



## LISTENING

**1** BEFORE YOU LISTEN Work with a partner. Ask and answer the following questions.

- Why do people need friends? What can happen if a person has no friends?
- What is the biggest thing you have done to help a friend?
- Do you have any friends who would risk their life to save you?
- What is the best way to make new friends? Do you like making new friends?
- Do you think sites like Facebook are good for friendships or do they stop people from becoming close?

**2** You're going to listen to five people giving their opinions about friendship. Take notes as you listen to their statements and answer the questions below.

## WHAT'S A FRIEND?

**3** Choose True or False.

- a) According to the first speaker, a friend is someone who offers support when it is needed.  
True      False
- b) According to the second speaker, a friend has to be physically around all the time.  
True      False
- c) According to the third speaker, he thinks that old friends are not important in the present.  
True      False
- d) According to the fourth speaker, he says that friends have to tell each other all the problems they have.  
True      False
- e) According to the fifth speaker, he thinks that the fourth speaker is so right.  
True      False

**4** Work with a partner and discuss the following questions based on the listening part.

- a) Which speaker's point of view do you like more? Why?
- b) Which speaker's point of view do you dislike more? Why?
- c) Do you agree or disagree with the fourth speaker? Why?



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## WRITING

**1** Write a paragraph about the following statement: Imagine that your best friend betrayed you. How would you react? What would you say? And the most difficult part: How would you stop your friendship? Don't forget to use the phrasal verbs you learned in your writing.

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## SPEAKING

**2** What kind of qualities do you look for in a friend? Write the qualities in the chart below; then report it to the class.

QUALITIES	DESCRIPTION	M / F
Quality 1		
Quality 2		
Quality 3		
Quality 4		
Quality 5		

