

## 2 Um, actually, . . .

### Conversation strategies

Circle the best response for each conversation starter.

1. I don't know anyone here. Do you?  
 a. Um, actually, I know everybody.  
 b. Actually, I don't know her.
2. So, are you British?  
 a. Actually, where are you from?  
 b. I'm Australian, actually.
3. Boy, it's hot today.  
 a. Actually, I think it's OK.  
 b. Well, actually, I do.
4. I like your jacket. Is it new?  
 a. Actually, I like them, too.  
 b. No, it's my sister's, actually.
5. This TV show is really interesting.  
 a. It's a movie, actually.  
 b. Actually, it was my grandfather's.
6. Do you work around here?  
 a. No, I have a job, actually.  
 b. Actually, I'm a full-time student.
7. It's a beautiful day. I love warm weather.  
 a. You do, actually.  
 b. Actually, I kind of like cold weather.
8. The bus is really late today.  
 a. It's late every day, actually.  
 b. Actually, it is late.

## 3 First day of class

### Conversation strategies

Imagine it's the first day of English class. Respond to each conversation starter.

1. I don't know anyone here. Me neither. By the way, I'm James.
2. This is a really big class. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Is it warm in here, or is it me? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Do you have a dictionary? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Are you a friend of Meg's? \_\_\_\_\_
6. I really like your cell phone. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Our teacher is really cool. \_\_\_\_\_