



#2 Friends - Monica Gets a Roommate

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Rachel meets everyone.



Listening quiz

Watch the video and circle the correct answer

1. Who is Rachel talking to?
a.) She's talking to her fiancé.
b.) She's talking to her father.
2. What is Rachel trying to say?
a.) She wants to make her own decisions.
b.) She wants to work in a clothing store.
3. What do they call Monica's date?
a.) Paul, the Hawaiian guy.
b.) Paul, the wine guy.
4. Where was Rachel planning to go on her honeymoon?
a.) Italy
b.) Aruba
5. What are Joey and Chandler going to do that night?
a.) They're going to help Ross put together some furniture.
b.) They're going to watch TV at Ross'.
6. Is Phoebe going over to Ross'?
a.) No, she has other plans.
b.) No, she doesn't want to.

Gapfill

Complete the sentences using the words below.

sorry calm control shoe honeymoon stairs guess

1. **Monica:** Well, I _____ we've established she's staying here with Monica...
2. **Rachel:** (on phone) Daddy, I just... I can't marry him! I'm _____. I just don't love him. Well, it matters to me!
3. **Joey:** I say push her down the _____.
4. **Rachel:** C'mon Daddy, listen to me! It's like, it's like, all of my life, everyone has always told me, 'You're a _____! You're a shoe, you're a shoe, you're a shoe!'. And today I just stopped and I said, 'What if I don't wanna be a shoe? What if I wanna be a- a purse, y'know? Or a- or a hat!'
5. **Monica:** Just breathe, breathe.. that's it. Just try to think of nice _____ things...
6. **Monica:** Okay, look, this is probably for the best, y'know? Independence. Taking _____ of your life.
7. **Rachel:** Well, I was kinda supposed to be headed for Aruba on my _____, so nothing!



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Transcript

Read the transcript. Underline the words you don't know. Watch the video and read along with the transcript.

[Scene: Monica's Apartment, everyone is there and watching a Spanish Soap on TV and are trying to figure out what is going on.]

Monica: Now I'm guessing that he bought her the big pipe organ, and she's really not happy about it.

Rachel: *(on phone)* Daddy, I just... I can't marry him! I'm sorry. I just don't love him. Well, it matters to me!

Chandler: Ooh, she should not be wearing those pants.

Joey: I say push her down the stairs.

Phoebe, Ross, Chandler, and Joey: Push her down the stairs! Push her down the stairs! Push her down the stairs!

(She is pushed down the stairs and everyone cheers.)

Rachel: C'mon Daddy, listen to me! It's like, it's like, all of my life, everyone has always told me, 'You're a shoe! You're a shoe, you're a shoe, you're a shoe!'. And today I just stopped and I said, 'What if I don't wanna be a shoe? What if I wanna be a- a purse, y'know? Or a- or a hat! No, I'm not saying I want you to buy me a hat, I'm saying I am a ha- It's a metaphor, Daddy!

Ross: You can see where he'd have trouble.

Rachel: Look Daddy, it's my life. Well maybe I'll just stay here with Monica.

Monica: Well, I guess we've established she's staying here with Monica...

Rachel: Well, maybe that's my decision. Well, maybe I don't need your money. Wait!! Wait, I said maybe!!

[Time Lapse, Rachel is breathing into a paper bag.]

Monica: Just breathe, breathe.. that's it. Just try to think of nice calm things...

Phoebe: *(sings)* Raindrops on roses and rabbits and kittens, *(Rachel and Monica turn to look at her.)* bluebells and sleighbells and- something with mittens... La la la la...something with string.

Rachel: I'm all better now.

Phoebe: *(grins and walks to the kitchen and says to Chandler and Joey.)* I helped!

Monica: Okay, look, this is probably for the best, y'know? Independence. Taking control of your life.

Joey: (*comforting her*) And hey, you need anything, you can always come to Joey. Me and Chandler live across the hall. And he's away a lot.

Monica: Joey, stop hitting on her! It's her wedding day!

Joey: What, like there's a rule or something?

(*The door buzzer sounds and Chandler gets it.*)

Chandler: Please don't do that again, it's a horrible sound.

Paul: (*over the intercom*) It's, uh, it's Paul.

Monica: Buzz him in!

Joey: Who's Paul?

Ross: Paul the Wine Guy, Paul?

Monica: Maybe. **Joey:** Wait. Your 'not a real date' tonight is with Paul the Wine Guy?

Ross: He finally asked you out?

Monica: Yes!

Chandler: Ooh, this is a Dear Diary moment.

Monica: Rach, wait, I can cancel...

Rachel: Please, no, go, that'd be fine!

Monica: (*to Ross*) Are, are you okay? I mean, do you want me to stay?

Ross: (*choked voice*) That'd be good...

Monica: (*horrified*) Really?

Ross: (*normal voice*) No, go on! It's Paul the Wine Guy!

(*There's a knock on the door and it's Paul.*)

Monica: Hi, come in! Paul, this is.. (*They are all lined up next to the door.*)... everybody, everybody, this is Paul.

All: Hey! Paul! Hi! The Wine Guy! Hey!

Chandler: I'm sorry, I didn't catch your name. Paul, was it?

Monica: (*Shows Paul in*) Two seconds.

Phoebe: Ooh, I just pulled out four eyelashes. That can't be good.

Ross: So Rachel, what're you, uh... what're you up to tonight?

Rachel: Well, I was kinda supposed to be headed for Aruba on my honeymoon, so nothing!

Ross: Right, you're not even getting your honeymoon, God.. No, no, although, Aruba, this time of year... talk about your--big lizards... Anyway, if you don't feel like being alone tonight, Joey and Chandler are coming over to help me put together my new furniture.

Chandler: Yes, and we're very excited about it.

Rachel: Well actually thanks, but I think I'm just gonna hang out here tonight.

Ross: Okay, sure.

Joey: Hey Pheebs, you wanna help?

Phoebe: Oh, I wish I could, but I don't want to.