

## PRE-READING

### PREDICTING THE TOPIC

Read the title and the first sentence of each paragraph of an article. This will help you find out what it is about.

- A** Look at the article "More Than a Melody" on page 35 of the Student's Book. Write the title and the first sentence of every paragraph in the chart below.

TITLE	<i>More Than a Melody</i>
PARAGRAPH 1	<i>Music has been getting people to move for generations.</i>
PARAGRAPH 2	
PARAGRAPH 3	
PARAGRAPH 4	
PARAGRAPH 5	

- B** What do you think the article is about?

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## VOCABULARY

AFTER STUDENT'S BOOK PAGE 37, EXERCISE C

- A** Circle the noun that logically follows each adjective in bold.

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|---------------|---------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. nervous    | beat    | patient     | speed         |
| 2. calm       | anxiety | research    | mood          |
| 3. enormous   | company | level       | beat          |
| 4. accessible | rhythm  | link        | encouragement |
| 5. optimistic | delay   | personality | failure       |

**B** Circle the correct answers to complete the sentences. Pay attention to the words in bold.

- I play the piano and guitar. **Furthermore** ... .  
 a. I'm also learning to sing  
 b. I can only play a few songs
- Tickets for the concert are selling quickly. **Therefore** ... .  
 a. it's a very popular concert  
 b. you should order them today
- The weather wasn't great, but **all in all**, ... .  
 a. we enjoyed our vacation  
 b. we couldn't do much
- I'll make dinner. **In the meantime**, ... .  
 a. prepare a large breakfast  
 b. can you tidy the living room before the guests arrive
- There are many studies that **back up** ... .  
 a. Dr. Amir's ideas  
 b. Dr Amir's computer
- When you know your **target audience**, ... .  
 a. its harder to plan activities for them  
 b. it's easier to sell more items
- Your test results are now **accessible** online, so ... .  
 a. call your teacher  
 b. go to the school website

**C** Complete the sentences with the words below. There are more words than you need.

speed   nervous   anxiety   situation   operation   rise   not only ... but also  
 link   enormous   level   optimistic   increased   improve

- People often feel a lot of anxiety before going to the dentist.
- Sally's hearing improved after she had an operation on her ear.
- After the heavy rain, the level of water in the river was very high.
- The car was traveling at a speed of 100 kilometers per hour.
- Scientists have found that there is a link between junk food and bad health.
- The city of Tokyo is enormous. Over 36 million people live there.
- Our car was stolen yesterday. The police said that the number of car thefts has increased over the last year.
- The new manager did a lot to improve the company. It's a much nicer place to work now.
- The situation in the country is getting better. There are more jobs and people have more money.
- The actors were very nervous before the play began.