

Is Something Up?

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Two colleagues talking at the end of the day

A: Hey Laura how are you doing? I haven't seen you in a while.

B: Oh I'm fine.

A: Well how is your family?

B: Oh they're ok I guess.

A: Is something up? You don't look like yourself.

B: No everything is ok, really. Actually, I have to catch my bus now.

A: Ok well I'm here if you need me.

B: Thanks a lot

Two friends having dinner

A: Hey so how's everything going with you these days? Anything new?

B: I'm all right

A: Really? **Because you're not acting like yourself.** You haven't touched your dessert and normally you devour anything chocolate. **Is something going on?**

B: No, everything is cool. I'm just a bit tired. It's been a long week at the office.

A: That's all? **Are you sure everything's ok?**

B: Well actually my son got kicked out of school today and his grades are really dropping and we just don't know how to help him. I am pretty upset about it.

A: Oh no that's really tough. What did he do?

B: I don't know. I haven't talked to the teacher yet.

A: **Ok well if you ever want to talk, I'm here for you, but if you just need some time right now that's fine.**

B: Thanks I appreciate that. Maybe we can get coffee next week?

A: Sure that sounds great.

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