What Makes a Good Question?

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- 1. A good question shows other people that you want to be friends.
- 2. A good question often starts with one of the following words: who, what, why, and how.
- 3. A good question is short.
- 4. A good question is connected with something someone said or did.
- 5. A good question makes people feel safe and understood.

Think of someone you don't know well—a neighbor, someone at school, a player on your team. Write a question you could ask.

A Person You Don't Know Well	A Question You Might Ask

