Look at the pictures and write what each person wishes, using the words given.

1



be / tall and strong

I wish I were tall and strong.

or I wish I was tall and strong.

2



have / car

3



work / office

4



live / with my son

5



can / swim

6



not / live / city

7



be / helicopter pilot

8



not / have / short hair

102 Complete the conversations using **wish**.

1 SUE: My mother's really angry with me.
PAM: Why?
SUE: Because she's found out where I was last weekend.
PAM: Oh, yes. I told her.
SUE: Well, I wish you hadn't told (not / tell) her. It's not your business.
PAM: I'm sorry.

2 TONY: Have you seen Ben's new jacket? I bet it was expensive.
ANA: He told me it cost him 700 Euros.
TONY: Wow! I ..... (have) as much money as him.
ANA: Well, you may not be rich, but you're much better looking than Ben.
TONY: Am I?

3 GARY: You seem to enjoy dancing with Luke.
JANE: Yes, I do. He's a very good dancer.
GARY: I ..... (learn) to dance when I was young.
JANE: You could learn now.
GARY: Oh, I'd feel stupid in a dancing class at my age.

4 EVA: I went to Indonesia last month.
MAY: Really? My brother's working in Jakarta now.
EVA: I ..... (realise). I could have met up with him.
MAY: Yes, it's a pity. You must tell me if you're going there again.

5 FRED: My parents moved to São Paolo last month.
ALI: How do they like it?
FRED: My mother likes it, but my father misses the sea. He ..... (not / move) there.
ALI: Perhaps he'll get used to it.
FRED: I doubt it.

6 LUCY: You haven't seen my MP3 player, have you?
CHLOE: No, I haven't.
LUCY: I ..... (know) what I'd done with it.
CHLOE: I hope you didn't leave it in the taxi last night.
LUCY: So do I!

7 KAY: My brothers are digging a swimming pool.
JILL: That sounds like hard work!
KAY: It is. Actually, I suspect they ..... (never / start). But they can't stop now. There's a great big hole in the middle of the garden!
JILL: Yes, I see what you mean.