

# Introducing Topics of Interests

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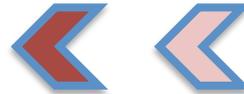
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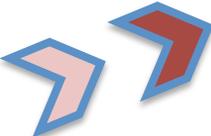
- Hair cut
- What they are holding?
- What they are wearing?
- What are they doing?



\*\*\* LOOK for **Invisible** CLUES



- You know something about your friend's hobby or interest
- Your friend went on vacation.
- Your friend just celebrated a holiday.



Something  
that you  
remember  
about your  
friend

2. If possible, start with a **compliment**:

- "I like your..."
- "That \_\_\_ looks cool."



3. Ask **questions** about the topic (CLUE) you picked.

- **Who \_\_\_? What \_\_\_? Where \_\_\_? When \_\_\_? Why \_\_\_?**
- **How \_\_\_? What else \_\_\_? Did (your hear about) \_\_\_?**



4. Make a **follow-up comment** about the topic

- **I like \_\_\_ I also \_\_\_ I went \_\_\_ I am going \_\_\_**



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