SPEAKING



Match the statements to images a-d.

1 Parents' experience and knowledge can be useful for their children. ▭

2 Teens have more fun with their friends than with their family. ▭

3 Teens are more likely to talk about problems with friends than with their parents. ▭

4 Different generations of a family usually get along well together. ▭

LISTENING

Listen to an interview on a student radio program. Write Craig or Marcela for opinions 1 and .

1 Families are still the most important social unit.

▭

2 Friends are the new family.

▭

Listen to Craig again and mark the points he mentions.

1 spending more time with friends than with family ____

2 finding friends through work ____

3 discussing relationships ____

4 having the same interests ____

5 having fun and socializing ____

6 going on vacation together ____

7 making friends online ____

VOCABULARY

Look at the phrasal verbs from Transcript 1.6. Match the verbs 1-8 to meanings a-h.

1 I **hang out** much more with friends...
2 I can always **count on** my good friends.
3 When I decided to break up with my girlfriend... I **talked** it **over** with a couple of friends first...
4 When I **go away**... it's usually with friends.
5 I often fight with my brother, but we always **make up**...
6 He can **take care of** himself...
7 I had problems in college, and I **dropped out** for a while...
8 I **took up** Pilates recently...

a leave an educational institution before you finish or earn a degree
b spend time with someone or in a place
c look after someone or something
d start a new interest or activity
e discuss a problem or plan
f leave home for a period of time, especially for a vacation
g depend on someone to do what you want or expect
h become friends again after an argument

LIVEWORKSHEETS