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Friend Wanted

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33 • I love dancing, singing and flying;

45 • I prefer the night and don't like being out in the day;

52 • I don't bite (that's an important one).

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81 by my fangs, cape or odd eating habits. Honestly, I'm
89 not looking for a meal: just a friend.

96 I look forward to hearing from you.



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Questions



1. Name one activity that Eoin enjoys.



2. **I've recently moved to the area.**

Write a different word that means the same as **area**.



3. **I don't bite (that's an important one).**

Why do you think that Eoin has chosen to include the words **that's an important one**?



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Answers



1. Name one activity that Eoin enjoys.

Accept any one of the following: dancing, singing, flying or telling stories.



2. **I've recently moved to the area.**

Write a different word that means the same as **area**.

Accept any sensible suggestion, such as: town; village; city; region; district.



3. **I don't bite (that's an important one).**

Why do you think that Eoin has chosen to include the words **that's an important one**?

Pupils' own responses, such as: I think that Eoin has chosen to include those words because he doesn't want people to think that he's going to bite them which is what vampires are known for.



4. Why should people become friends with Eoin?

Pupils' own responses, such as: People should become friends with Eoin because he seems like a good person and he doesn't bite so it will be safe to be his friend.