

# LISTENING AND VOCABULARY

## A radio interview

3.01 **1** ★★ Listen to a radio interview about dolphins. Tick (✓) the topics that the people talk about.

- 1  dolphin communication and language
- 2  dolphin greetings
- 3  the language of human babies
- 4  dolphin body language
- 5  how quickly dolphins can swim
- 6  new technology

3.01 **2** ★★ Listen again. Are the sentences T (true) or F (false)?

- 1 Sara thinks that all dolphins speak the same language. F
- 2 Scientists believe dolphins have got names. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 Dolphins talk to each other at the same time without stopping. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 In one experiment, two dolphins spoke on a phone. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 Dolphins can communicate over long distances. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 Scientists have got the technology to translate what dolphins are saying. \_\_\_\_\_

## Collocations with *say* and *tell*

**3** ★ Complete the flashcards with *say* or *tell*.

1 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>hello</b>	4 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>a story</b>	7 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>yes/no</b>
2 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>sorry</b>	5 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>a lie</b>	8 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>(something) in Italian</b>
3 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>the truth</b>	6 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>someone a secret</b>	9 _____ <i>say</i> _____ <b>a joke</b>

**4** ★★ Complete the sentences with the correct form of the collocations from Exercise 3.

- 1 Can I tell you a secret? But promise you won't tell anyone else.
- 2 How do you \_\_\_\_\_ 'thank you' \_\_\_\_\_?
- 3 Let me \_\_\_\_\_ you a \_\_\_\_\_ about how I met my best friend.
- 4 The interviewer asked me if I wanted the job. I \_\_\_\_\_, of course!
- 5 Maria says she hasn't got any money, but I don't think she's \_\_\_\_\_. She always wears expensive clothes.
- 6 I \_\_\_\_\_ to your brother in the street, but he didn't answer me and continued walking!
- 7 I like \_\_\_\_\_, but I can never make them sound funny.
- 8 I want to \_\_\_\_\_ for shouting at you last week.
- 9 Ed just \_\_\_\_\_ me a big \_\_\_\_\_. I'll never believe him again!

**5** ★★★ Answer the questions.

- 1 Have you ever told a 'good' lie to help someone? What lie did you tell?  
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- 2 When you have a secret, who do you tell?  
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- 3 How many languages can you say something in? Which languages?  
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