

# SPEAKING AND LISTENING

## Dreams come true

1 20,000 people were asked in a poll what they most wanted to do before they die. Here are the top 15 activities.

- ☐ go whale-watching
- ☐ see the Northern Lights
- ☐ visit Machu Picchu
- ☐ escape to a paradise island
- ☐ go white-water rafting
- ☐ fly in a fighter plane
- ☐ fly in a hot-air balloon
- ☐ climb Sydney Harbour Bridge
- ☐ swim with dolphins
- ☐ walk the Great Wall of China
- ☐ go on safari
- ☐ go skydiving
- ☐ dive with sharks
- ☐ drive a Formula 1 car
- ☐ go scuba diving on the Great Barrier Reef



- 3 **T 2.4** Listen to three people describing the activities in exercise 1. Which one is each of them talking about? How did the experience affect them?
- 4 Answer the questions with **A** (Alan), **B** (Bernie), or **C** (Carol).

**Who ...**

- 1 ☐ **B** says their activity was uneventful at first? Why?
- 2 ☐ didn't finish their activity? Why not?
- 3 ☐ describes the sound that they heard? What was it like?
- 4 ☐ was surprised at the size of what they saw? How do they describe it?
- 5 ☐ has done the activity twice? Which time was best?
- 6 ☐ had their activity spoilt by the weather? How?