

### 3 VOCABULARY & SPEAKING paraphrasing

- a What do you usually do if you're talking to someone in English and you don't know a word that you need?
- a Look up the translation on your phone.
  - b Try to mime the word.
  - c Try to explain what you mean using other words you know.
- b  **3.17** Complete the useful expressions with these words. Then listen and check.

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example   kind   like   opposite   similar  
somebody   something   somewhere

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#### Useful expressions for explaining a word that you don't know:

- 1 It's \_\_\_\_\_ who shows you round a city or a museum.
  - 2 It's \_\_\_\_\_ which we use to pay, instead of cash.
  - 3 It's \_\_\_\_\_ where people go when they want to send a parcel or a letter.
  - 4 It's a \_\_\_\_\_ of fruit. It's long and yellow.
  - 5 It's the \_\_\_\_\_ of expensive.
  - 6 It's \_\_\_\_\_ a sweater, but it has buttons.
  - 7 It's \_\_\_\_\_ to a wallet, but it's for a woman.
  - 8 It's a verb. For \_\_\_\_\_, you do this to the TV when you've finished watching something.
- c What are the words for definitions 1–8?
- d Complete the definitions for these words.
- 1 **a DJ** It's somebody...
  - 2 **an art gallery** It's somewhere...
  - 3 **a camera** It's something...
  - 4 **a passport** It's a kind of...
  - 5 **sunbathe** For example, you do this...
  - 6 **curly** It's the opposite...

- e Play A to Z with letters A–E. Think of a word which begins with each letter and write a definition for each word. Then work in groups of three or four. Start with A, and read your definition. Do the other students know the words?

*(It begins with A. It's a person who...*

