

Complete the conversation with the expressions in the box. Use each expression twice.

I see that must be you must be you see



Akina Hey, Omar. I hear you're going away for a while. Where to?

Omar Yeah, I'm leaving for Paris next week.

Akina You're kidding! Wow, you must be excited!

Omar I am. I've never been there before. _____, I'm going to do some research for my next book. That's always the best part – the research.

Akina I bet. _____ fun. So, what's your book about?

Omar It's a love story, of course.

Akina _____. Uh . . . can you share any details yet?

Omar I guess. Hmm . . . let's see. It's about a young girl who goes to visit a friend in Paris. And well, you know, she meets a mysterious young man, they fall in love, and lots of things happen.

Akina Really? What kind of things?

Omar Well, I don't want to say yet. _____, I want to keep the details a surprise.

Akina I understand. But, gosh, _____ hard. I can never keep secrets.

Omar I know what you mean. It's difficult sometimes.

Akina So, tell me what else you're doing in Paris.

Omar Oh. I'm going to read from my last novel at an English-language bookstore.

Akina Great! _____ pleased about that. Will you be nervous?

Omar No, not at all. I've done it several times. It's part of the job of being a writer.

Akina _____. Well, have a wonderful trip. Good luck with your research.

Omar Thanks. I'll tell you all about it when I get back.