

Question Sheet 20: Brotherly Love



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Of course, as well as his relationships with Vicki, Dot and Egg, Lockie is involved in other relationships, particularly with his parents and brother, Phillip. Phillip is 10 years old and shares a room with Lockie. Evident throughout the series, Lockie's relationships with girls get in the way of his friendship with Egg, and the same happens with his brother.

View the clip **Brotherly Love** and answer the following questions in the space provided.

1	Why do Lockie and Phillip get into a fight?	
2	Why is Lockie shown with a giant basketball on his head? <i>[This is a visual metaphor – that is, it is an image that suggests an idea, e.g. a candle can suggest romance or life.]</i>	
3	Would you have done the same as Phillip?	

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4	<p>There is another visual metaphor used in the second clip.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why is Phillip shown talking through the toilet door?▪ What does that suggest about the relationship between the brothers?	
5	<p>Why doesn't Phillip tell Lockie about the toilet paper sticking out of his pants?</p>	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Why are we shown images of various couples slow dancing and then a shot of Squasher by himself?▪ What is the effect of then cutting straight to Phillip?	
7	<p>What is the significance of Phillip dropping the ball? <i>[Listen to Lockie's voiceover at the time.]</i></p>	
8	<p>What does Lockie learn about what's important from this series of events?</p>	
9	<p>Why is Lockie unable to say to Phillip all the stuff that he's thinking in his head?</p>	
10	<p>What does the adage 'Blood is thicker than water' mean? Do you think it is true?</p>	