GRAMMAR

cleft sentences

3 A **Match the sentences beginnings (1–6) with the endings (a–f).**

1 What theatre performers enjoy
2 It was my school drama teacher, Ms White
3 What I hoped to get across in the screenplay
4 What happened next
5 What Hannah wanted to do as a child
6 What I'd really like to find out
7 It was only when we finished the play
8 What I really love about being in a band

a who suggested I apply to acting school.
b was that Johannes fell off the stage!
c is making music with my friends.
d is getting immediate feedback from the audience.
e that we discovered there was a talent scout in the crowd.
f was become an opera singer.
g is whether I'm playing the lead role.
h was the character's sense of despair.

B **The sentences below have a mistake. Choose the best option to correct the mistake.**

1 <u>That</u> I want to know is how to get into film acting.
a It's **b** What **c** How

2 It was Candice <u>who wants</u> to go into the circus, not Toni.
a who want **b** which wants **c** who wanted

3 It <u>were</u> my grandparents who gave me my 'lucky' socks.
a was **b** is **c** are

4 <u>It</u> the performers did was pretend to be audience members.
a They're **b** It's **c** What

PRONUNCIATION

4 A **3.02 | emphatic stress | Listen and underline the stressed words.**

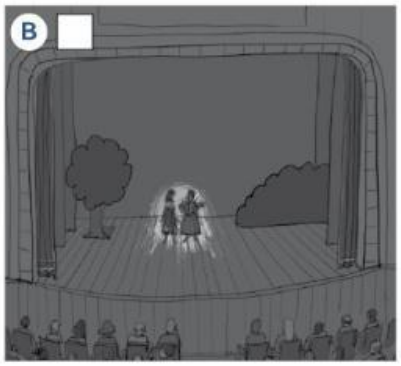
1 What I like watching are the less well-known acts.
2 It was Max who left the car unlocked, not me.
3 What sounds better to me is finishing on a minor chord.
4 It's you who likes Italian opera – that's why I got the tickets!

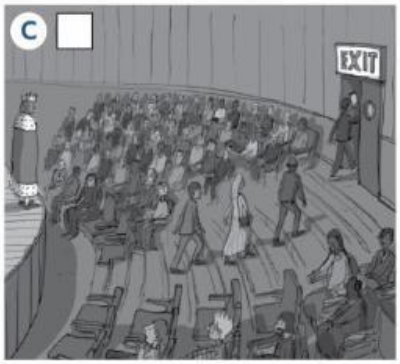
B **3.02 | Listen again and repeat.**

LISTENING

5 A **3.03 | Listen to a conversation between two friends, about a stage performance. Number the pictures in the correct order.**











B **3.03 | Listen again. Are the statements True (T) or False (F)?**

1 Alex's partner did not think she had got her lines wrong.
2 Katy worried that she would make mistakes on stage.
3 Katy thinks it may have been her fault that there was a problem with Alex's costume.
4 The crew in charge of the scenery were able to resolve an issue straightaway.
5 All the audience members wanted a refund of their tickets.
6 Katy thinks that people who watch a performance want the actors to do well.

C **3.04 | Listen and complete the phrases.**

1 It was like, a total _____!
2 I'd practised, like, a _____ times!
3 I could hardly stand up, I was _____ so much.
4 … it was like the _____ day of my life!
5 You feel as if you're going to die of _____.
6 I bet your time on stage seemed to go on _____!

D **3.05 | Listen to the recording and write what you hear. You will hear the sentence only once.**

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LIVEWORKSHEETS