A **Use background knowledge.** Look at the pictures below. Describe the man's appearance in each one. Tell a partner.

> **Use Background Knowledge**
> Think about what you already know.

B **Listen for gist.** Read the sentences below. Then listen and fill in the blank.

Emily is at the airport. She is ____ her uncle Tim. CD 1 Track 5
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a. traveling with b. looking for c. talking to d. shopping for

C **Listen for details.** Now listen to the entire conversation. Circle the words that describe Uncle Tim before and now. Then check (✓) the correct picture of Uncle Tim now in **A.** CD 1 Track 6

> **Listening Strategy**
> **Listen for Details**
> Pay attention to specific information.

1. Uncle Tim before:

   short / tall short hair / long hair brown hair / blond hair

2. Uncle Tim now:

   short / tall short hair / long hair brown hair / blond hair

D Think about your appearance in the past. Is anything different now? Complete the sentences. Tell a partner.

In the past, I was _____.

Now I am _____.

In the past, I had _____.

Now I have _____.

> In the past, I had short, brown hair. Now I have long, blond hair.

> In the past, I was heavy. Now I am thin.