THE LAST WORD

We all get emotional!

1 CD1 7 Read and listen to the statements. Discuss with a partner. Who could be speaking? What might the situation be? Share ideas as a class.

1 I'm absolutely heartbroken. They were winning 2–0 at halftime, and then they went on to lose 3–2!

2 You mean the world to me. More than words could ever say.

3 Wow! I'm completely blown away! I've never gotten such an expensive present.

4 I'll have to consult my calendar. Life's just so hectic right now – I'm always so busy.

5 Come on, you can tell me. I'm dying to know. I won't breathe a word to anyone.

6 Could you *not* keep picking on me in front of your friends? It looks so awful.

7 Oh, yeah? So you run the company now after just a week on the job? Tell me another one!

8 Thank goodness you're here! When we couldn't get through to you, we thought you'd had an accident.

9 He came in the top 2 percent in the country, so his father and I are thrilled to pieces.

10 It was nothing, really. Anybody would have done the same.

11 Well, I think you did very well to come in third. Keep up the good work, and you'll win next time.

12 Oh, come on now. Don't make such a fuss. You'll be fine. It's only a scrape. It's hardly bleeding at all.

13 I'm out of here right now! I don't like the looks of those people standing on the corner.

14 What do you mean I'm a couch potato? I go to the gym twice a week.

15 I totally lost it with that poor guy, but it was the sixth call today. How do they get our numbers?

1. Match the situation to the speaker/situation. Write the NUMBER.

____ Someone reacting to being criticized for being lazy

____ Spouse on the way home after being criticized

____ Homeowner explaining response to a cold-caller

____ Nosy person trying to find out a secret

____ Parent encouraging a child

____ Close friend responding to someone's statement of the important role they have at work

____Girlfriend/boyfriend receiving a gift

____ Lover on a special day

____ Parent telling people about their child's exam results

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____ Parent on seeing their child walk in late

____ Someone at a night club surrounded by aggressive looking people

____ Soccer fan describing a game

____ Parent consoling a child

____ Someone who socializes a lot being asked out

____ Hero responding to praise for doing something brave

2. Match the word to its meaning. Write the NUMBER.

1. Heartbroken	_____ contact
2. Mean the world	_____ got angry
3. Blown away	_____ criticizing
4. Hectic	_____ really excited
5. Dying	_____ extremely disappointed
6. Picking on somebody	_____ extremely busy
7. Tell me another one!	_____ amazed, very surprised
8. Get through to	_____ lazy person who watches a lot of TV
9. Thrilled to pieces	_____ I don't believe you
10. Make such a fuss	_____ wanting something very much
11. Couch potato	_____ complain
12. Lost it	_____ are extremely important

3. Write the emotion that goes with each situation in 1

adoration	anxiety	pride	boastfulness	curiosity	disappointment
encouragement	fear	fury	gratitude	indignation	sarcasm
irritation	relief	modesty	astonishment	reassurance	delight

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14. _____
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4. Listen and write the emotion in each situation

Irritation	Sarcasm	Fear	Disappointment	Delight
Adoration	Pride	Curiosity	Boastfulness	Fury

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