1a Reader's own answer.

**1b** Reader's own answer.

2a Model answers:

lucky: Dante

clever: Adam, Josh

furious: Dad, Dante, Josh stupid: Dante, Logan happy: Adam, Emma good-looking: Adam

sad: Adam, Dante, Aunt Jackie

gay: Adam, Josh

kind: Aunt Jackie, Emma, Dad

scarred: Adam

scared: Adam, Dante, Josh

dreamer: Adam

angry: Collette, Dante, Dad, Josh alone: Adam, Dante, Melanie, Josh stubborn: Dad, Dante, Emma beautiful: Collette, Melanie, Emma

funny: Adam, Emma, Josh ashamed: Josh, Dante coward: Dante and Josh

jealous: Adam, Collette, Logan

## **2b** Model answers:

	Who says this?	Who to?	About who or what?	Why?
He makes me uncomfortable.	Josh	Dante	Adam	Because he doesn't want people to think that he's gay.
That's life  Some people can walk away, and some people can't.	Aunt Jackie	Dante	About her not having children and wanting them and Dante having a child and not wanting one.	Because she and Dante don't get to choose.
Would you be talking to me like this if I was Emma's mum instead of her dad?	Dante	Veronica	About the kind of questions she is asking him.	Because it isn't fair that people don't think a man can bring up a child.
You'd give away your own baby because this isn't a good moment for you?	Dad	Dante	About Dante wanting to get Emma adopted or fostered.	He knows how hard it is to be a single parent but he wouldn't change it.

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	Who says this?	Who to?	About who or what?	Why?
You always thought you were better than us – going to go to university to be a journalist. Look at you now!	Logan	Dante	About everything Dante has lost.	Because he was jealous of Dante and now he feels he is just a nobody.

- **2c** Reader's own answer.
- 3a Model answers:



- 1 One day your mum came to see me and told me I was your dad. She went away to have some time to think.
- **2** I was suddenly a single parent and I took you to Bar Belle to meet my friends. My girlfriend, Collette, wasn't very happy.
- **3** I wanted to be sure that you were my daughter, so we did a DNA test. I was really happy to hear that you were mine.



- **4** On my 18th birthday in Bar Belle, Josh was being really horrible to Uncle Adam and I didn't understand why.
- **5** Then Josh attacked Uncle Adam and hurt him. I couldn't do anything to help him.
- **6** Slowly Uncle Adam got better and that was mostly because of you and because of something Aunt Jackie said to me.

**3b** Reader's own answers.

4 Reader's own answers.

**5** Reader's own answer.

6 Reader's own answer.