

**Hello!**

**Welcome to Opportunities & Serendipity English Course!**



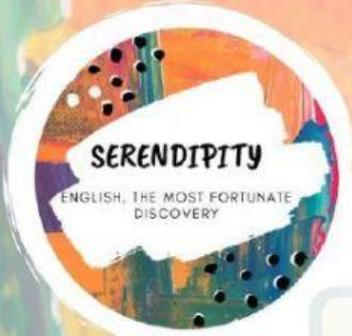
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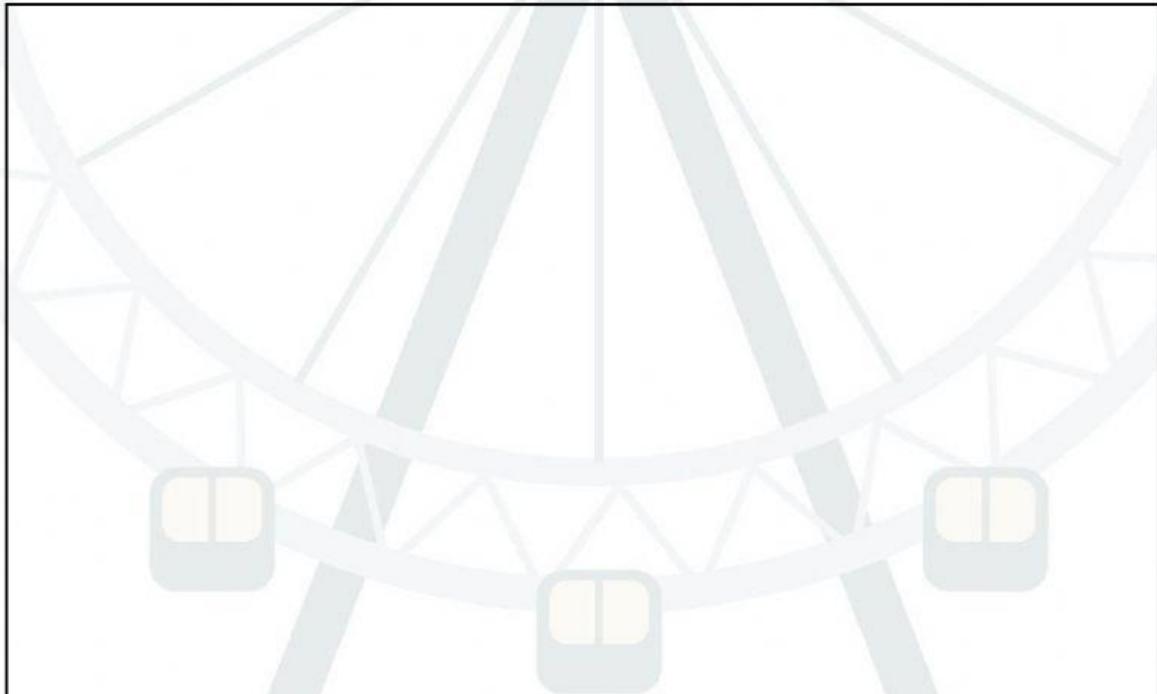
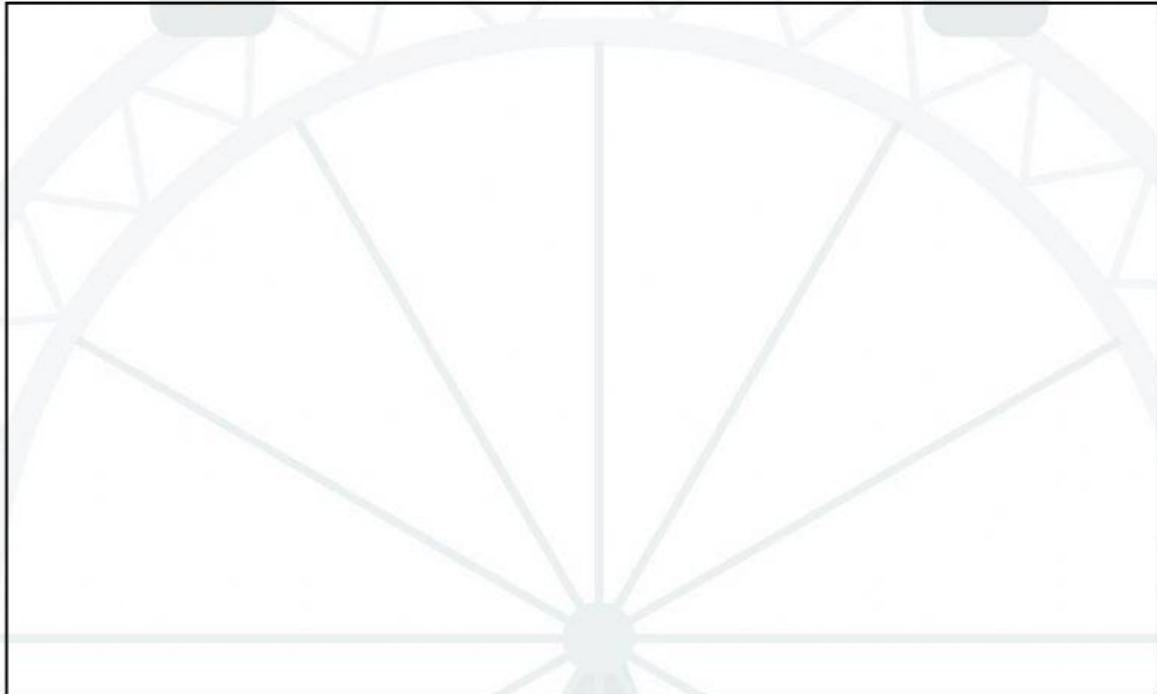
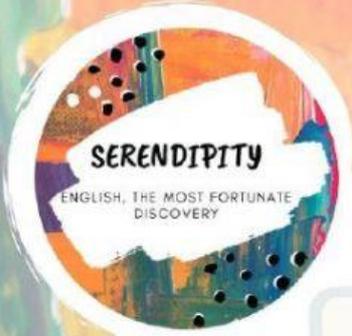
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