Themed discussion  
  
**Tick which questions you hear**

What does it mean to be a friend to somebody?

Why do people need friends?

Could you describe your best friend or a very good friend?

So you met at school?

What shared interests do you have?

What is the best way to make new friends?

**Now discuss the questions above in groups. You might need to change the fourth question.**

Vocabulary lesson   
  
**Match the expression to its meaning.**

1. he or she has my back
2. a friend for life
3. he or she has a good heart
4. he or she doesn’t have a bad bone in his or her body
5. to be oneself
6. we count on each other
7. someone who will be a friend forever
8. someone who has no bad qualities to their character
9. someone you can always rely on
10. someone who has is caring and kind
11. to be able to be genuine and comfortable being you
12. when you can rely on each other as friends

**Now discuss the following questions in groups.**

Who do you know in your life that **has your back?**  
What friend do you hope will be **a friend for life?**  
Does your best friend **have a good heart?**  
Do you know anybody that **doesn’t have a bad bone in their body?**  
Who do you feel comfortable **to be yourself with?**  
Can you remember a time when you and a close friend **counted on each other?**