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NICE TALKING TO YOU

1 FUNCTIONAL LANGUAGE: Making introductions, saying how you know someone, and ending a conversation

A Put each sentence in the correct place in the chart.

I work with Tony.

I'm Sonia.

This is Maria, my wife.

It was nice talking to you.

It was really nice to meet you.

How do you know Ivan?

Introductions	Saying how you know someone	Ending a conversation
This is Maria, my wife.		

B Complete the conversation using sentences from exercise 1A. You do not need to use all of the sentences.

A Hi! ¹ _____.

B Nice to meet you. So, ² _____?

A Well, we worked together when we were in college.

B Cool. Oh wow, it's getting late. ³ _____.

A It was good talking to you, too.

2 REAL-WORLD STRATEGY: Meeting someone you've heard about

A Put the conversations in order.

Conversation 1

It's nice to meet you, Brian. I've heard
good things about you.

Hello. I'm Andy. I work with Tina.
Oh, that's nice.

Hi, Andy. I'm Brian. I'm Tina's brother.

Conversation 2

Hi, Ken. I'm Luis. It's nice to meet you.
I've heard a lot about you.

Yes, only good things!
Hi, I'm Ken. I'm Tina's husband.
Good things, I hope!



3 FUNCTIONAL LANGUAGE AND REAL-WORLD STRATEGY

A Read the information. Then complete the conversations with the correct words and phrases in the box.

Conversation 1

Daniel is Heather's husband.

Heather and Tom are in school together.

I've heard good things about you! in my English class my husband Oh, that's nice.

Heather Hi, Tom. This is Daniel, ¹ my husband . Daniel, this is Tom.
He is ² .

Daniel Hi, Tom. It's great to meet you. ³

Tom ⁴ I've heard good things about you, too!

Conversation 2

Vincent is Laurie's brother. Carlo works with Vincent.

Julia is Carlo's wife. Laurie is married to Sam.

husband	wife	Good things I hope!
work with	sister	I've heard a lot about you!

Carlo Hi, I'm Carlo. I ⁵ Vincent. How do you know him?

Laurie Hi, Carlo. I'm Laurie, Vincent's ⁶ .

Carlo ⁷

Laurie ⁸

Carlo Yes, only good things! This is my ⁹ , Julia.

Laurie Hi, Julia. It's so nice to meet you. This is my ¹⁰ , Sam.

B Now imagine you are at a party with a friend, and you see a classmate. Introduce them. Have them say that they've heard about each other. Then end the conversation.

You Hi, _____! How nice to see you here! This is my friend, _____.

Friend

Classmate Hi, _____.

Friend

Classmate

Friend

Classmate

You

