

## 1 4.03 Listen and repeat the phrases.

## SPEAKING Talking about preferences

## Asking about preferences

(What) would you rather do?

(What) would you prefer to do?

## Expressing preferences

I'd rather (not) go to the cinema.

I'd prefer (not) to go to the theatre.

## Giving reasons

It sounds funny/great/boring.

It looks good.

It's healthier.

## 2 Order the words to make sentences.

- 1 you / rather / on / Saturday / what / do / would / ?

*What would you rather do on Saturday?*

- 2 prefer / go / to / I'd / shopping / .

- 3 film / this / very / sounds / funny / .

- 4 you / where / go / would / rather / on holiday / ?

- 5 tonight / prefer / what / do / to / you / would / ?

- 6 rather / I'd / film / at home / watch / a / .

## 3 Complete the sentences with these words.

healthier look prefer rather (x2) sounds

- 1 Let's have salad. It's
- healthier*
- .

- 2 There are two comedies on. Which one would you
- \_\_\_\_\_
- to see?

- 3 I'd
- \_\_\_\_\_
- have something to eat first and then go to the cinema.

- 4 The festival
- \_\_\_\_\_
- boring. I don't want to go.

- 5 Which event would you
- \_\_\_\_\_
- go to this afternoon?

- 6 All the shows
- \_\_\_\_\_
- great – it's difficult to choose.

## 4 Choose the correct response.

- 1 How was the music workshop?

a I'd prefer to do the dance workshop.

b Great! I loved it!

c What would you rather do?

- 2 I'd rather see the puppet show.

a How was it?

b What would you prefer to see?

c OK. Cool! Let's do that.

- 3 Where would you rather eat?

a I'd prefer a pizza restaurant.

b No, thanks.

c OK. Cool!

- 4 I'd prefer to go to the photography class.

a Definitely the comedy workshop.

b Yeah, it sounds great.

c Why not?

## 5 4.04 Complete the dialogue with sentences a–g. There is one extra sentence. Listen and check.

Mark: That was a great film. I'd like to be an actor one day.

Tamsin: Really? <sup>1</sup> *d*.

Mark: Why?

Tamsin: <sup>2</sup> *\_\_\_\_\_*. You can make all the decisions.

Mark: That's true. But actors can be anyone they want. Are you hungry?

Tamsin: Yes! But <sup>3</sup> *\_\_\_\_\_*, not at the cinema.Mark: OK. I know two places we can go. <sup>4</sup> *\_\_\_\_\_*?Tamsin: I've stopped eating meat so no burgers for me. <sup>5</sup> *\_\_\_\_\_*.Mark: That's good. <sup>6</sup> *\_\_\_\_\_* too!

a It's more interesting

b Would you prefer to have pizza or burgers

c It's tastier

d I'd prefer to be a director

e Would you rather go to the cinema

f Pizza sounds good

g I'd rather eat in town