

Family Common Mistakes



Let's review the top mistakes that English learners make when talking about family.





In many languages, you use the male form to talk about plurals. In English, we have special words.





We don't say my fathers, we say my parents.





We don't say my sons, we say my children.





We don't say my grandfathers, we say my grandparents.





We don't say my brothers, we say my siblings OR my brothers and sisters.







I live with my parents





I have two grandaughters

This is a difficult word to spell, but there are two Ds in the word.





I have two grandaughters







COUSIN

We don't have a masculine and feminine form for cousin. It is the same!

