

Listen to a conversation between two friends.

**B** Good afternoon, Patty.

**G** Hey, George. How are you?

**B** I'm OK.  . I'd really like to work together to study for the science test.

**G** Well, I'm not busy on Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesdays after school.

**B** Tuesdays aren't good for me. I have baseball practice. How about Wednesday?

**G** Sure,  .

**B** Alright. Let's work at my house. My mom will make cookies for us.

**G** Oh, yummy! I will come over at 4. See you then.

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**B** Hey, Gabrielle.

**G** Morning, Carlos. What are you doing?

**B** I'm not sure. I'm trying to make this computer work, but it won't.

**G** What is the problem?

**B** It will not start up. There is power. Do you know how to make it work?

**G** It beats me. I only use computers to chat.

**B** I will ask Mr. Jerome when he comes to class.

**G** [REDACTED] . The bell is going to ring. I need to go, bye.

**B** Bye, Gabrielle.

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**G** Afternoon, Cory.

**B** Hello, Mary. What are you doing today?

**G** I need to go to the dentist today. Ouch!

**B** Why? Did you hurt a tooth?

**G** No, [redacted].

**B** Way to go! I'd rather go to school.

**G** Me too. Anyway, I need to go meet my mother.

**B** See ya, Mary.

Listen to a conversation between a teacher and a student.

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**T** No, Tessa, I'm not. How can I help you?

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**T** Are you SERIOUS? Why don't you want to be in it?

**G** I joined an after-school-art class. It is on the same day as the play rehearsals.

**T** I understand. I'm disappointed you cannot help out any longer.

**G** So am I, but I like art more than acting.

**T** I will find someone else who wants to take your part in the play.

**G** I'm sorry. Thank you, Ms. Hawthorne.

**T** It is no problem. Good luck in art class.

**G** Thanks. Have a nice day, Ma'am.

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**G** Really AWESOME. I didn't sleep at all last night.

**M** That isn't good for your health. What is wrong?

**G** I have a huge history project due tomorrow and I still haven't finished it. I don't know how I will be able to get it done.

**M** Oh really? What is your project on?

**G** [REDACTED] . I asked Mr. Hendrix to help me after school but he said he was very busy. I am in big trouble.

**M** Don't worry. I think I can help you.

**G** That is kind of you to offer, but how can you help me?

**M** I am not just a janitor. I also write history textbooks with Mr. Hendrix.

**G** Wow! I never knew that. That is amazing.

**M** Most of the students don't know I am a writer. I am a janitor because I like to work at the school. Will your mom mind if you stay after school and study with me?

**G** I think she'll say okay if I call her and let her know where and with whom I will be.

**M** Okay, that is great. Can you meet me in the library at 3:30?

**G** Yes I can. Thank you so much.

**M** You are welcome. I will see you later.

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