

1. Read the conversation and answer the questions.

- a) Where is the reporter?
- b) What is happening this weekend?
- c) What is Barron's family doing this year?
- d) What's different in Natalie's family gathering this year?
- e) What are the young people in Natalie's gathering doing?

2. There are four underlined words in the text. Match them to the definitions.

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| a) relative | 1. the feeling or mood that you have in a place |
| b) reconcile | 2. to make people become friends again |
| c) barbecue | 3. to cook food on a metal frame over an open fire outdoors |
| d) atmosphere | 4. a person who is in the same family as you |