

4 LISTENING

- a  **1.19** Listen to Elspeth Gordon, a journalist, talking about a dating experiment. Answer the questions.

- 1 What kind of app does Elspeth use?
- 2 What do you do if you like someone?
- 3 What's Elspeth's mother going to do?
- 4 What's Elspeth going to do?

Glossary

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- b  **1.20** Now listen to Elspeth describe her first two dates. What does she think of her mom's choices?

- c Listen again and match the phrases to the two men. Write **J** for John or **S** for Sebastian. Which man do you think Elspeth prefers? Why?

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| 1 ☐ He's tall, dark, and handsome. | 4 ☐ He's from Argentina, but he lives in the US. |
| 2 ☐ He's very tall. | 5 ☐ There isn't a spark. |
| 3 ☐ He's a teacher. | 6 ☐ He's a real gentleman. |

- d  **1.21** Now listen to the third date. Is it a success? Who do you think the message is from?

- e  **1.22** Listen. Were you right? How does Elspeth feel? Do you think they have a second date?