

Friends

Ask and answer together with a partner **giving grounds** to your answers.

What is a friend?

Are there any famous stories of friendship in your culture?

Describe one of your closest friends.

Do you have any childhood friendships that are still strong today? Tell us about them.

Do you have any long distance friends?

How do you keep in touch with your long-distance friends?

Do you think it is a good idea to borrow money from a friend? Why or why not?

Do you make friends easily?

Has a friend ever let you down?

Have you made any friends over the Internet?

How often do you write to them?

Have you ever met them in person?

How are your friendships different now than they were when you were a child?

How do you maintain a good friendship?

How do you make new friends?

How many people do you consider your "best friends?"

Is it common to have friendships across generations?

What are the advantages and disadvantages of these types of friendships.

Do you have any friends from a different generation than you?

There is a saying "To have a good friend, you need to be a good friend."

How can you be a good friend?

What do you usually do with your friends?

What factors may result in the breakdown of a good friendship?

What is a best friend?

What is the longest friendship that you have had?

What makes friends different from family?

What qualities do you think are important in a friend?

What things should friends never do?

Why do you like your best friend?

What are some things you like about your best friend?

Where is a good place to meet new friends?

Where is a good place to meet a new boyfriend/girlfriend?

Do you think it is possible to have a best friend of the opposite sex without becoming a girlfriend or boyfriend?

Do you think it would be possible for you still be friends with an ex-boyfriend or ex-girlfriend?

There is a proverb that says, "A friend in need is a friend indeed." Do you agree?

Do you believe that there is an end to any true friendships?

Do you believe your parents should be your friends?

Friendship is the most important relationship. Do you agree? Why? Why not?

What are some ways your best friend has influenced your life in a positive way?

How close do you get to your friends?

Why do you need a friend?

What do you do when you have a misunderstanding with your friend?

Do you trust all of your friends? Why?