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Oliver:	Hey, how's Iceland?
Sophie:	I love it.
Oliver:	Oh, what a surprise!
Sophie:	It is actually. I don't normally like camping!
Oliver:	If I had the opportunity to visit places like that, I wouldn't complain!
Sophie:	What's the matter with you today, Ollie?
Oliver:	Ah, nothing really.
Sophie:	If you don't tell me, I'll just keep asking
Oliver:	Hmm. Yesterday, you were so excited, you didn't ask about my exam!
Sophie:	Oh, Ollie! I'm so sorry. You're more important to me than camping and volcanoes!
Oliver:	Well, it doesn't always feel like it.
Sophie:	If I promise to travel less, will you forgive me?
Oliver:	No. Because you won't travel less. You love it. And if you travelled less because of me, I'd feel worse. So it's not an option.
Sophie:	You don't make it easy! Seriously, honey, I don't think I knew about the exam. If I'd known, I would have asked, you know that.
Oliver:	Well, anyway. Have you been near that volcano? What's its name?
Sophie:	Even if I had three days of classes, I wouldn't be able to say it, I don't think. Wait, I can't say it unless I read it – Eyjafjallajökull. There are about 30 active volcanoes in Iceland; the eruption in 2010 of Eyja of that volcano really wasn't so serious. If it hadn't affected flights, we wouldn't have heard much about it. There's a bigger volcano near it – with a shorter name too – Katla. I've been to see that. The landscape here's awesome You can't imagine what it's like.
Oliver:	No? Well, I'll never go unless you take me.
Sophie:	Darling, please
Oliver:	Sorry. What's it like?
Sophie:	It's beautiful. Water, rock, ice, lava, geysers there aren't many trees, obviously. I'll send photos later.
Oliver:	Look, do you want to speak to Daisy?
Sophie:	Ollie, love?
Oliver:	I'll be OK. Let's talk tomorrow.
Sophie:	OK. Hi, Daisy.
Daisy:	Hi, Mum.

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