

1 Listen to the audio and fill in the gaps.



Peter Who's that young woman talking to Ryan?

Sarah That's Melanie, Ryan and Cindy's []. Don't you remember her?

Peter Oh, I didn't [] her. She's changed a lot. Is she still at Manchester University?

Sarah No, she's finished now.

Lucy I can remember when she was still at []. She used to work in the café at [].

Peter Doesn't time fly?

Sarah Did you use to come here in those days, too, Peter?

Peter No, I didn't [] work around here. That seems a long time ago now.



Raj Your computer's working OK now, Ryan. [] again.

Ryan Thanks, Raj. Bye.

Melanie He's nice, isn't he? But what's happened to that Australian guy who used to fix your [], Dad?

Ryan Do you mean Jordan?

Melanie Yes. I used to [] talking to him. Doesn't he come here any more?

Ryan Yes, we see him now and again, but he doesn't [] computers now.

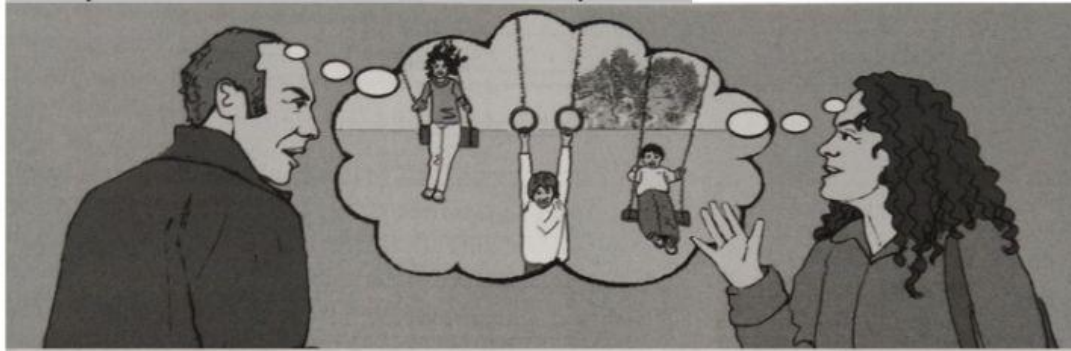
Melanie Oh, what's he up to these days then?

Ryan He's an actor. He's just got a part in a new [], apparently.

Melanie Cool!



2 Complete the conversation. Use suitable expressions.



Jake Hello. Is that you, Miranda?

Miranda Er, yes, it is, but I'm not sure who ...

Jake You don't remember me, do you? I'm Jake Abrahams.

Miranda Oh, right.

Jake We were neighbours for years. I can ¹ _____ when we used to play together in my garden.

changed

Miranda Oh, yes, of course. You've ² _____ a lot!

fly

Jake I know. In ³ _____ days I had lots of hair ... and lots of energy!

happened

Miranda Me too!

Jake Hey, do you remember when you fell off that swing and had to go to hospital?

long

Miranda Oh, yes. That seems a ⁴ _____ time ago now.

remember

Jake Hmm. Your brother said I pushed you off the swing!

Miranda That's right – Tom. He was always a bit naughty!

those

Jake So, what's ⁵ _____ to Tom? What's he ⁶ _____ to these days?

up

Miranda Well, he's a doctor now. He's married and he's got two children.

Jake Wow! Doesn't time ⁷ _____?

Miranda It certainly does.

3 Use the expressions to complete the conversation.

A What _____ to Arthur?

I haven't seen him lately.

B Oh, you wouldn't recognize him.

He's _____. He's completely bald.

can remember when

A Really? I _____ he had long hair.

changed a lot

B Oh yes. He used to play in a rock band in _____.

seems a long time ago

A That _____ now.

time fly

B Yes, doesn't _____?

those days

A Anyway, what's he _____?

up to these days

B He's a bus driver.

's happened

A Oh, OK.