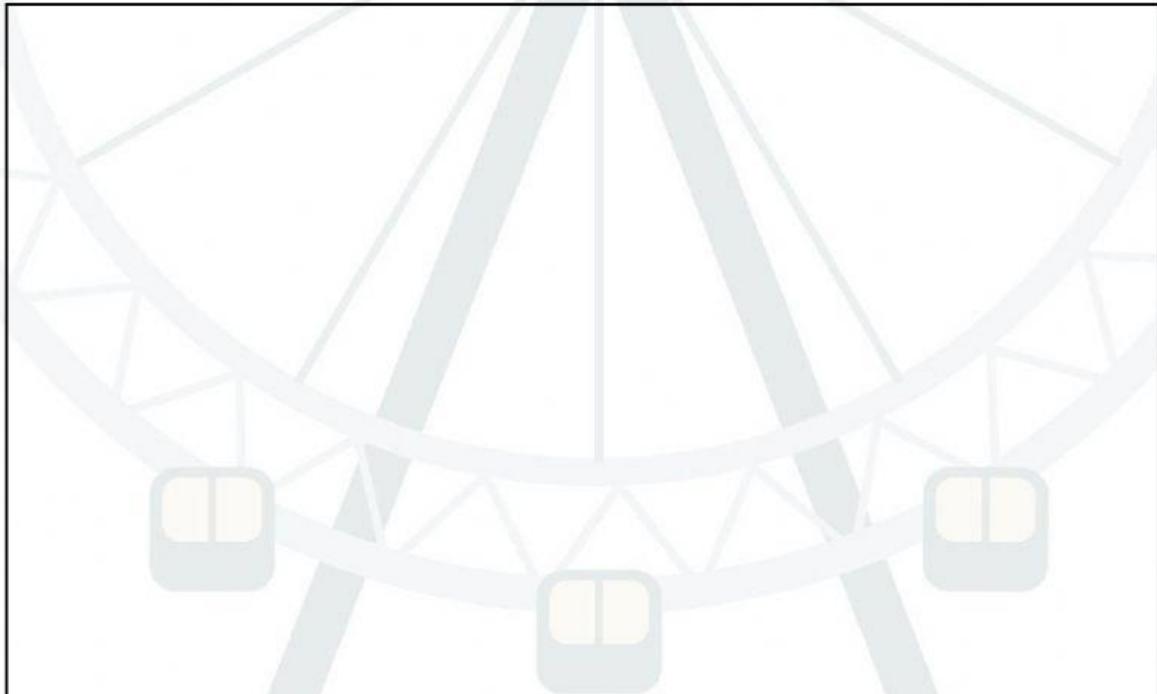
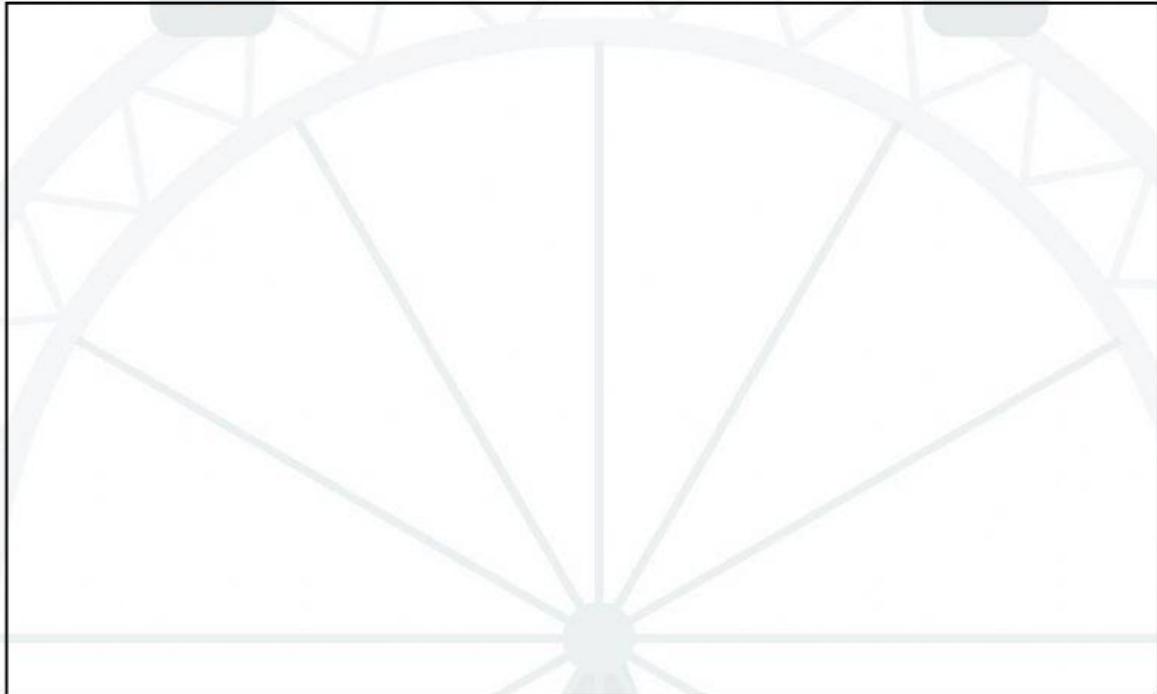
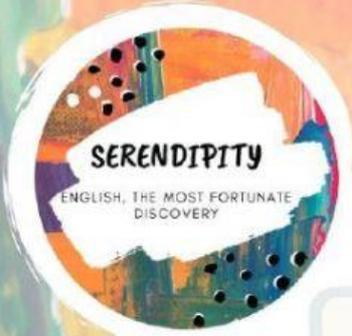
**Time to go home**

