

Course: Advanced

Level 3

Day №17

**SITUATION:**

David had a fight with his girlfriend, Liz. He thinks her body art is unnatural, but David's friend Kevin doesn't agree.

Kevin: Hey, David, you look down. Is everything OK?

David: Not really. I had a fight with Liz.

Kevin: Wow, what about?

David: It seems kind of silly, but its about piercings. You know, her piercings.

Kevin: What do you mean?

David: I told her that they don't look good.

Kevin: Why'd you tell her that? She looks great, really hot! You're lucky to be with her.

David: Yeah, I know she's pretty, fun to be with, energetic... but those piercings! She had her nose pierced when I met her, but the she pierced her eyebrows and her belly button. And then she got her tongue pierced.

Kevin: Yeah, I noticed. It must be cool when you kiss her.



David: No, it isn't ! It feels like weird. Piercing your body isn't natural. And don't you think she looks kind of cheap ?

Kevin: No way! Everybody has piercings these days. What did she say?

David: She got really mad. She told me to stop telling her what to do with her body. The she said to me she was thinking about getting a tattoo.

Kevin: Cool! Where?

David: What do you mean, "cool"? You agree with her?

Kevin: You're totally overreacting. It's body art. She's making her body beautiful.

David: But it's NOT beautiful. Besides, everybody will look at her.

Kevin: Lighten up. You know what I think? You should try it, too. Get a body piercing!

David: Oh, not you, too! That's what Liz told me! She said I would look really good with pierced ears.

Kevin: It turns her on, why not do it?

David: Are you serious?

Kevin: You can't let something so minor get between you and the woman of your dreams.

David: I can't believe you're on her side! What am I going to do?

Kevin: You're going to get a piercing!



1. Why did David have a fight with Liz?

- a. He didn't want to get a piercing. b. He said her piercings don't look good. c. He told her he didn't like tattoos.

2. What does Kevin think about Liz?

- a. That she is very attractive. b. That she is a bit wild. c. That she is not good enough for David.

3. How does Kevin feel about Liz getting a tattoo?

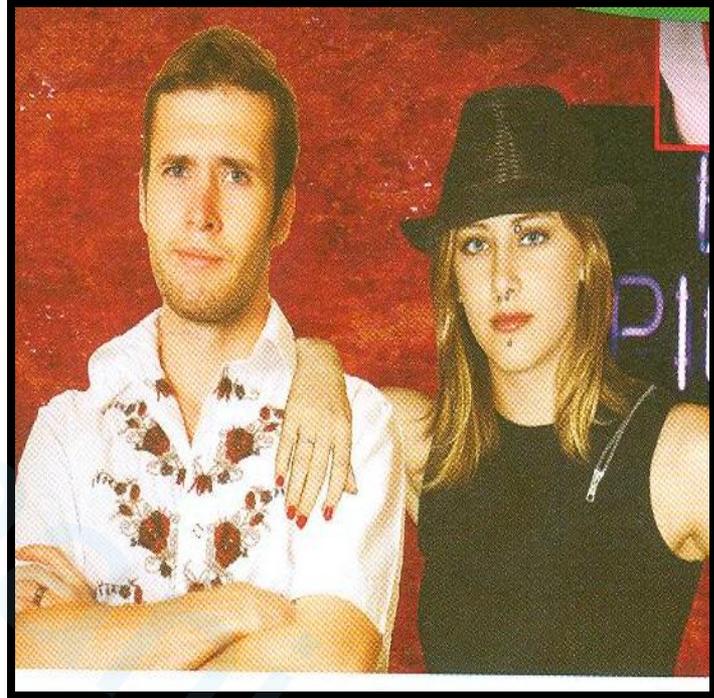
- a. He thinks she's going too far. b. He thinks it's art. c. He thinks it will look cheap.

4. What did Liz tell David?

- a. That he should get a piercing. b. That he should get a tattoo. c. That he doesn't understand her.

5. What does Kevin tell David to do?

- a. Find a new girlfriend. b. Get a tattoo. c. Get a piercing.



***If you were David/Kevin/Liz,
what would you do?***

What do you look for in a man/woman in terms of physical appearance?



***Read the opinions of these four people.
Who do you agree with? Why?***

Luis: What's David's problem? He's got a great girlfriend. He should stop complaining.

Susan: I agree with David. People with piercings and tattoos do look cheap.

Yeon-Suk: David is behind the times. If he's not careful, Liz will break up with him.

Ken: Liz sounds kind of pushy. She should care more what her boyfriend thinks.

COLLOCATIONS

Use the following collocations in a sentence.

Collocations that are used to describe people

a muscled physique
fair complexion
well mannered
pretty face
beauty and brains
tall, dark and handsome

Prepare a speech

Describe your dream guy/girl.



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Let's pretend that you are setting your colleague up on a date. You will let him choose among these 3 friends of yours. How will you describe them to him?



Sherry



Michelle



Bianca

***Thank you for
today!***

***I'm looking forward to
seeing you again!***