

Listening Practice

- a A British woman (Eve) and an American woman (Wendy) are on a flight from London to New York. Listen to the conversation and number the pictures 1–4.

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- b Read the conversation and complete it with words from the list.

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| 1 | Eve | Do you like the book? |
| | Wendy | Yes, I do. It's very good. |
| | Eve | She's my ¹ _____ writer. I love her books. |
| 2 | Eve | Do you live in New York? |
| | Wendy | No, I don't. I live in London. My husband and I work for a British company. |
| | Eve | Oh! Do you have ² _____? |
| | Wendy | No, we don't. |
| | Eve | I have two sons and a daughter. David and Andrew are at university, and Carla's at school. Look. Here are some photos... This is a photo of our ³ _____ in Barbados. Do you know Barbados? |
| | Wendy | No, I don't. |
| 3 | Attendant | Do you want ⁴ _____, fish, or pasta? |
| | Eve | Oh, fish, please. |
| | Wendy | Pasta for me, please. |
| | Eve | Is your pasta nice? |
| | Wendy | It's ⁵ _____. |
| | Eve | This fish isn't very good. ⁶ _____ me, I don't like this fish. Can I have the pasta, please? |
| | Attendant | I'm sorry, madam. The pasta is finished. |
| 4 | Eve | Oh, I need to go to the toilet. Oops, sorry. |
| | Wendy | Excuse me. What time do we arrive? |
| | Attendant | In ⁷ _____ minutes, madam. |
| | Wendy | That's good! |

