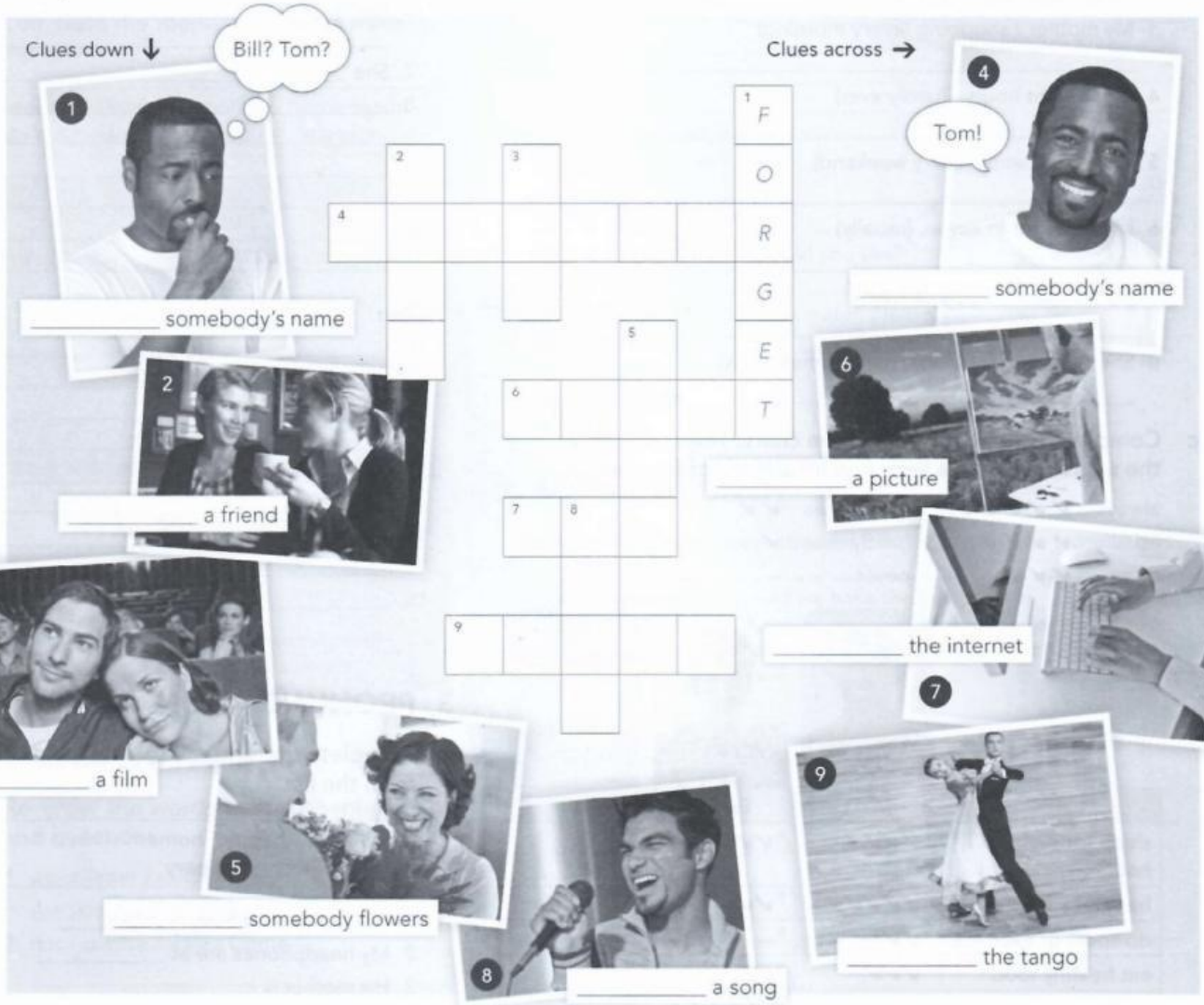
5A Vote for me!

In the future everyone will be famous for fifteen minutes.
Andy Warhol, American painter

G *can / can't* **V** verb phrases: *buy a newspaper, etc.* **P** sentence stress

1 VOCABULARY verb phrases

a Complete the crossword with the correct verb.



b Complete the verbs in the verb phrases.

1 b u y a newspaper
2 dr___ a picture
3 l_____ for your keys
4 r___ a race
5 s_____ a text message
6 sw___ in the sea
7 t_____ a photo
8 w_____ for a bus

c Complete the sentences with verbs from the list.

call find hear help leave talk tell try

1 I want to go home now. Let's call _____ a taxi.
2 Please _____ me. I can't open the door.
3 Don't _____ your bag in the car. Take it with you.
4 Who do you usually _____ your secrets to?
5 How often do you _____ to do something difficult?
6 Hi, this is Paul. Can you _____ me?
7 I don't understand this. I need to _____ to the teacher.
8 We can't _____ a parking space. There are a lot of cars.

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2 GRAMMAR *can / can't*

a Match sentences 1–6 to a–f.

1 Can you help me with my homework? c
2 Can you give me my glasses? ___
3 Can you call my mum? ___
4 Can you speak more slowly? ___
5 Can you make dinner for 8.30? ___
6 Can you tell me your name again? ___

a I can't come before then.
b I can't see.
c ~~I can't do it.~~
d I can't find my phone.
e I can't understand you.
f I can't remember it.

b Write a sentence with *can / can't* for each picture.

cross see talk turn



1 You *can cross* now.



2 I _____ now.



3 Dr Atkins _____ you now.



4 We _____ right here!

c Write a sentence for each picture with *can / can't*.



1 *They can't sing.*



2 _____.



3 _____.



4 _____.

d Write a question with *you* for each picture. Then write your answer: *Yes, I can.* or *No, I can't.*

		Your answer
1	*Can* you *sing*?	_____.
2	_____ you _____?	_____.
3	_____ you _____?	_____.
4	_____ you _____?	_____.

3 PRONUNCIATION sentence stress

a 5.1 Listen and repeat.

1 **A** Can you speak German?
B Yes, I can. ✔
2 I can't find the keys.
3 She can sing.
4 Where can I buy a newspaper?
5 **A** Can you cook?
B No, I can't.
6 He can't swim.

b 5.1 Listen again. Tick (✔) the sentences where *can / can't* is stressed.

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