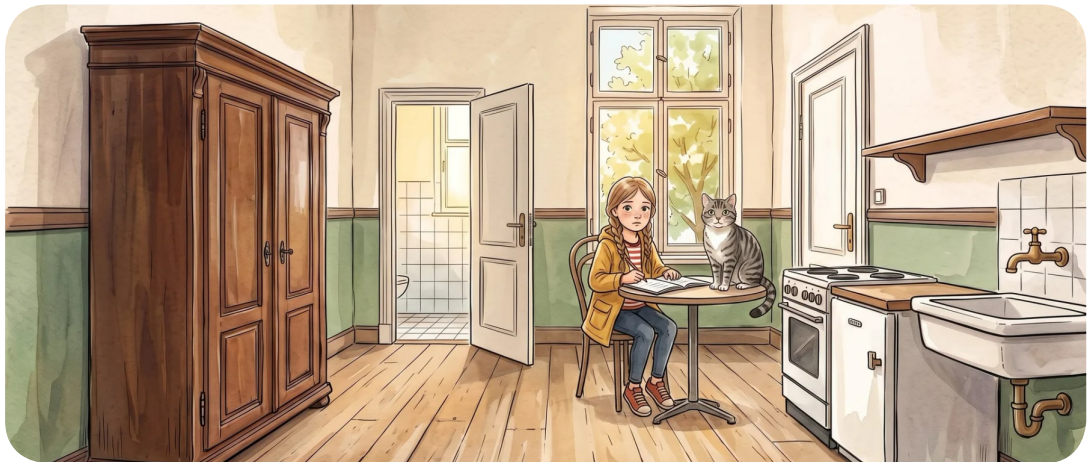
Nicky's homework is "My neighbour". You're the neighbour. Three questions: How old are you? Do you have brothers and sisters? When is your birthday? She reads out what she has: one line about you, two pages about Milo. Then she gives you a card.

161 Words · 5 Exercises · Duration: 15 min.

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English

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LEARNING GOAL

I can say how old I am, how many brothers and sisters I have, and when my birthday is.

Nicky = ■ Lena (Lukas) = ○

- Hello! Please help me with my homework.
- Of course. What is it about?
- About my neighbour. About you!

■ First question. How old are you?

○ Thirty years old.

■ Thirty! That is a lot.

○ Perhaps to you. You're still young.

■ How old is Milo?

○ I don't know. Nobody knows.

■ Do you have brothers or sisters?

○ I have a younger brother and an older sister.

■ Do they both live in Hamburg too?

○ Yes. Both live there.

■ My brother is a baby. He doesn't sleep at night. Neither does Jack.

■ When is your birthday?

○ On the tenth of July.

■ Mine is on the twenty-eighth of March. This Saturday!

She turns the page, and goes on reading.

■ My neighbour is thirty and has a brother and sister. Now page two: Milo has ten keys.

○ Just one line about me? Two pages about the cat?

■ Milo is very interesting. You're on page three. Milo too.

She gives you a card with a yellow cat drawn on it.

■ This is for you.

○ An invitation! On the twenty-eighth of March. Thank you. Is Milo coming too?

■ Milo knows everything.

Vocabulary

DOING THINGS

listen

listen

SMALL WORDS

when

when (question)

DAYS OF THE WEEK

Saturday

Saturday

FAMILY

sister

sister

LIFE AND WORK

homework

homework

MONTHS

July

July

March

March

January

January

February	February
April	April
May	May
June	June
August	August
September	September
October	October
November	November
December	December

NUMBERS FROM 11

first	first (ordinal)
second	second (ordinal)

WHAT THINGS AND PEOPLE ARE LIKE

old	old (of people)
interesting	interesting

HERE AND THERE

about	about
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EVERYDAY THINGS

question	question
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DATES AND EVENTS

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

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

1 Hello! Please help me with my homework.

- ☐ A Lena
- ☐ B Nicky

2 Do they both live in Hamburg too?

- ☐ A Nicky
- ☐ B Lena

L2) WHAT DOES IT MEAN

Tick the right English meaning.

1 About my neighbour. About you!

- ☐ A Just one line about me? Two pages about the cat?
- ☐ B When is your birthday?
- ☐ C About my neighbour. About you!

2 When is your birthday?

- ☐ A When is your birthday?
- ☐ B Do they both live in Hamburg too?
- ☐ C My brother is a baby. He doesn't sleep at night. Neither does Jack.

L3) HOW DO YOU SAY IT

Tick the right English sentence.

