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**Journal Prompt 11: What is your favorite way to show your individuality?**

I’m more of a listener; I always listen to everybody. Some friends complain about their parents to me and other friends gossip about people around them. Some friends have asked me about what choices they should make. When people trust me enough to tell me their troubles, I listen and give them my advice. I think I’m a good listener to those around me. But my advice is always rational, so I won’t stand on your side just because you are my friend. Usually I tell people the truth politely, and most of the time I still stand on my friend’s side. So I could say that I’m a good listener because I can help my friends and give them the true advice they need, not just what they want to hear.