Small Talk

Getting Ready



Introducing yourself



Greeting someone

Do you use these expressions to greet someone you know or to introduce yourself to someone you don't know? Check (/) the correct answer.

	Greet	Introduce
1. I don't think we've met.		₫
2. Hi! I haven't seen you for a long time!		
3. Hello. My name's Kate.		
4. Hi, nice to see you again.		
5. Hi. I'm Don. I just started working here.		
6. Betsy! How are you doing?		
7. Hey, aren't you in my class? I'm Tom Crane.		

(01-2))) Listening 1

People are talking at a party. Have they met before? Listen and check (✓) the correct answer.

Have met	Haven't met	
	✓	
	nave met	



))) Listening 2

co 1-3 ► Task 1

People are making small talk. What are they talking about? Listen and circle the correct answer.

- 1. a. clothes
 - b. school
 - c. work
- 2. a. work
 - b. school
 - c. friends
- 3. a. the weather
 - b. a vacation
 - c. health problems
- 4. a. school
 - b. work
 - c. a new boyfriend
- 5. a. school
 - b. work
 - c. apartments
- 6. a. work
 - b. family
 - c. school



cp 1-3 ▶ Task 2

Listen again. Does the last speaker want to continue or end the conversation? Check (/) the correct answer.

	Continue	End	
1.		✓	
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			
6.			

))) Listening 3

co 1-4 ► Task 1

People are making small talk.
What question are they answering?
Circle the correct answer.

- 1. a. Are you here on vacation?
 - (b.) Do you like living here?
- 2. a. Do you think English is difficult?
 - b. Why are you studying English?
- 3. a. How old are your children?
 - b. How many children do you have?
- 4. a. What kind of work do you do?
 - b. What kind of work would you like?
- 5. a. When did you arrive?
 - b. Have you been having fun here?
- 6. a. Where did you go on vacation?
 - b. Where are you from?

CD 1-4 ► Task 2

Listen again. Circle the best response.

- 1.(a.) I'm glad you like it here.
 - b. That's too bad.
 - c. Me, neither.
- 2. a. I like those DVDs, too.
 - b. Why don't you like them?
 - c. I agree. They're terrible.
- 3. a. Thanks anyway.
 - b. I agree. Two is enough.
 - c. I'm glad you and your husband agree.





- 4. a. Thanks. I'd love to.
 - b. Sorry. I'm busy that day.
 - c. I'd love to see your house.
- 5. a. You'll love the beach.
 - b. What kind of car will you buy?
 - c. Good idea. The scenery is great there.
- 6. a. Yeah, I think I will.
 - b. Really? Why not?
 - c. You're right. I shouldn't go there.