

1 LANGUAGE IN CONTEXT

1A Look at the picture. Are the people good friends? Why or why not? Then read in pairs. Answer this question: Why does Amber ask about Scott?



1B Read again. What questions about Scott does Amber ask? Then, write the same questions about your best friend.

Audio script

Jared: Hello. Today, I'm with Amber Crane. She helps people make friends. Amber, how do we know who is a true friend?

Amber: Good question, Jared. Let me show you. Tell me the name of one friend.

Jared: Scott.

Amber: Can you tell me if he is single or married?

Jared: Yes, he is.

Amber: OK. Do you know where he was born?

Jared: He was born in Chicago. He lived in Oswego.

Amber: Good. Do you know what sports or hobbies he likes?

Jared: He's into soccer, and he likes painting. Hey, I am answering all the questions. Does this mean Scott and I are true friends?

Amber: No, you can know simple things from social media.

Jared: So, what is a better question for a true friend?

Amber: Try this one. Do you know if he likes broccoli?

Jared: Hmm... let me ask him! I'll tell you after the break.