

Question Sheet 36: Asking for Help



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Often in the series, Lockie is portrayed as being reluctant to ask for help.

1	What reasons do the producers suggest for Lockie being reluctant to ask for help?	
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ What leads to Lockie's decision to skateboard down Zig Zag Hill? ▪ Is this a good way to solve his problems?	
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why does he finally ask Vicki for help?▪ Why do you think the producers have him hanging out of a tree to ask for her help?	

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4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Should Lockie have asked for help earlier?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ And is Vicki the best choice for help?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Should he have gone to his father or another trusted adult? Explain.	
5	<p><i>In Episode 23, Lockie speaks to his mother and then to Vicki.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why is there a difference between what he is thinking and saying when speaking to his mother?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ When he speaks to Vicki, what do you notice about the distance between Lockie and Vicki?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ How does Sean Keenan show the viewer Lockie's anger and how do various filming techniques emphasise this?	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ What does all of this suggest about Lockie and his handling of the personal pressure he feels himself under?	
6	<p>How could Lockie have handled the situations portrayed in the clip differently?</p>	