

LISTENING: talking about people

1. Listen to four conversations. Which speaker (1-4) has...?

- met the person:

- seen the person:

2. Listen to them again and choose the best answer:

1. Who are the two people talking about?

a. a friend

b. a customer

c. a manager

2. What is Nigel to the two speakers?

a. an old friend

b. a boyfriend

c. an acquaintance

3. Who is the woman criticising?

a. the TV show

b. the children

c. the parents

4. What is the woman telling her friends about?

a. some gossip

b. a TV show

c. her two brothers

PHRASAL VERBS: describing relationships

1. Read sentences 1-9 below. Replace the words in **bold** with the phrasal verbs from the box. Make any necessary changes.

get on with	let down	put up with	fall out	stand by
break up with	look after	get back together	run into	

1. I don't know how long I can **tolerate** her.

2. All the staff **like her and are friendly to** her.

3. I **met** Kim **by chance** the other day.

4. She wants to **end the relationship with** him.

5. They **have arguments** over everything.

6. She always leaves him and then a week later they **start their relationship** again.

7. There was a mother and father on the show who still **take care of** their three grown-up children.

8. They never do anything around the house and **always disappoint** them **by not doing what they should do**.

9. She said she would **be loyal to** him whatever happened.