

# Vocabulary and Listening

## Skills and abilities

- 1 1.12 Listen and repeat the words in the box.

act sing dance paint draw cook bake a cake play a musical instrument  
write songs tell jokes ride a motorbike do tricks drive a car speak a language

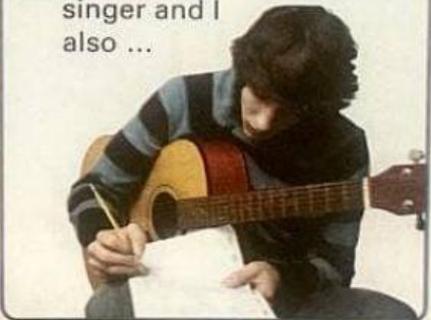
*They've got*  
**TALENT!** *Meet the contestants of tonight's show!*  
*Read their introductions ...*

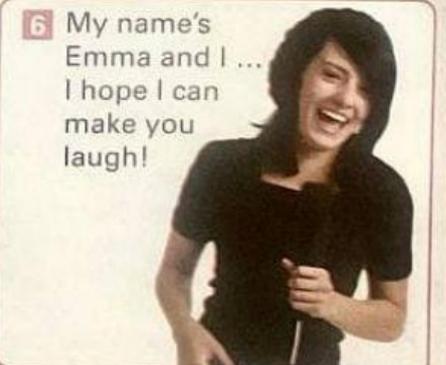
1 We're Kelly and Jamie and we ... together.  


2 I'm Ben and this is my dog Shelley. She can ...!  


3 We're from the Glamorgan Boys' Choir and we ... in Welsh and English.  


4 I'm Lara. I learned to ... when I was five years old! I play the drums.  


5 I'm Zak. I'm a singer and I also ...  


6 My name's Emma and I ... I hope I can make you laugh!  


- 2 1.13 Read and listen to the text. Copy and complete the introductions with words from exercise 1. Then listen and check your answers.

### LOOK!

I can / can't **dance**.

I'm good / not very good at **dancing**.



### EXPRESS YOURSELF

- 3 Work in pairs. What skills and abilities have you got? Compare your skills and abilities.

I'm good at drawing, but I can't write poetry. How about you?

I can ...

- 4 1.14 Listen to part of a TV talent show. Which contestants from exercise 1 are the judges talking to?

- 5 Listen again. Are the sentences true or false? Correct the false sentences.

- 1 The first contestant has got a strong voice.
- 2 Zak doesn't have singing lessons.
- 3 He wins this part of the competition.
- 4 The judges like Kelly and Jamie.
- 5 They don't practise every day.
- 6 They looked unhappy when they were performing.