



WARM UP

Answer and discuss these questions in pairs or as a class.

1. Do you like to listen to music?
2. What kind of music do you like?
3. What is your favorite band? Who is your favorite singer?
4. Have you ever been to a concert? Talk about the experience.
5. Do you play any musical instruments?



MATCHING

Match these idioms to their correct definitions.

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| 1. awesome | _____ a. to be very happy |
| 2. to be crazy about | _____ b. to like a lot |
| 3. top-notch | _____ c. good, cool, or talented |
| 4. to luck out | _____ d. You're welcome. <i>or</i> It was no trouble. |
| 5. No doubt. | _____ e. silence |
| 6. No problem. | _____ f. excellent, the best |
| 7. to slip one's mind | _____ g. to be successful by chance |
| 8. on top of the world | _____ h. Certainly. <i>or</i> For sure. |
| 9. dead air | _____ i. to look forward to something |
| 10. can't wait | _____ j. to forget |



DIALOGUE BUILDING

The dialogue below is not in the right order. Your teacher will provide you with **cut-up dialogue strips**. Work alone or with a partner to put the dialogue in the right order.



_____ Sara: Yeah! And the seats are **top-notch**. We **lucked out** with these tickets.

_____ Amy: Yeah. I **can't wait** to introduce you. Now, enough about Jon. Let's watch the rest of this concert!

_____ Amy: **No doubt**. We were really lucky! Thanks again for buying them.

_____ Sara: Was it hard to find things to talk about?

_____ Amy: Sara, this band is **awesome**! I'm **crazy about** them.

_____ Sara: **No problem**, Amy. Hey, it almost **slipped my mind**. How was your date last night?

_____ Sara: That sounds great. I **can't wait** to finally meet him.

_____ Amy: Not at all. There was no **dead air** the whole night.

_____ Amy: Oh! I'm **on top of the world**! We had a fantastic time. Jon's a great guy.

_____ Sara: So when do I get to meet him?

_____ Amy: Soon, I hope. We should all have dinner one night at my house.



FILL IN THE BLANKS

Fill in the blanks with the correct idioms from page 1.

1. The radio station stopped playing music, and there was _____ for three minutes.
2. This is the last available table at the restaurant. We _____!
3. _____! I didn't mind helping you study for your test. Math is my favorite subject.
4. Oh! Can I borrow your phone? It almost _____ that I have to call my brother.
5. Chris was _____ when he got a job at a big company in Tokyo.
6. He is going to the best university in Europe. He's smart. _____!
7. Darrin bought the best mobile phone available. It's really _____.
8. You got into the university? Congratulations! That's _____.
9. I _____ to go on vacation.
10. Myrna told me that she's _____ her new nephew.



COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

Answer and discuss these questions in pairs or as a class.

1. Who purchased the tickets to the concert?
2. How does Amy feel about her first date with Jon?
3. Did Amy find it easy to talk to Jon?
4. Does Sara want to meet Jon?





DIALOGUE READING

Read the dialogue with your partner a few times. Take turns being each character. Practice your intonation and pronunciation. *Write down any new words or phrases in your notebook.*



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