110 years on

This photograph was taken about 110 years ago.
The girl on the left was about the same age as you.
As she got older, she had children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and so on.



Now, 110 years later, **all** this girl's descendants are meeting for a family party. How many descendants would you expect there to be altogether?

Twentieth Century facts

At the beginning of the 20th century the average number of children per family was 3.5

By the end of the century this number had fallen to 1.7

In 1900, life expectancy of new born children was 45 years for boys and 49 years for girls. By the end of the century it was 75 years for boys and 80 years for girls.