

"GOOD FRIEND" LISTENING



You will hear a talk about what makes a good friend. Choose the best answer from the questions below.

1. What does the speaker suggest about common answers to the question "What makes a good friend?"

- A. They are usually unrealistic.
- B. They are often too simplistic.
- C. They focus mainly on personality.
- D. They are different in every culture.

2. Why is trust described as essential in friendship?

- A. Because it makes friendships more exciting.
- B. Because it prevents all disagreements.
- C. Because without it, friendships may not last.
- D. Because it allows people to share the same hobbies.

3. What point does the speaker make about honesty?

- A. It is more important than kindness.
- B. It should be avoided in difficult situations.
- C. It must be expressed carefully.
- D. It often causes friendships to end.

4. According to the speaker, supporting a friend sometimes means

- A. giving them practical advice.
- B. solving their problems for them.
- C. encouraging them to change their goals.
- D. simply being there for them.

5. What does the speaker say about shared interests?

- A. They are essential for all friendships.
- B. They are less important than respect.
- C. They usually disappear over time.
- D. They matter more than personality.

6. What challenge does the speaker mention in modern friendships?

- A. Financial problems.
- B. Competition between friends.
- C. Lack of time.
- D. Living in different countries.

7. Why is forgiveness described as important?

- A. Because friends often compete with each other.
- B. Because misunderstandings are unavoidable.
- C. Because people frequently lie to their friends.
- D. Because friendships are usually short.

8. What is the speaker's overall message?

- A. A good friend must share the same values.
- B. Friendship depends mainly on personality.
- C. Strong friendships require several qualities working together.
- D. Loyalty is the most important characteristic.

