

**1** Match the sentence halves.

1 I was so embarrassed that	<input type="checkbox"/>	a I burst out laughing.
2 I tried to keep a straight face, but	<input type="checkbox"/>	b I wished a hole would open up and swallow me.
3 I was so upset that	<input type="checkbox"/>	c my heart missed a beat.
4 I was so moved by the film that	<input type="checkbox"/>	d I had tears rolling down my face.
5 I was so scared that	<input type="checkbox"/>	e I could hardly speak.

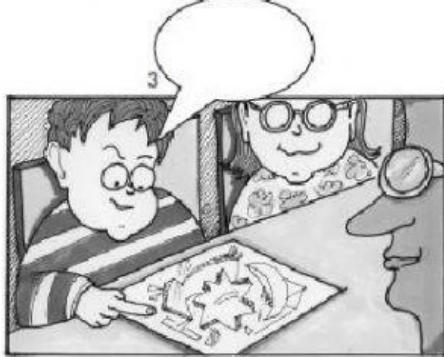
**2** Match what is said (1-5) to the situations.

1 "One single and two returns please."	<input type="checkbox"/>	a at the airport
2 "A single and two double rooms please."	<input type="checkbox"/>	b getting tickets for the train
3 "Three stamps, please."	<input type="checkbox"/>	c in a shop
4 "I'd like a refund please."	<input type="checkbox"/>	d at the post office
5 "Is this the way to the departure lounge?"	<input type="checkbox"/>	e arranging to stay at a hotel

**3** Choose the right function, a or b.

1 "I won't tell anyone. I won't really."	4 "Absolutely!"
a promising	a agreeing
b predicting	b encouraging
2 "Look, I'm sorry, you won't pass if you don't study harder."	5 "Whatever you do, don't lend him any money."
a apologising	a giving advice
b warning	b threatening
3 "Cheers!"	6 "Oh, come on. It'll be alright."
a congratulating	a explaining
b thanking	b reassuring

Communicating in Speaking Tests



1 Choose from items (a-c) and write in the speech bubbles (1-3).

- a "After you."
- b "I'm not really sure, but perhaps this is..."
- c "Could you repeat the question, please?"

2 Match items (a-c) above with sentences (1-6) that are similar in meaning.

1 "I'm sorry, could you say that again please?"

2 "Would you like to start?"

3 "This picture isn't very clear, but maybe it..."

4 "This might be... or, on the other hand it could be..."

5 "Shall I begin or would you like to?"

6 "I'm sorry, I didn't quite understand."