

## VOCABULARY & SPEAKING common verb phrases

### 1 HOME AND FAMILY

- Where \_\_\_\_\_ you from?
- Where \_\_\_\_\_ you born?
- Where do you \_\_\_\_\_?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ in a house or flat?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ any brothers and sisters?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ any pets?



### 2 JOB / STUDIES

- What do you \_\_\_\_\_?
- Where do you \_\_\_\_\_?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ your job?
- What school / university do you \_\_\_\_\_ to?
- What year \_\_\_\_\_ you in?
- Can you \_\_\_\_\_ any other languages? Which?
- Where did you \_\_\_\_\_ English before?



### your mother or your best friend?

In our weekly experiment, single people who are looking for a partner ask their mother and their best friend to help.

This week's single person is Charlotte Ramirez, a 25-year-old web designer. Her father is Spanish and her mother is English. She lives in Brighton and she doesn't have a partner at the moment. Her mother, Alice, chooses a man she thinks is perfect for her daughter and her best friend, Katie, chooses another. Then Charlotte goes on a date with each man. Which one does she prefer?

**‘**I love going to the cinema, but I often feel like staying at home with a good book,’ says Charlotte. ‘I’m quite friendly and sociable and I get on well with most people. I think I have a good sense of humour.’

‘What kind of men do I like? Well, I like interesting men who can make me laugh. Physically, I prefer men with a really nice smile who are taller than me. And I don’t usually like men with beards! I like men who are into literature and art, and classical music.’

‘I’m not sure who is going to choose better for me. Both my mum and my best friend know me very well. Perhaps Katie could find me a guy who is physically more compatible, but my mother has known me for longer!

### 3 FREE TIME

- What kind of music do you \_\_\_\_\_ to?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ a musical instrument? Which?
- What TV programmes do you \_\_\_\_\_?
- Do you \_\_\_\_\_ any sport or exercise? What?
- What kind of books or magazines do you \_\_\_\_\_?
- How often do you \_\_\_\_\_ to the cinema?
- What did you \_\_\_\_\_ last weekend?

**Let's Listen**

**Listen and write the numbers.**

1 Gate \_\_\_\_\_ 3 Tel: \_\_\_\_\_ 5 £ \_\_\_\_\_  
2 \_\_\_\_\_ miles 4 Population: \_\_\_\_\_

- 1 She \_\_\_\_\_ have a partner at the moment.
- 2 She \_\_\_\_\_ on a date with each man.
- 3 Which one \_\_\_\_\_ she prefer?
- 4 What kind of men \_\_\_\_\_ I like?
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ usually like men with beards.

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