What people are complaining about?

Activity I.

1 Work in pairs. Read the conversations and discuss what people are complaining about.

Conversation 1

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Service assistant: What do you mean?

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Service assistant: Oh, I see. When did you buy it?

Billy: About two months ago.

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Billy: That's fine. I don't want a refund, I just want to exchange the game, please.

Service assistant: OK then. I'll get you another one.

Billy: Great! Thank you very much.

Vocabulary

Directions. Match with a line

Customer services	☐ Atrás
Return	☐ Pantalla
Load	☐ Reemplazar
Screen	☐ Servicios al cliente
Stays	☐ Compra
Faulty	☐ Regreso
Ago	☐ Reembolso
Purchase	☐ Defectuoso
Replace	☐ Permanece
Refund	☐ Carga

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Conversation 2
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Waiter: Yes, sir. How can I help you?
Carlos: We waited a long time for our food. It's finally here but it is cold!
Waiter: I'm very sorry to hear that. I'll replace your dishes.
Carlos: No, thank you. I'm not paying for any of these!
Waiter: Please, sir. I can bring the food again, but I'm afraid you must pay for what you ordered. Please accept some dessert on the house as compensation.
Carlos: I don't think I can eat anymore. I'm too angry. Just bring me the check.
Waiter: Of course, sir. And again, my apologies.
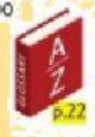
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waited

paying

I´m afraid

dessert

compensation

check

apologies

postre

disculpas

compensación

Me temo que

esperamos

pago

cuenta

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☐	Hace como dos meses
☐	No se carga. La pantalla sólo permanece en blanco. Yo creo que está defectuoso.
☐	Hola! Servicio al cliente. ¿Qué puedo hacer por usted?
☐	Está bien. No quiero un reemplazo . Yo sólo quiero cambiar el juego, por favor.
☐	¡Genial! Muchas gracias.
☐	Está bien, entonces le daré otro.
☐	Quiero regresar un video juego. No trabaja bien.
☐	¿Qué quiere decir?
☐	Eso es muy malo. Sólo le regresamos el dinero si sus productos son regresados 30 días después de la compra. Pero podemos reemplazar su juego.
☐	¡Oh! Ya veo. ¿Cuándo lo compró?

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☐	No, gracias. ¡No voy a pagar por nada de eso!
☐	Por supuesto señor. Otra vez mis disculpas.
☐	Disculpe!
☐	No creo que pueda comer nada más. Estoy demasiado enojado. Sólo tráigame la cuenta.
☐	Estoy muy apenado de escuchar eso. Reemplazaré sus platillos.
☐	Por favor señor. Puedo traer su comida otra vez , pero me temo que debe pagar por lo que ordenó. Por favor acepte algunos postres de la casa como compensación.
☐	Sí señor, ¿Cómo puedo ayudarle?
☐	Esperamos un largo tiempo por nuestra comida. Finalmente está aquí, pero está fría.