

KORTFILMSKLUBBEN ENGELSKA

The Visitor

Before watching

Write in silence during three minutes about one of the topics below. You do not have to show your notes to anyone else and feel free to use only key words.

- A time when you were afraid of telling the truth to someone close to you. Looking back, do you have any advice for yourself?
- A time when a person close to you was worried about your relationship with someone.

Read the questions below.

After watching, discuss in pairs

1. Where did Olivia and Georgia go and why?
2. Why does Georgia take pictures?
3. How does the family receive them?
4. At the dinner, the atmosphere changes a little when dad gets to the table. In what way? How do the filmmakers achieve this feeling?
5. Describe how you think the different characters feel during the dinner: Georgia, Olivia, Dad
6. Dad says he thinks Georgia is "pushing" Olivia, and that she is able to do this since Olivia looks up to her so much. Do you think he is right or wrong? Why?
7. Why is it difficult for Olivia to go back to New York together with Georgia?
8. Try to think of two or more different reasons to why the film is called "The visitor".
9. If you were asked for advice by a best friend who wanted to come out to their family – what would you say?
10. If there is time left over, read some of the advice on how to come out posted on ditchthelabel.com. You can find it here:
https://www.ditchthelabel.org/top-11-tips-for-coming-out-as-lesbian-gay-or-bi/?gclid=CjwKCAjwuITNBRBFEiwA9N9YEJUKCxLsjzaSArPXXDq2bsSDj5Ju4TxLW3cLvh5PFxel8EUXeW3GCRoCcTgQAvD_BwE

Vocabulary

skinny
to be involved with each other
achieve

smal
att stå varandra nära
uppnå