



2 LISTENING

a **2.12** Listen to Martin talking about his journey from London to Avignon by car. Number the pictures 1–7.

b Listen again. Mark the sentences T (true) or F (false).

- 1 There's a lot of traffic in London on Saturday mornings.
- 2 Petrol is more expensive in Britain than in France.
- 3 There are two ways to cross the English Channel by car.
- 4 You can't drive through the Channel Tunnel.
- 5 The journey through the tunnel takes an hour.
- 6 Drivers must sit in their car when they go through the tunnel.
- 7 The speed limit on French motorways is 120 km/h.
- 8 French motorways aren't free.
- 9 It's 970 kilometres from Calais to Avignon.

c **2.13** Listen to Martin talking about his journey and fill in the **By car** column in the chart. Now compare the information with your answers in 1a.

London to Avignon	By plane	By train	By car
How long did it take? (from home)	5 hours 45 mins	6 hours 40 mins	
How much did it cost?	£63	£65.80	
Comfort /10	5	8	
Convenience /10	5	9	

d Think of a town / city in your country. How many different ways are there of getting there? Which do you think is the best? Why?