Mark listens to a Eurosport radio interview with a famous sports person.

Some parts were erased so listen carefully to the interview and complete the missing parts. Check your answers with your partner.

Interviewer (I): We are very happy to have such a famous person here today.

Guest (G): I am always happy to talk about sports with children!



I: How did you become so famous?

G: I practise a lot. I (1)____well. I (2)_____ healthily.
And, my family is always behind me.

I: How many hours do you (3)_____each day?

G: Usually about (4)___ hours, plus I always go to the gym to keep fit.

I: Is the (5)_____you eat important?

G: Yes, it is very important for a (6)_____ player to eat well, like any other professional sports person.

I: After a very successful career in Greece nearly winning the world cup, you are now living in the States. Do you enjoy life in Houston?

G: It's different but I like it very much. I sometimes miss home. Of course I still (7)_____for Greece and I often come to Athens.



I: What do you (8)_____in the evenings in Houston?

G: I often (9)_____Greek films!!

I: What do you have to recommend to young children who want to play basketball at a professional level?

G: You can be successful only if you always (10)_____ very hard and you are passionate about the game. And of course you need to be talented as well.

I: Thank you. It was a pleasure having you here.

E VOCABULARY ABC

In 2005 Pelé, the famous footballer, visited Xanthi to open the new sports stadium. Imagine a famous person is coming to your town and you want to interview him/her. Look at the interview again (Activity B, p. 30) and find what phrases you could use when:



We want to welcome someone .....

We want to answer back in a polite way .....

We want to ask if someone likes the place he/she lives in .....

We want to know what we can do to be better .....

We want to end an interview .....

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