**Rob and Jenny.**

Let's meet Rob and Jenny.

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**Rob and Jenny talk about the future.**

a. Watch or listen to Rob and Jenny. Mark the sentences T (true) or F (false).

1. Rob is going home today.
2. He says it will be difficult to stay in touch.
3. Jenny suggests that she could go to London.
4. Rob thinks it's a good idea.
5. They're going to a restaurant tonight.
6. Barbara wants to talk to Jenny.

**British and American English**

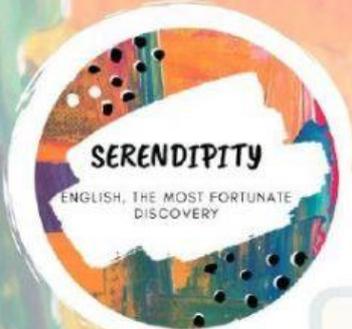
You just missed him = American English;  
You've just missed him = British English  
cell (phone) = American English;  
mobile (phone) = British English

b. Watch or listen again. Say why the F sentences are false.

**On the phone.**

a. Watch or listen. Answer the questions.

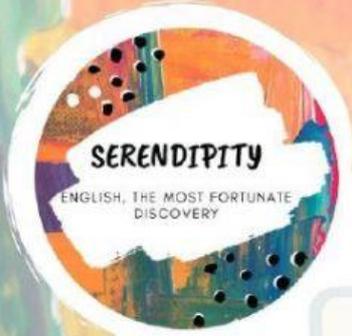
1. Who does Rob want to speak to?
2. How many times does he have to call?



b. Watch or listen again. Complete the You Hear phrases.

You hear	You say
Hello. Broadway Grill.	Oh, sorry. I have the wrong number.
NewYork24seven. ..... can I help you?	Hello. Can I speak to Barbara Keaton, please?
Just a second. I'll put you ..... Hello.	Hi, is that Barbara?
No, I'm sorry. She's not at her ..... right now.	Can I leave a message, please?
Sure.	Can you tell her Rob Walker called? I'll call back later.
I'll give her the ..... . You could try her cell phone.	Yes, I'll do that. Thank you.
I'm sorry, I can't take your ..... at the moment. Please ..... a message after the beep.	Hello, Barbara. This is Rob returning your call.
NewYork24seven. How can I help you?	Hello. It's Rob again. Can I speak to Barbara, please?
Just a second. I'm sorry, the line's ..... Do you want to hold?	OK, I'll hold.
Hello.	Hi, Barbara. It's me, Rob.
Rob, hi! I tried to call you earlier.	What did you want to talk about?

c. Watch or listen and repeat the You Say phrases. Copy rhythm.



**In the Central Park again**

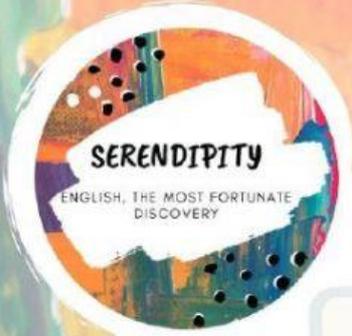
a. Watch or listen to Rob and Jenny. Is it a happy ending or a sad ending?

b. Watch or listen again and answer the questions.

- 1 Who has some news?
- 2 What did Barbara offer Rob?
- 3 What did Jenny do this morning?
- 4 What does Jenny ask Barbara to do?

c. Look at the Social English phrases. Can you remember any of the missing words?

**Social English phrases**  
**Rob** You ..... first.  
**Jenny** That's great .....  
**Jenny** I'll ..... her.  
**Jenny** I'll explain .....  
**Barbara** Is everything .....?  
**Jenny** ..... better.



d. Watch or listen and complete the phrases.  
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e. Watch or listen again and repeat the phrases. How do you say them in your language?

