

3 Read the language box. Choose the correct verb to complete the sentences.

A tell, talk

- 1 Tell / Talk us a story.
- 2 She didn't tell / talk me the answer.
- 3 If I have a problem, I tell / talk to my friends.

B say, speak

- 4 Say / Speak the alphabet in English.
- 5 We say / speak two languages at home.
- 6 My sisters say / speak in very quiet voices.

C hear, listen

- 7 Please hear / listen to your teacher.
- 8 Hear / Listen! This song is amazing!
- 9 Can you hear / listen me now?

4 e Read the blog post. For each question, choose the correct answer.

When in Rome, ...

This time last year my dad and I were getting onto a plane to take us from our home in Canada to Italy. My teacher had often ¹..... us stories about her life when she lived in Rome, and I couldn't wait to experience all that myself. I'd taken Italian lessons, but it was difficult to ²..... notices and things into English because they used so many words I didn't know. I spent ages preparing questions, but whenever they gave the answers or ³..... their ideas, it just came out so fast!

Fortunately, the hotel staff could ⁴..... both Italian and English, and they helped us a lot. In fact, I found it easier to ⁵..... to them than other people in Italy. One day, my dad hired a car and we were driving around. We stopped at the red light, but all the cars behind started beeping at us. My dad was getting really upset. Eventually, the driver behind came up to ⁶..... to my dad. 'Signore,' he said, very politely, 'In Italy the red lights are more of a suggestion than a rule!'

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| 1 A spoken | B said | C told | D explained |
| 2 A talk | B mean | C listen | D translate |
| 3 A explained | B spoke | C understood | D pronounced |
| 4 A tell | B say | C speak | D talk |
| 5 A say | B talk | C hear | D listen |
| 6 A pronounce | B speak | C translate | D tell |