

# CHRISTIAN SCHOOL LA PALMA

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## UNIT 4 SOAPS

### 3 YOU SPOKE TOO FAST

- Adverbs of manner
- Talking about the way people do things



#### 1 OPENER

Look at the photo of the group. Which of these adjectives describe how they are feeling?

angry • comfortable • happy • nervous • sad

Guess: What is Cathy saying?

#### 2 PRESENTATION

Read and listen.

- CATHY** Is everyone sitting comfortably? Well, I have some bad news for you. TV2DAY isn't going to broadcast the *Downtown* episode you recorded. Oh, that's too bad! Why not?
- BEN** I'm afraid the director thinks you acted badly.
- CATHY** But we weren't acting. We were being ourselves.
- CAROL** I know, and I thought you did very well. But the director thinks you spoke too fast.
- CATHY** That's absurd! We just spoke normally, that's all.
- CAROL** I think it's because we didn't have enough time to rehearse properly.
- JACK** It's not just a question of rehearsing, Jack. Actors work really hard—they spend hours doing drama exercises.
- CATHY** Can you do some of these exercises with us?
- JACK** Of course. Does everyone want to try?
- CATHY** Yes, please.
- ALL**

#### 3 COMPREHENSION

Match the questions with the answers. There are two wrong answers.

- 1 Why isn't TV2DAY going to broadcast the group's performance?
  - 2 What does the director think about the way they spoke?
  - 3 How did the group speak?
  - 4 What does Jack think the problem was?
  - 5 How do actors spend a lot of their time?
  - 6 What is Cathy going to do with the group?
- a In the way that they usually do.
  - b Doing drama exercises.
  - c They're going to rehearse the episode again.
  - d He thinks that they spoke too quickly.
  - e Some drama exercises.
  - f Cathy thinks they spoke too slowly.
  - g He thinks they needed a longer rehearsal.
  - h Because the director didn't like their acting.

Listen and answers the questions