

## 2.6 Speaking

### Agreeing and disagreeing

#### 1 2.2 Listen and repeat the phrases.

#### SPEAKING Agreeing and disagreeing

##### Agreeing

I think that's a good/great idea.

I think so too.

Absolutely! I (totally) agree.

You can say that again!

##### Partially agreeing

Maybe you're right, but what can we do?

You've got a point, but it's very difficult.

True, but is there a better idea?

I suppose so/not.

I guess so/not.

##### Disagreeing

I don't agree. I (totally) disagree.

I don't think we should do that. I don't think so.

I'm not sure about that. That's not always true.

#### 2 Match the sentence halves.

1  Maybe you're

2  I totally

3  That's not

4  I'm not

5  I think that's a

6  Really? I

a sure about that.

b don't agree.

c right, but what else is there?

d agree.

e great idea.

f always true.

#### 3 Order the words to make sentences.

1 think / too / I / so

I think so too.

2 should / I / we / think / don't / that / do

3 disagree / I / totally

4 that / say / again / can / you / !

5 so / suppose / I

6 so / I / think / don't

#### 4 2.3 Complete the dialogue with one word in each gap. Then listen and check.

Kayla: OK, let's get started. So what ideas do we have for the class environmental project?

Dan: Well, I thought we could organise a garage sale to raise money for an environmental organisation.

Kayla: I'm not <sup>1</sup> **sure** about that. I mean, the idea is to do something that the whole class can get involved in rather than just raise money for a charity.

Anne: Yes, I <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ so too, Kayla.

Dan: Maybe you're <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, but what can we do?

Anne: I thought we could give a presentation on different ways to save energy at home.

Dan: Hmm ... Well, you've got a <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ about involving people, but I don't think we <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ limit ourselves like that. What about something where we take direct action? Could we go and collect plastic bags and aluminium cans, then recycle them?

Anne: I think that <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a great idea. Also, any money we make, we can donate to an environmental organisation, like you wanted to, Dan.

Kayla: Absolutely! I totally <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. This is going to be a great project!

Anne: You can say that <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_!

