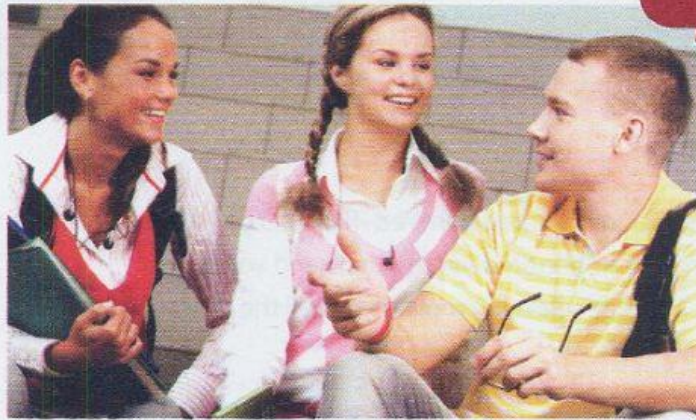


## Getting Ready



I think the best solution is . . .



## CD 3-17 Listening 1

People are expressing opinions. What topic are they talking about? Listen and circle the correct answer.

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|--|-------------------------|
| 1. <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. the Olympic Games | 4. a. space exploration |
| b. air travel  | b. medical research     |
| 2. a. video games  | 5. a. winter sports     |
| b. cell phones   | b. bungee jumping       |
| 3. a. TV commercials                                     | 6. a. tourism           |
| b. rock music  | b. pets                 |

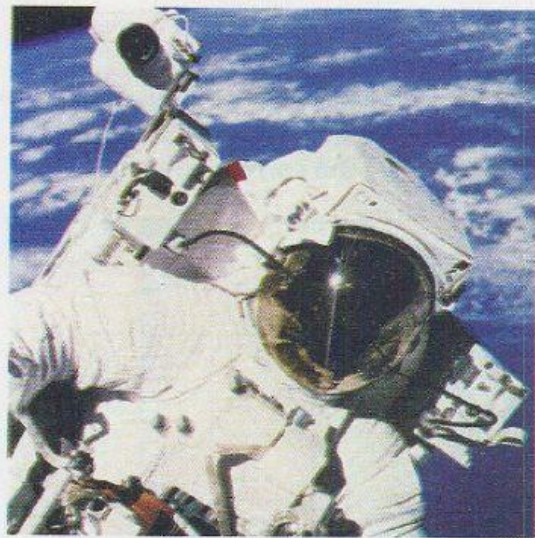


## Listening 2

### CD 3-18 ▶ Task 1

People are giving opinions about these topics. Are they for or against them? Listen and check (✓) the correct answer.

	For	Against
1. space exploration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. TV commercials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Olympic Games	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. tourism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. action movies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. big cars	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



### CD 3-18 ▶ Task 2

Listen again. What reason does each person give? Circle the correct answer.

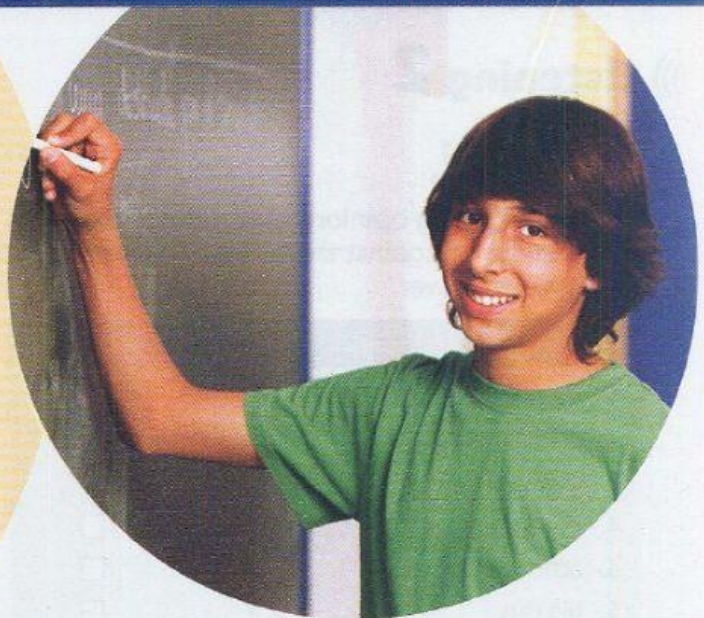
- It's too expensive.
  - It's how we learn about the universe.
  - It isn't important.
- They're too short.
  - They interrupt her favorite programs.
  - They're boring.
- They encourage an interest in sports.
  - They cost too much.
  - Her country always wins.
- It creates pollution.
  - It's fun to meet visitors.
  - It brings jobs and money to the city.
- They're too violent.
  - They're too boring.
  - They're too loud.
- They take too much gas.
  - There isn't enough parking.
  - They cost too much.

## Listening 3

### CD 3-19 ► Task 1

People are giving their opinions. Do they agree or disagree? Listen and check (✓) the correct answer.

	Agree	Disagree
1.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



### CD 3-19 ► Task 2

Listen again. Are these statements true or false? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	True	False
1. He thinks second language skills can help people get good jobs.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. She thinks lawyers work hard.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. He thinks most TV shows are for older people.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. He had to wait an hour for the bus.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. She likes to try things on before she buys them.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. The rain is good for her garden.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## Dictation

### CD 3-21 ▶ Task 1

Listen to the conversation. Write the missing words.

A: What \_\_\_\_\_ about the new mall?

B: I don't know. I haven't shopped there yet. Have you?

A: Yeah, I have. I went last weekend. I liked it a lot. It has a ton of stores, lots of great restaurants, and a \_\_\_\_\_.

B: Oh, I'll have to check it out soon. It sounds so much better than the old mall.

A: It is. The old mall is \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and too \_\_\_\_\_.

B: I agree.