

AGREE AND DISAGREE

Place the expression in the correct box

I agree

That's true

To be honest, ...

I'm sorry

What do you think about...?

I'm not convinced

No way!

Absolutely!

I just don't think...

I'm not so sure about that

If you ask me...

Are you kidding?

I think...

That's not true

I'm afraid I completely disagree

The thing is ...

I don't agree with you

Asking for someone's opinion	Giving an opinion	Agreeing with an opinion
Half agreeing with an opinion	Disagreeing	Disagreeing strongly

Read the conversations and choose the correct options.

- 1 A: What do you think about the fact that professional footballers are paid so much money?
B: *To be honest, / No way! I think it's ridiculous.*
- 2 A: Do you think we will win the next World Cup?
B: *Are you kidding? / That's true. With our current team we don't have a chance.*
- 3 A: Aerobics is only for women.
B: *That's not true. / I agree. There are several men in my class.*
- 4 A: Oh come on, referee! That was clearly a foul. Don't you think, Sam?
B: *I'm not convinced. / Absolutely. It looked OK to me.*
- 5 A: I just don't think we do enough sport at school.
B: *The thing is / I agree I don't really enjoy sport, so I don't mind.*
- 6 A: Helen thinks motor racing is too dangerous and should be banned.
B: *Well, I agree / if you ask me, the drivers have a choice, don't they? I mean, they don't have to take part.*
- 7 A: I'm glad they have decided to let girls play in the school football team, aren't you?
B: *Personally, I don't feel strongly one way or another. / Absolutely. I suppose it's good for the girls who are into football. I'd prefer to go to the gym.*