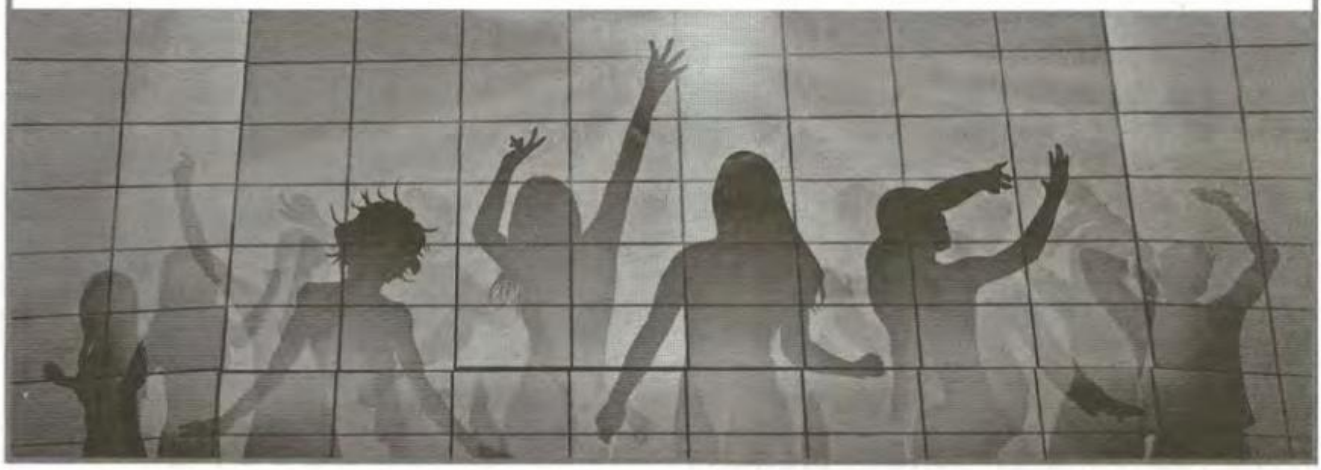
3A SONG This is the Life

a Listen to the song. Circle the correct word for each gap.

This is the Life

Oh the wind whistles down	
The cold [1]_____ street tonight	(dark) / hard
And the people they were [2]_____	asking / dancing
To the music vibe	
And the [3]_____ chase the girls with the curls in their hair	men / boys
While the shy tormented youth sit way over there	
And the songs they get louder, each one [4]_____ than before	better / louder
Chorus	
And you're singing the songs, [5]_____ *this is the life*	*singing / thinking*
And you [6]_____ *in the morning and your head feels twice the size*	*wake up / get up*
Where you gonna go? Where you gonna go? Where you gonna [7]_____ *tonight?*	*sleep / stay*
(repeat)	
So you're heading down the [8]_____ in your taxi for four	road / street
And you're [9]_____ outside Jimmy's front door	standing / waiting
But nobody's in and nobody's home till four	
So you're [10]_____ there with nothing to do	sitting / singing
Talking about Robert Riger and his motley crew	
And where you're gonna go and where you're gonna sleep tonight	
Chorus	



b Listen again to check and write the correct word in the gaps.

SONG FACTS

This song was originally recorded by Amy Macdonald, a Scottish singer and songwriter. At the age of just 20, she had a top-ten hit with *This is the Life* in 17 countries and the song was used for a Fiat advertisement in Europe in 2010. *This is the Life* was also the name of her first album.

GLOSSARY

whistles = makes a high sound
vibe = strong positive feeling from a place, or from music
chase = run after, try to catch
shy tormented youth = emotional young people
this is the life = this is fantastic
your head feels twice the size = you feel terrible
you gonna = are you going to
heading = going
motley crew = group of friends

LIVEWORKSHEETS