1 Thirty! That is a lot.

- ☐ A Perhaps to you. You're still young.
- ☐ B About my neighbour. About you!
- ☐ C Thirty! That is a lot.

2 This is for you.

- ☐ A Thirty! That is a lot.
- ☐ B Mine is on the twenty-eighth of March. This Saturday!
- ☐ C This is for you.

L4) PUT THE WORDS IN ORDER

Write the words in the right order on the line.

- 1 don't I know. knows. Nobody
-

- 2 course. Of What is about? it
-

L5) WHAT HAPPENS FIRST

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

- ☐ This is for you.
- ☐ Of course. What is it about?
- ☐ When is your birthday?
- ☐ Thirty! That is a lot.
- ☐ Do you have brothers or sisters?

SCENE 17 • WORDS

Homework

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4 Exercises • Duration: 10 min.

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homework
homework

1.

first
first (ordinal)



question
question



old
old (of people)

2.

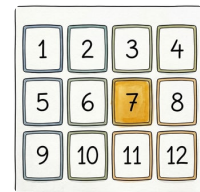
second
second (ordinal)



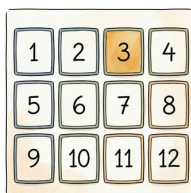
sister
sister



birthday
birthday



July
July



March
March



Saturday
Saturday



listen
listen



about
about

Words

FROM THE SCENE

homework

homework

Hello! Please help me with my homework.

first

first (ordinal)

First question. How old are you?

question

question

First question. How old are you?

old

old (of people)

How old is Milo?

second

second (ordinal)

sister

sister

Do you have brothers or sisters?

when

when (question)

When is your birthday?

birthday

birthday

When is your birthday?

July

July

On the tenth of July.

March

March

Mine is on the twenty-eighth of March. This Saturday!

Saturday

Saturday

Mine is on the twenty-eighth of March. This Saturday!

listen

listen

about

about

Just one line about me? Two pages about the cat?

interesting

interesting

Milo is very interesting. You're on page three. Milo too.

January

January

February

February

April

April

May

May

June

June

August

August

September

September

October

October

November

November

December

December

NEW WORDS**date**

date

What's the date today?

VOCABULARY & COMMUNICATION**W1) WHAT DOES IT MEAN?**

What does it mean?

1 March

- ☐ A March
- ☐ B be afraid (of)
- ☐ C first (ordinal)

2 January

- ☐ A old (of people)
- ☐ B January
- ☐ C piece

3 homework

- ☐ A café
- ☐ B homework
- ☐ C good

4 May

- ☐ A zero
- ☐ B every
- ☐ C May

5 question

- ☐ A question
- ☐ B homework
- ☐ C with

6 second

- ☐ A window
- ☐ B second (ordinal)
- ☐ C ninety

W2) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

About help course First

Hello! Please _____ me with my homework.

Meaning: Hello! Please help me with my homework.

First course help About

Of _____. What is it about?

Meaning: Of course. What is it about?

course First help About

_____ my neighbour. About you!

Meaning: About my neighbour. About you!

About course help First

_____ question. How old are you?

Meaning: First question. How old are you?

About help course Thirty

_____ years old.

Meaning: Thirty years old.

W3) MILO, WHEN'S YOUR BIRTHDAY?

Fill the speech bubbles.



Nicky Milo nine All

Nicky: _____, when's your birthday?

Lena: _____, nobody knows.

Nicky: _____ right. Your birthday's the first of January!

Nicky: And you're _____, like me!

Meaning: 1. Milo, when's your birthday?

2. Nicky, nobody knows.

3. All right. Your birthday's the first of January!

4. And you're nine, like me!

W4) COMPLETE THE CONVERSATION

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

course First help About

Hello! Please _____ me with my homework.

Meaning: Hello! Please help me with my homework.

course About First help

Of _____. What is it about?

Meaning: Of course. What is it about?

help First About course

_____ my neighbour. About you!

Meaning: About my neighbour. About you!

About First course help

_____ question. How old are you?

Meaning: First question. How old are you?

course About Thirty help

_____ years old.

Meaning: Thirty years old.

I'm thirty, on the tenth of July

Age, birthdays and ordinal dates

6 Exercises · Duration: 20 min.

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Age, birthdays and ordinal dates

Express age with **be**: **I'm thirty, Nicky is ten years old.** Do not use **have** for English age. For a baby say **He's six months old.**

Ordinal numbers give positions and dates: **first, second, third**, then usually **-th**. Learn **tenth, twenty-eighth** and **thirtieth** with the story. In British English **10 July** is spoken **the tenth of July**.

