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3 OVER TO YOU Find out what things people often lose. Where do they lose them? Tell your classmates.

Unit 3 That's my wallet!

SPEAKING *That's mine!*

1 ROLE PLAY Look at the picture. Take turns asking for things. Student A, ask about items 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9. Student B, ask about items 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10.

Can you help me? I think that's my backpack.

No, the red backpack. And I think those are my glasses.

The green backpack?

The black glasses?

2 GROUP WORK Put three things on a desk in the middle. Take turns guessing whose things they are.

Is that your wallet, Antonio?

Yes, it is. Megumi, are those your headphones?

No, they aren't. My headphones are white.

3 OVER TO YOU Find out what things people often lose. Where do they lose them? Tell your classmates.

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NOW I CAN

SPEAKING	GRAMMAR	LISTENING	READING
talk about possessions.	use this, that, these, and those.	Identify people and possessions.	understand phrases about possessions.

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SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

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01 I'm a student. PAGES 4–9 	Occupations	<p>▶ Nice to meet you.</p> <p>Over to you: Introduce yourself.</p>	<p>Grammar: The verb <i>be</i> (1)</p> <p>Pronunciation: Reduction of <i>a/an</i></p>
02 What's your phone number? PAGES 10–15 	Personal details	<p>▶ What's your major?</p> <p>Over to you: Ask and give personal details.</p>	<p>Grammar: Possessives / <i>Wh</i>-questions</p> <p>Pronunciation: Saying phone numbers and symbols</p>
03 That's my wallet! PAGES 16–21 	Personal possessions	<p>▶ Does this belong to you?</p> <p>Over to you: Talk about personal possessions.</p>	<p>Grammar: <i>This, that, these, and those</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: Number pairs</p>
BONUS	Units 1–3 PAGES 22–23	▶ The Sloth Calendar	
04 Do you like K-pop? PAGES 24–29 	Kinds of music	<p>▶ Let's go to a concert!</p> <p>Over to you: Express likes and dislikes in kinds of music.</p>	<p>Grammar: The simple present (1): <i>like</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: <i>Yes/no</i> question intonation</p>
05 What do you do for fun? PAGES 30–35 	Leisure activities (1)	<p>▶ Let's hang out!</p> <p>Over to you: Make plans and suggest things to do.</p>	<p>Grammar: The simple present (2)</p> <p>Pronunciation: <i>Wh</i>-question intonation</p>
06 Can you speak Chinese? PAGES 36–41 	Abilities	<p>▶ What can you do?</p> <p>Over to you: Talk about things you can and can't do.</p>	<p>Grammar: <i>Can</i> and <i>can't</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: <i>Can</i> versus <i>Can't</i></p>
BONUS	Units 4–6 PAGES 42–43	▶ A Family's Hobby	

LISTENING	READING & WRITING	SPEAKING	NOW I CAN
People meet and ask for more information about each other	Reading: Occupations	<i>Are you from Brazil?</i> Play a board game about occupations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make an introduction • Make statements and questions with <i>be</i> • Understand basic information about people • Understand what people do
People ask and give personal information and numbers	Reading: Personal details	<i>What's your hobby?</i> Complete a class directory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Answer questions about myself and others • Use possessives and <i>wh-</i> questions • Understand short conversations about people • Understand personal details
People talk about possessions and people in photos	Reading: Personal possessions	<i>That's mine!</i> Role play asking for items in a lost and found office	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about possessions • Use <i>this, that, these, and those</i> • Identify people and possessions • Understand phrases about possessions
People talk about music preferences	Reading: Likes and dislikes	<i>Let's go to a music festival!</i> Role play making concert plans	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about likes and dislikes • Use the simple present with <i>like</i> • Understand what kinds of music people like • Understand phrases about likes and dislikes
People talk about activities they do in their free time	Reading: What do you do for fun?	<i>What do you do in your free time?</i> Play a board game about what you do in your free time	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Suggest things to do with someone • Use the simple present • Understand what people do in their free time • Understand what people do for fun
People talk about things they can and can't do	Reading: People's abilities	<i>Can you play the piano?</i> Complete a chart on people's abilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about things I can do • Use <i>can</i> and <i>can't</i> to talk about abilities • Understand people saying what they can do • Understand phrases about what people can do

SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

UNIT		VOCABULARY	CONVERSATION	LANGUAGE PRACTICE AND PRONUNCIATION
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08 Are there any chairs? PAGES 50–55		Household items	<p>▶ Welcome to my new apartment!</p> <p>Over to you: Describe rooms and things in your home.</p>	<p>Grammar: <i>There is</i> and <i>there are</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: Stress in content words</p>
09 The bank is on the corner. PAGES 56–61		Places around town	<p>▶ Can I help you?</p> <p>Over to you: Ask and give directions in a town.</p>	<p>Grammar: Prepositions of place / Giving directions</p> <p>Pronunciation: Rising intonation for confirmation</p>
BONUS	Units 7–9 PAGES 62–63	▶ The Jack Sparrow House		
10 Do we have any coffee? PAGES 64–69		Food and drink	<p>▶ Let's go shopping.</p> <p>Over to you: Talk about meals and shopping for food and drinks.</p>	<p>Grammar: Count and noncount nouns / <i>some</i> and <i>any</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: Intonation for items in a series</p>
11 Where were you yesterday? PAGES 70–75		Everyday places	<p>▶ Sorry, I'm late!</p> <p>Over to you: Talk about where you were.</p>	<p>Grammar: The past tense of <i>be</i></p> <p>Pronunciation: Reduction of sounds with <i>was</i></p>
12 What did you do last weekend? PAGES 76–81		Leisure activities (2)	<p>▶ Did you have a good weekend?</p> <p>Over to you: Talk about your weekend and past activities.</p>	<p>Grammar: The simple past</p> <p>Pronunciation: Reduction of <i>did you</i></p>
BONUS	Units 10–12 PAGES 82–83	▶ Korean Cooking		

LISTENING	READING & WRITING	SPEAKING	NOW I CAN	
People talk about what they're doing	Reading: What people are doing	<i>What are they doing?</i> Play a miming game and guess what people are doing	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about what is happening now• Use the present continuous• Understand what people are wearing• Understand what people are doing	
People talk about where things are located	Reading: Describing rooms	<i>What's in your favorite room?</i> Describe things in your favorite room	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe what is in my home• Use <i>there is</i> and <i>there are</i>• Understand where things are in a home• Understand short descriptions of rooms	
People ask for directions to a specific place	Reading: Directions	<i>What's in your neighborhood?</i> Ask directions to places in your neighborhood	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Give and follow short, simple directions• Describe locations and give directions• Listen and follow directions on a map• Understand directions on a map	
People talk about what they need to prepare a recipe	Reading: Food and drink	<i>Do you want some pizza?</i> Role play ordering from a menu	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about food and drink• Use count/noncount nouns and <i>some/any</i>• Understand what is needed to make recipes• Understand phrases about food and drinks	
People talk about where they were	Reading: Past activities and places	<i>How was your day?</i> Complete a chart about where people were yesterday	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about where I was• Use the past tense of <i>be</i>• Understand where people were• Understand where people were last week	
People talk about their weekend	Reading: Past activities	<i>What did you do recently?</i> Play a board game about past activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about past activities• Use the simple past tense• Understand past weekend activities• Understand phrases about past activities	
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Useful classroom language

VOCABULARY

1 Listen and repeat.



- A How do you say *ciudad* in English?
B City.
A How do you spell city?
B C-I-T-Y



- A I'm sorry, I don't understand. What does *city* mean?
B It means a big and important town like New York or Chicago.



- A How do you pronounce this word?
B CITY
A Can you repeat that, please?
B CITY



- A Is this correct?
B I don't know.
C Yes, it is.

CONVERSATION



1 Complete the conversations with the phrases in the box.
Then listen and check your answers.

~~How do you pronounce this word?~~

How do you say this in English?

Is this correct?

Can you repeat that?

What does *repeat* mean?

What does that mean?

How do you spell it?



1. A How do you pronounce this word?

B This word? Tablet.

A _____

B This is a tablet.



2. A _____

B Keys.

A _____

B Sure. Keys.



3. A _____

B It means "say it again."

A _____

B R-E-P-E-A-T.



4. A Excuse me.

B Yes, it is. Good work!

A Thank you!



2 PAIR WORK Practice the conversations with a partner.



I'm a student.

