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What is your ideal wedding?	
Nicola from England talks about the ideal wedding.	
Match the words in bold with the words to the right. Then use them in the sentences below.	
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Answer questions about the lesson.	Match the responses below to the questions.
1 Nicola believes that arrange weddings more often. a) men b) women 2 What size wedding does she prefer? a) big and expensive b) small and cheap 3 Why does Nicola think people spend a lot of money? a) it should only happen once b) food and wine is expensive	Q1 Who do you think should plan a wedding? A1 Q2 What is the most important thing at a wedding? A2 Q3 Would you like to have a big wedding? A3 Q4 Is an expensive wedding wasteful? A4 Q5 Do you think the wedding ceremony is important? A5 (_) No, if you have fun it is worth it! (_) Personally, I want a smaller wedding. (_) I think you must have good food. (_) I think it should be both women and men. (_) Yes, it is important to follow traditions. What are your answers to the questions?
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