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It's different, but we're happy

A. Getting ready

- Put the letters in the correct order to make places:
 - p-t-E-g-y
 - r-a-i-C-o
 - w-e-N k-o-r-Y
 - r-e-m-a-i-c-A
- Look at the picture. Who do you think they are? Where are they from?

B. Read the text. Check if your answers are correct.

Hassan Mahmoud lives and works in America. He is an immigrant. He is from Cairo in Egypt. He lives with his wife and three children. He rents an apartment in New York. Life in New York is very different from life in Cairo, but Mahmoud and his family are happy there. They study English every day. They have many new friends of different cultures. There is a mosque close to their house, and there is an Egyptian restaurant in the next street. Mahmoud thinks they will live there for a long time.

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C. Are these sentences True or False?

- Hassan Mahmoud is an American. T/F
- He rents a house in New York. T/F
- He has many new friends in New York. T/F
- Mahmoud's family do not really like living in America. T/F
- 'It' in the title It's different, but we're happy, refers to life in America. T/F

D. Find the word 'immigrant'. Choose the sentence that matches the meaning of the word 'immigrant'.

- a person who goes to the mosque
- a person who studies English
- a person who goes to live in a new country

E. Imagine you are going to live in a different country. You need to make plans. Now think and answer the questions below:

- Where (in which country) will you live? _____
- Who will go with you? _____
- What job will you do? _____
- What will you do in your free time? _____

F. SPEAKING: Pairwork



I'd like to go and live in _____ with _____.
I'd like to be a _____.
In my free time I'd like to _____.

