

## YOUTUBING ON THE ROAD

Look at the photos and discuss the questions.

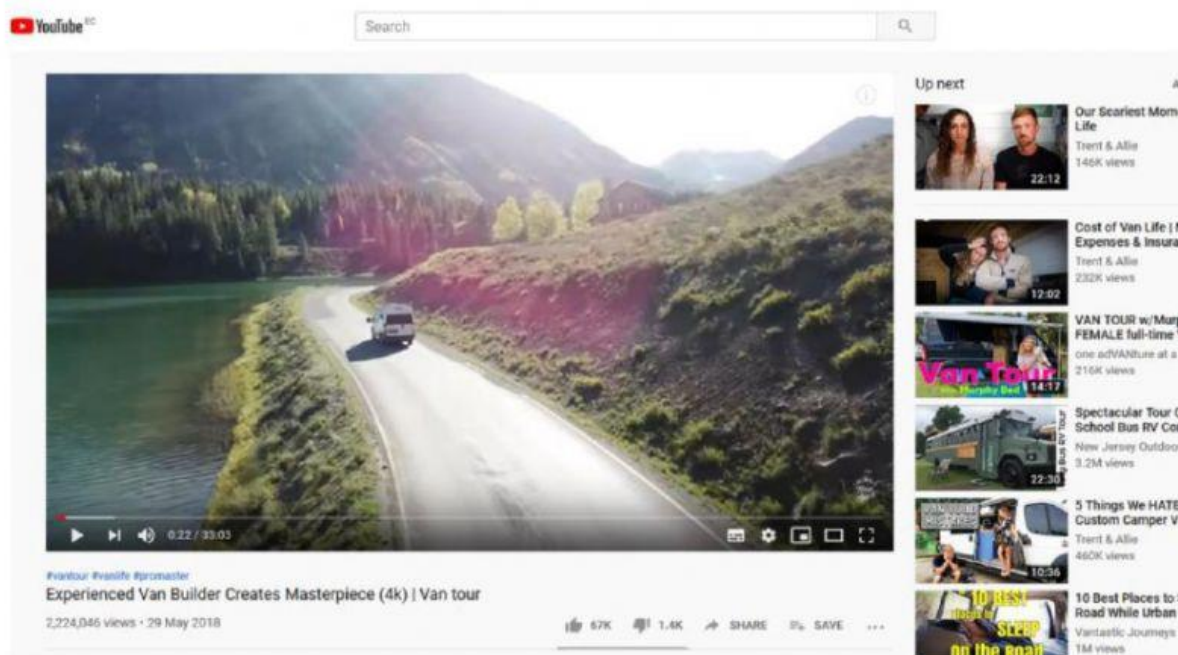


Left: Trent and Allie (with their dog Frank)



Right: Allie and Frank inside the camper van

- What kind of home do these two people live in? Who or what do they share it with?
- What household objects and 'rooms' can you see in their 'home'? Name them.
- Would you find it easy or difficult to share this small camper van with another person? Why?
- What kinds of skills do you think they need to be successful vloggers?
- What do you think they vlog about on the road? What kind of equipment might they need?



## On the road with the camper van

### LISTENING AND WATCHING COMPREHENSION

**TASK 1:** Watch the beginning of the video (0:00–0:20). What do Trent and Allie tell us about themselves? Make notes.

**TASK 2:** Watch the rest of the video and answer the questions.

*Choices and decisions (0:20)*

1. How many views did one of their first vlogs generate?
2. Where are they heading to now?

*Working life (1:34)*

3. How many vlogs do they post a week?
4. How many hours' work goes into a 10–15 minute vlog?
5. What equipment do they use?

*Lifestyle and experiences (2:58)*

6. How often do they fall out while sharing the small camper van together?
7. What have they enjoyed most about the journey?

*Success at YouTubing (4:21)*

8. What advice do they give to people who are interested in vlogging/YouTubing?

*A special moment (5:00)*

9. Why was Allie feeling grumpy that morning? How was Trent feeling?

10. Where did Trent propose to Allie?

***Discuss the following questions.***

1. Why do you think Trent and Allie have so many subscribers? What might be the secret of their success?
2. What are some advantages and disadvantages of taking a dog with you on a trip?
3. To what extent would you like to do what Trent and Allie do for a living? Why (not)?