

Tracks 47–50 – Unit 12/14

Jeff: Is anyone out there??? Hey, I have a problem. I fight with my parents about pocket money all the time. I never have enough money to go anywhere at the weekends and, because of school, I don't have time to work. My parents tell me to get a job in summer, but in summer I want a break from school. I need the time to relax. I think parents should have to give their kids pocket money. How can I get my parents to give me more?

Anna: Hey there! I really like a boy a lot. So far, everything's been great, but now I think that he likes someone else n ... I think he likes my best friend, Carrie. Three weeks ago, Carrie was with us and since then, he always finds excuses not to meet me. n Also, a friend of mine said that she saw him and Carrie holding hands in the park. What should I do?

Ronnie: I'm very heavy and I get bullied for this all the time. It's really hard before PE, when I have to change my clothes. I don't like it when the other pupils in my class watch me. I also don't like to eat lunch in front of the other pupils. They always watch me. I'm really frustrated. Please help!!! I JUST WANT TO LOSE WEIGHT!!!!

Tara: What's wrong with me? I'm really worried. Sometimes, I'm not hungry for two or three days. I just don't want to eat. Is this a sign that I might have an eating disorder? I like the way I look, but sometimes I just don't have an appetite. I have tried different foods, but that doesn't help. Who can help me?