

## DICTION LESSON 3: SMARTPHONES

Listen and complete.

**Woman:** Hey. Uh, you look really unhappy. What's going on?

**Young Man:** Ah, you don't want to know.

**Woman:** Okay, see ya.

**Young Man:** Wait, wait, wait! Why are you (1) .....

**Woman:** Well, you said I didn't want to know.

**Young Man:** No, wait. You see my parents really don't love me.

**Woman:** What do you mean? When I met them last week, they (2) .....

**Young Man:** Uh, you don't understand! You see. I want a new (3) ..... I mean, I need one, and my parents won't buy me it!

**Woman:** Uh, excuse me, but uh, don't you already have a iPhone?

**Young Man:** Man, yeah, but it's three months old, and it has (4) ..... on it.

**Woman:** Where? Let me see. [Look!] I don't see a scratch.

**Young Man:** Look, look right here!. [THAT?] [Do] you see it?

**Woman:** It's just a (5) .....

**Young Man:** Anyway. And my other phone . . .

**Woman:** What? You have two phones?

**Young Man:** That's (6).....

**Woman:** So, so, did your parents give you a reason for not buying you a new phone?

**Young Man:** Not a good one. Only something about being (7) ..... and not being so entitled, or something like that. And now they want me to work . . . on the neighbor's farm to pay for it. [Good idea!] It's not fair.

**Woman:** Hey, I think I know the problem. [What?] Take a look (8) ..... You'll see both the problem and the solution.

**Young Man:** Uh! (9) .....