

### Exercise 5

Complete the conversation. Use the correct form of the verbs in brackets. The first answer has been done for you.

**A:** I was really happy at work last year. But then my boss retired (retire) in December. So they \_\_\_\_\_ (promote) one of my colleagues to the role of marketing manager. But he was terrible. He decided he didn't need so many employees in his team, so a lot of people \_\_\_\_\_ (lose) their jobs. It was really stressful. I didn't lose my job, but I had to work twice as hard for the same money. In the end, I \_\_\_\_\_ (quit). Then, a few weeks later, my new boss lost his job. The directors \_\_\_\_\_ (sack) him because he had done such a bad job since taking over.

**B:** Oh no! So does that mean you're looking for a new job? My company's trying to \_\_\_\_\_ (hire) a new marketing assistant at the moment, if you're interested.

**A:** Yes, I know. I've already \_\_\_\_\_ (apply) for the job. I \_\_\_\_\_ (send) my CV and covering letter last week.

**B:** Oh, that's great. I'm sure they \_\_\_\_\_ (select) you to come for an interview.

**A:** Maybe. But I'm also going to \_\_\_\_\_ (email) my CV to some employment agencies.

**B:** That's a good idea. Good luck, I'm sure you'll find something soon.