Use **on** for a particular day or date, **in** for a month or year: **on the tenth of July, in July, in 1995.** **I was born** is an early birth-date chunk; **was/were** is taught at the end of this module.

Form	Example	Meaning
am	I am thirty years old.	State your age.
months	He's six months old.	State the baby's age.
on	My birthday is on the tenth of July.	Give the exact birthday date.
in	My birthday is in July.	Give the birthday month.
tenth	My birthday is the tenth of July.	Give the birthday date, ten July.
eighth	The date is the twenty-eighth of March.	Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

I am thirty years old.

State your age.

He's six months old.

State the baby's age.

My birthday is on the tenth of July.

Give the exact birthday date.

My birthday is in July.

Give the birthday month.

My birthday is the tenth of July.

Give the birthday date, ten July.

The date is the twenty-eighth of March.

Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

GRAMMAR

G1) NOTICE THE PATTERNS

Underline the form described in this unit.

1 I am thirty years old.

Meaning: State your age.

2 He's six months old.

Meaning: State the baby's age.

3 My birthday is on the tenth of July.

Meaning: Give the exact birthday date.

4 My birthday is in July.

Meaning: Give the birthday month.

5 My birthday is the tenth of July.

Meaning: Give the birthday date, ten July.

6 The date is the twenty-eighth of March.

Meaning: Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

G2) CHOOSE THE FORM

Choose the right word for the gap.

1 I _____ thirty years old.

- ☐ (A) am
- ☐ (B) has
- ☐ (C) have

Meaning: State your age.

2 He's six _____ old.

- ☐ (A) months
- ☐ (B) months-old
- ☐ (C) month

Meaning: State the baby's age.

3 My birthday is _____ the tenth of July.

- ☐ (A) on
- ☐ (B) at
- ☐ (C) in

Meaning: Give the exact birthday date.

4 My birthday is _____ July.

- ☐ A on
- ☐ B at
- ☐ C in

Meaning: Give the birthday month.

5 My birthday is the _____ of July.

- ☐ A tenthly
- ☐ B ten
- ☐ C tenth

Meaning: Give the birthday date, ten July.

6 The date is the twenty-_____ of March.

- ☐ A eighty
- ☐ B eighth
- ☐ C eight

Meaning: Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

G3) COMPLETE A SHORT MESSAGE

Fill the gaps with the words from the box.

have am

I _____ thirty years old.

Meaning: State your age.

month months

He's six _____ old.

Meaning: State the baby's age.

in on

My birthday is _____ the tenth of July.

Meaning: Give the exact birthday date.

on in

My birthday is _____ July.

Meaning: Give the birthday month.

ten tenth

My birthday is the _____ of July.

Meaning: Give the birthday date, ten July.

eight eighth

The date is the twenty-_____ of March.

Meaning: Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

G4) BUILD USEFUL SENTENCES

Put the words in order.

- 1 I years thirty old. am

Meaning: State your age.

- 2 months old. six He's

Meaning: State the baby's age.

- 3 July. on is My tenth the of birthday

Meaning: Give the exact birthday date.

- 4 birthday July. is My in

Meaning: Give the birthday month.

- 5 the My birthday tenth of is July.

Meaning: Give the birthday date, ten July.

- 6 The March. is the date of twenty-eighth

Meaning: Say the birthday date twenty-eight March.

G5) WHAT WOULD YOU SAY?

Choose the right words for the situation.

1 State your age. You say:

- ☐ A I have thirty years old.
- ☐ B I am thirty years old.

2 State the baby's age. You say:

- ☐ A He's six months old.
- ☐ B He's six month old.

3 Give the exact birthday date. You say:

- ☐ A My birthday is on the tenth of July.
- ☐ B My birthday is in the tenth of July.

4 Give the birthday month. You say:

- ☐ A My birthday is on July.
- ☐ B My birthday is in July.

G6) CONNECT MESSAGES AND MEANINGS

Match the pairs.

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|---|---|
| ☐ 1 He's six months old. | ☐ A Give the birthday date, ten July. |
| ☐ 2 The date is the
twenty-eighth of
March. | ☐ B State the baby's age. |
| ☐ 3 My birthday is in
July. | ☐ C Say the birthday date twenty-
eight March. |
| ☐ 4 I am thirty years old. | ☐ D Give the birthday month. |

⑤ My birthday is the ⑥ State your age.
tenth of July.

⑥ My birthday is on ⑦ Give the exact birthday date.
the tenth of July.