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Chapter 1: Learning About You—Read, Discuss, and Analyze Activity

New Community, New Friends

READ the case study

Brianna and her family recently moved to a new community. This change has been quite an adjustment for the family. Her parents have new jobs, and Brianna and her brother and sister will be attending a new school. Brianna wonders how she will fit in at school. She misses her old friends and is worried about making new friends.

DISCUSS this question in class:

In what ways can Brianna and her family adjust to moving to a new community?

ANALYZE the following statements about the case study to decide which are true and which are false.

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| T | F | Brianna and her family members should share their concerns and experiences with one another about the new community. |
| T | F | Brianna should focus on her old friends instead of trying to make new ones. |
| T | F | To make friends, Brianna should wait for people at her new school to approach her. |
| T | F | Brianna should introduce herself to people at her new school and try to get to know them. |