

10 USEFUL WEBSITES



ABOUT YOU

Do your friends or family ever have problems?

What kind?

What do you do when you have a problem? Who do you talk to? Do you often try to find advice online?

VOCABULARY

AND

READING

1

Read the problems on the website. In pairs, discuss the problems and think of some advice for each person.

Relationships

TEEN TROUBLES

Got a problem and not sure who to ask for advice? Write to us and we will help! When you see this , click to hear some advice from Dr Mandy, our top teen expert!



I go to dance lessons with some close friends of mine. The teacher moved me to a higher-level group, but she says my friends have to stay in the lower level. I'm worried about moving to a new class without them. I'll really miss seeing them! What should I do?



Andrea, 13



I am homeschooled and I don't spend much time with people my age. I am friends with some of my neighbours, and I have old friends from primary school, but they often forget to invite me when they go out. I have penfriends as well, but it's not the same as seeing people.

Ben, 15



My best friend won't stop copying me! I love wearing bright clothes and looking different from everyone else. But last month my friend started buying all the same things as me. Now we look exactly the same as each other!



Katy, 14



2

Listen to Dr Mandy giving three pieces of advice to the teenagers. Write the correct name beside each number.

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- 3** Listen again and make notes about the advice for each person. Was any of the advice the same as yours?

- 4** Match the people 1–10 to the descriptions a–j.



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| 1 guest | a You live near this person. |
| 2 old friend | b This person is a visitor in your home. |
| 3 neighbour | c You have this person's details in your phone or online. |
| 4 close friend | d This person belongs to a group or club. |
| 5 member | e You like this person very much and you know each other well. |
| 6 contact | f You met this person a long time ago. |
| 7 best friend | g This person is part of your family. |
| 8 classmate | h This is your one special friend. |
| 9 penfriend | i You study with this person. |
| 10 relative | j You don't meet this person, but you write to them. |



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Listen and check. Then repeat.

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In pairs, ask and answer the questions. Then write three more questions.

- 1 How many contacts do you have online?
- 2 Are you friendly with your neighbours?
- 3 How many of your relatives live near you?
- 4 Who do you miss when you go away on holiday?

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With a different partner, ask and answer your new questions together.



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7 Listen to the words and repeat them. Then put them into the correct column.

bright	caught	daughter
enough	flight	neighbour
right	straight	thought

/aɪ/	/eɪ/	/ʌf/	/ɔ:/
night	eight	rough	bought



Listen and check. Then repeat.

VOCABULARY

People

1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.

classmate	contact	guest	member
neighbour	relative		

- Last week our new _____ moved in next door to us. They're from Hungary.
- Do you have to pay to be a _____ of the online film club you told me about?
- The _____ staying with us at the moment are old friends of my mum's.
- How many _____ do you have in your phone?
- I don't have any _____ living near me in London because both my parents' families live in Russia.
- I know Henry because he was a _____ at my old school, but he was never really a good friend.

2 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- We talk on the phone every day now so we've become really _____ friends.
A old B close
- His number is not in my _____ list so I can't phone him.
A relatives B contacts
- My _____ moved to a new school last month. I really miss her.
A best friend B penfriend
- Sara and Isabel are _____ of my mum's. They met at work 15 years ago.
A old friends B classmates
- My _____ is teaching me Italian. I'm going to meet him for the first time when he comes to stay with me in Wales next month.
A neighbour B penfriend