

Starting Out

Episode 10 – Sportsman

Julia: Hi, Sammy!

Sammy: Hi, Julia.

Julia: What are you doing?

Sammy: I'm using my phone.

Julia: Right. So what are you doing on your phone? Are you writing a romantic SMS message to me?

Sammy: I'm looking at some pictures.

Julia: Oh. Can I see? Have you got some good ones?

Sammy: Sure! Do you want to see some pictures of me doing sports? I'm pretty good.

Julia: Why not?

Sammy: OK. Here's one. That's me playing tennis.

Julia: What?! You're not playing tennis! You're just ...

Sammy: Oh! And this one ... this is me and my dad.

Julia: Oh, yes. And you're playing tennis?

Sammy: What? We're not playing tennis. We're boxing.

Julia: Oh, yes. Right. ... Yes, of course you are. You're boxing. Silly me.

Sammy: Here's another one.

Julia: Oh. It's your sister.

Sammy: That's right!

Julia: And she's ... I'm sorry, what's she doing?

Sammy: Playing golf!

Julia: She's playing golf?! But where's the ...

Sammy: You're not really into sports, are you?

Julia: I love sports!

Sammy: But you don't really know about sports, do you?

Julia: I know lots about sports, but your photographs ... I mean, this one! Are you playing golf here, too?

Sammy: No, I'm playing badminton! Can't you tell?!

Julia: No!

Sammy: I'll show you another one.

Julia: No. It's OK, really. You don't ...

Sammy: So what about this one? What am I doing in this one?

Julia: I don't know. Playing football for England, probably.

Sammy: Oh, thanks.

Julia: Well?

Sammy: Cricket.

Julia: Really?

Sammy: OK. So what am I doing in this one? What am I doing here?

Julia: Jumping like an idiot?

Sammy: Ha, very funny! No, I'm swimming. My dad and I are having a race.

Julia: Right. But if you're swimming, why are you laughing? I mean, you can't laugh and swim fast.

Sammy: Because I'm winning! Look at my dad. Just look at his face. You can see he's losing. And he knows I'm the best. And look at ...

Julia: No. Sammy, I don't want to see any more. Listen, Sammy. Number one, you're always talking about yourself. And number two, you're always looking at photographs of yourself.

Sammy: And number three?

Julia: Number three, OK. Number three, these aren't sport! They're just stupid games on your computer!

Sammy: No, they're not! They're like ... they're like, you know, real sports.

Julia: How, Sammy? How are these like real sport?

Sammy: You can hurt yourself.

Julia: Hmph.