UNIT 6: GOOD TIMES – DIFFERENT TYPES OF ENTERTAINMENT

VOCABULARY. 1. Fill the chart with the translation of the following verbs:

VERBS: REPORTING	TRANSLATION
Add	
Admit	
Agree	
Boast	
Complain	
Confirm	
Deny	
Insist	
Mention	
Point out	
Recommend	
Reply	
Reveal	
state	

Match the words 1–7 to the comments a–g. Then listen and repeat.

1	recommend	▾	**a**	'It was me. I did it.'
2	agree	▾	**b**	'I'm the most talented person in the world.'
3	complain	▾	**c**	'You should try that new restaurant. It's great.'
4	deny	▾	**d**	'It's so expensive to go to the cinema these days.'
5	admit	▾	**e**	'I think you're right.'
6	boast	▾	**f**	'Honestly, I didn't do it.'
7	insist	▾	**g**	'That's my seat. I have to sit there.'

LIVEWORKSHEETS

3. Match conversations 1-4 to photos A-D. What are the people talking about?

1 'Tim's going to be too scared to go on the new ride!' **said** Lily.

Tim **denied** it strongly and **stated**, 'I'm not scared of that thing!'

2 'His voice doesn't sound anything like it does on his album,' **mentioned** Alisha.

'Yes, he sounds terrible live,' **admitted** Amy.

3 'This author's last novel was a bestseller,' **pointed out** Mark.

'I know, and his new one is already at number 10 on the bestseller list,' Andy **confirmed**.

4 'The plot is a little dull at times, but the acting is excellent. I'd definitely tell others to go and see it,' **recommended** Harry.

'True, the acting is good,' **agreed** Chloë.

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1 * Match sentence halves 1–6 to A–F.

If you ...

1 agree with someone,	.....	A	you answer their question.
2 recommend something,	.....	B	you have the same opinion.
3 reveal something,	.....	C	you say something extra.
4 confirm something,	.....	D	you say it is true.
5 add something,	.....	E	you say it is very good.
6 reply to someone,	.....	F	you give previously unknown information.

2 ** Choose the correct option.

1 Robin bought the cinema tickets. I tried to pay for mine, but he … .

A confirmed B admitted C insisted

2 It … on the tickets that our seats were F1 and F2.

A revealed B stated C agreed

3 We … to two people that they were in our seats.

A pointed out B boasted C agreed

4 They shook their heads and … that they were in our seats.

A denied B replied C stated

5 When they saw our tickets, they … that they had made a mistake.

A complained B admitted C recommended

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3 * Complete the sentences with the correct form of a reporting verb.**

1 The doctor told me to rest and **a**..... that I should drink plenty of water, too.

2 Everyone was very surprised when Stephen **r**..... that his father had been in a pop group.

3 I invited people to my party, but I forgot to **m**..... what time it started.

4 After denying that he was involved in the robbery, the man eventually **a**..... stealing the money.

5 'Would you **r**..... that book?' 'Not really. I didn't like many of the characters.'

6 I thought it was a brilliant film, but only one of my friends **a**..... . The rest thought it was awful.

7 After a terrible night's sleep, I **c**..... to the hotel manager that the bed was very uncomfortable.

8 Toby is so arrogant. He **b**..... that he's the best footballer in the team, but he isn't.

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