

 **Identify key details.** Listen to the first part of a lecture. What are reasons people lie? List the two reasons you hear. Are either of these reasons on your list from **A**?

Reasons people lie

1. _____
2. _____

 **Infer meaning.** Read sentences 1–4. The speakers use the expressions in *italics* in the talk. Listen to the full lecture and choose the best answer.

1. If someone tells you a *white lie*, they tell a lie to _____.
a. hurt your feelings b. be polite c. make you laugh
2. If you *catch someone in a lie*, you _____.
a. discover a person is lying b. forgive a person for lying c. tell someone a big lie
3. If you *hesitate* when you are talking, you speak in a _____ way.
a. clear, direct b. careful, honest c. nervous, uncertain
4. A *dishonest* person _____ truthful.
a. is b. might be c. is not

Listening Strategy

Infer Meaning

Use context to figure out what the words and phrases mean.

 **Listen for gist.** Read the sentences. Then listen again. Circle T for *True* or F for *False*.

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1. Diego's sister probably knew he was lying.	T	F
2. For most people, it's hard to lie well.	T	F
3. If a person won't make eye contact with you, he's probably lying.	T	F