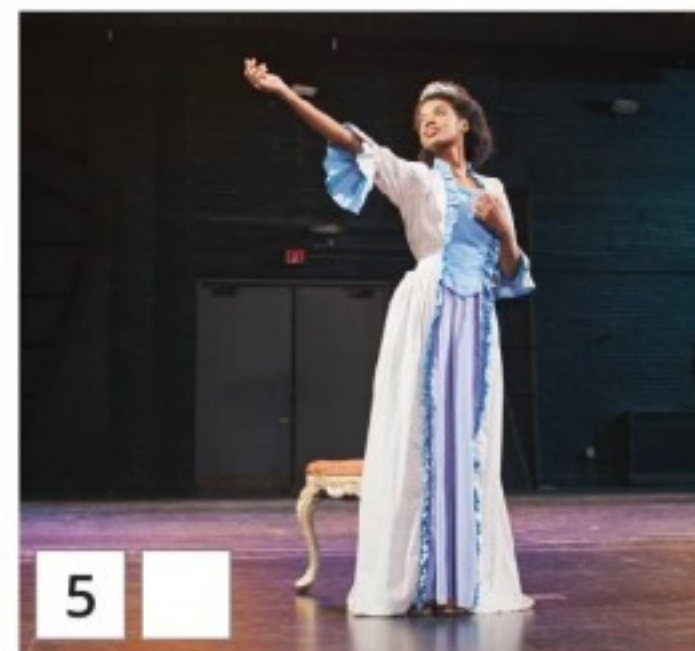
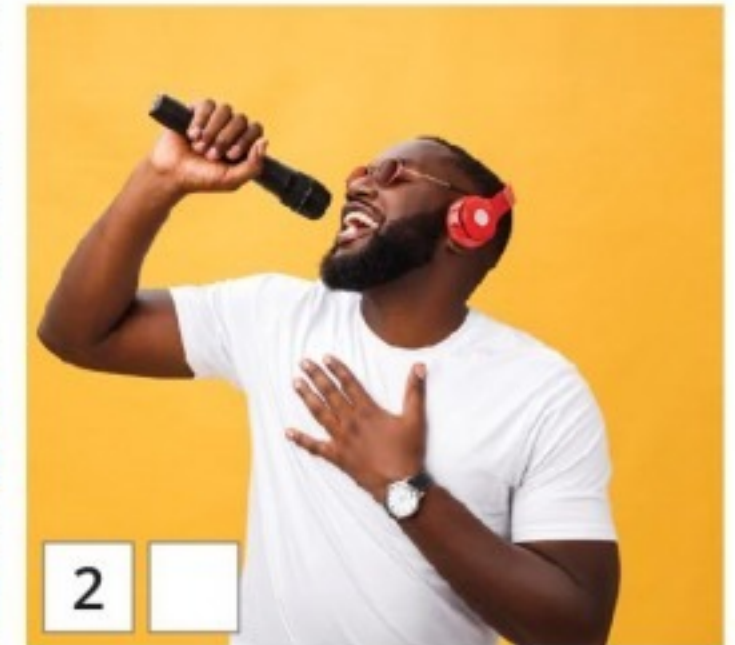
SPEAKING
Introducing yourself
GRAMMAR
The verb *be*
LISTENING
Meeting people
READING
Occupations

WARM UP
Introduce yourself to your partner

VOCABULARY

1 Look at the photos. What are their jobs? Write the correct letter.

- | | |
|------------------|------------------|
| a. a singer | f. a server |
| b. an actor | g. a businessman |
| c. a doctor | h. a student |
| d. a sales clerk | i. a chef |
| e. a teacher | j. a designer |



2 Listen and check your answers.

3 PAIR WORK Practice spelling the words above.

How do you spell doctor?

D-O-C-T-O-R. How do you spell student?

VOCABULARY TIP

Write down new words in a notebook.

doctor
businessman
server

CONVERSATION



- 1** Read the conversations. Then watch the video. Practice the conversations with a partner.

1. Maria Hi, I'm Maria. Nice to meet you.
Tom My name's Tom. Nice to meet you, too.
Maria So, where are you from, Tom?
Tom I'm from Los Angeles. How about you?
Maria I'm from Mexico.
2. Tom Hello, Maria.
Maria Oh, hi, Tom. How are you?
Tom I'm fine, thanks. How about you?
Maria Great, thanks. So, are you a student here?
Tom No, I'm not. I'm a teacher. You're in my class!
Maria Oh...well, great!

USEFUL WORDS

How are you?

Great!

Pretty good.

Fine.

OK.

Not bad.

- 2 OVER TO YOU** Practice the conversations again. Use the ideas below. Add your own ideas. Then make a video of your conversation.

Hi, I'm Leo. Nice to meet you.

My name's Bea. Nice to meet you, too.

