## Extend your vocabulary 1Beginnings and endings

Choose *in* or *at* to complete the sentences.

'Hi everybody! (1) In / At the beginning of today's class, we're going to check the homework, and then we'll be doing some revision using a language game (2) in / at the end of the book. (3) In / At the end of the class, I'll be asking you what you want to do on Thursday, the last class before the exam.'

'I've been living here for almost four years now, but I'll definitely go back to New Zealand (4) *in / at* the end because I miss my family and friends. (5) *In / At* the beginning, being in another country is so exciting that you don't think much about home, but (6) *in / at* the end, things become more familiar and you start to think about what you really want to do.'

'I speak some Russian now, but I don't speak well. (7) In / At the beginning I found it really hard. I tried to teach myself, but (8) in / at the end I gave up and decided to do an intensive course. (9) In / At the start of the course, we spent a lot of time working on the alphabet. (10) In / At the end of the year my level was good enough to be able to have simple conversations, and since then I've learnt by talking to people.'

