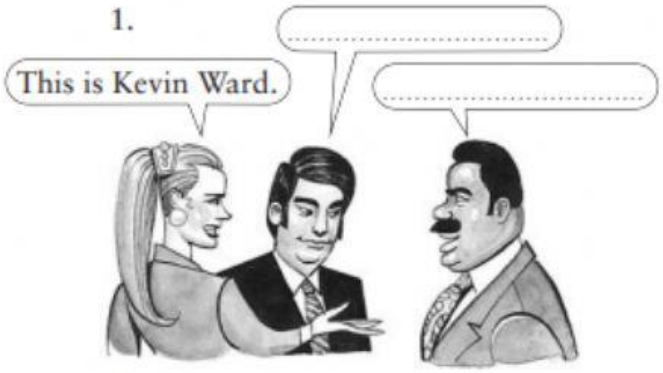
27.1 **What would you say or write to a friend in these situations?**

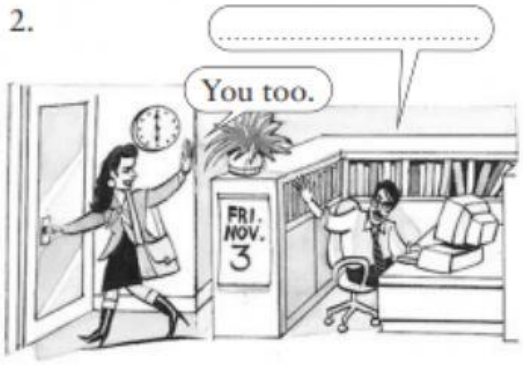
1. Your friend turns 21 tomorrow. *Happy birthday! / Congratulations!*
2. It is January 1st or soon after.
3. Your friend has just passed an important exam.
4. Your friend is going to take a driving test next week.
5. You know you are going to see your friend again in a few hours.

27.2 **Complete the conversations in a logical way.**

1.



2.



3.



4.



27.3 **What would you say in these situations? (Don't use "Excuse me" more than twice.)**

1. You are in a meeting. Someone comes in to say you have an urgent telephone call. What do you say as you leave? *Excuse me. This won't take long.*
2. Someone says something to you, but you don't hear all of it.
3. You are on a crowded bus. It is your stop and you want to get off. What do you say to the other passengers as you move past them?
4. You are staying with friends. You leave the room in the evening to go to bed.
5. A friend tells you she has just won a contest.
6. Another friend is going for a job interview this afternoon.
7. You met a new business client for the first time an hour ago, and now you are both leaving.

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