

Unit 1: Social networks, Lesson B

Before you watch

A What methods of communication do you use every day to stay in touch with people? Circle the ones you use and underline your favorite. Then, write a few sentences about why it's your favorite.

send e-mail

talk on a cell phone

use instant messaging

send text messages

talk on a home phone or landline

use social networks

While you watch

A What methods of communication do these people use? Watch the video and circle the one that is mentioned.



1. *Jeff*

social networking sites
cell phone



3. *David*

Internet calls
social networking sites



2. *Victoria*

instant messaging
e-mail



4. *Sarah*

instant messaging
text messages

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B Watch the video again. Check (✓) true or false.

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| 1. Jeff goes on his social networking site eight to ten times a day. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 2. Jeff likes to check his friends' pages to see what they're doing. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 3. Victoria is the only person in her house that uses e-mail. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 4. Victoria's kids text all the time. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 5. David is never on the phone at work. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 6. David uses his laptop to make calls over the Internet when he travels. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 7. Sarah instant messages all of her friends. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |
| 8. Sarah often calls her friends to catch up. | <input type="checkbox"/> True | <input type="checkbox"/> False |

After you watch

A What do you think are the best forms of communication to keep in touch with these people? Why?

1. Your family

2. Your friends

3. Your co-workers

4. Your teachers
