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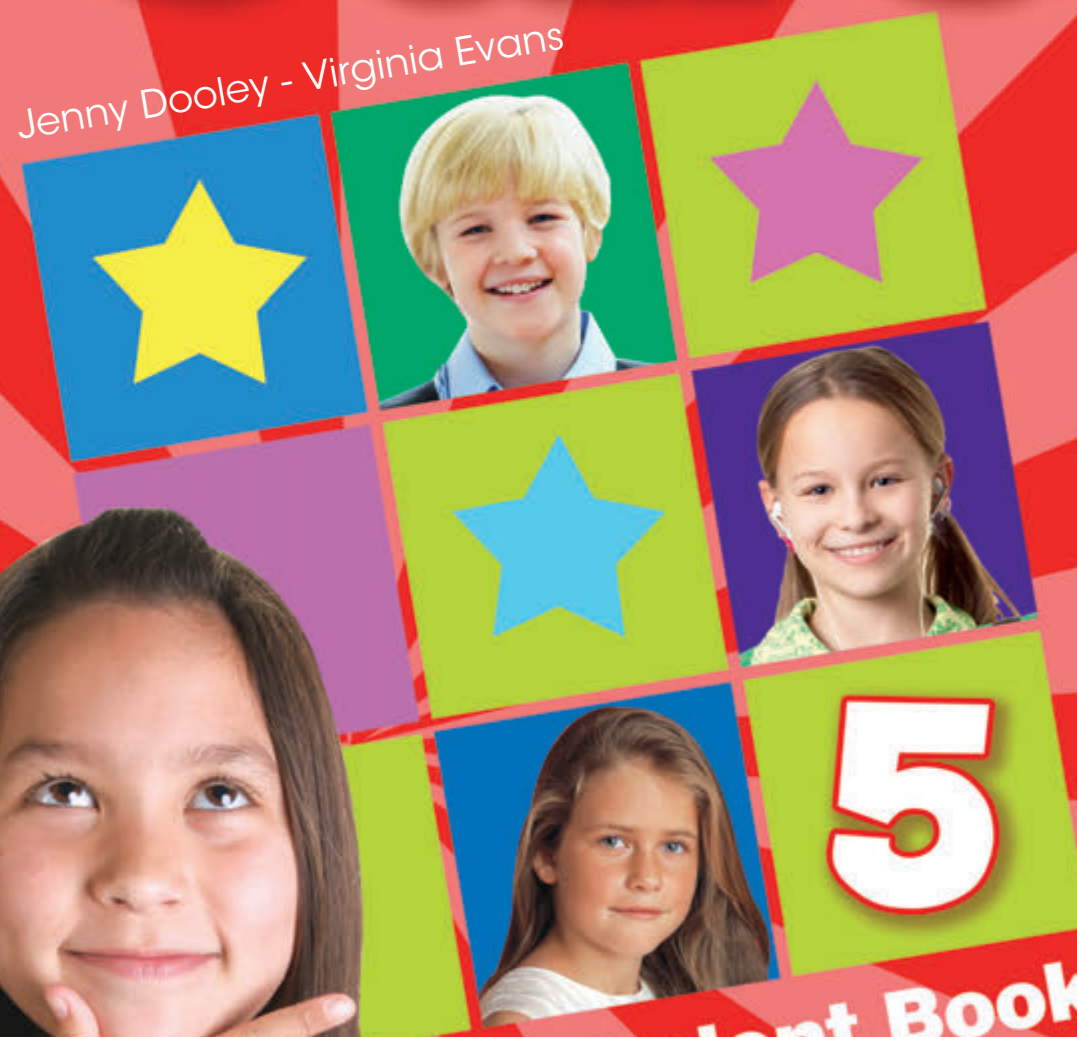
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a



Lia



Lia's parents

Welcome to Boston!

2



Listen, read and fill in.



1 **Oscar:** Come on, Rocky! It's our first day in Boston. Let's go for a walk in the

2 **Oscar:** Hey, Rocky! Slow down!

Lia: Mossie! Not so fast!

3 **Lia:** Hello! My name's Lia Douglas. This is my Her name is Mossie.

Oscar: Oh, hi! I'm Oscar White and this is Rocky. Nice to meet you!

4 **Lia:** Oh, look at them! So, where are you from, Oscar?

Oscar: Well, I'm from, but I live here now. This is my first in Boston.

Lia: Oh, really? Welcome to Boston!

3

Now, read again and write **yes** or **no**.

1 It's Oscar's first day in Boston.

yes

2 Oscar takes Rocky to the movies.

.....

3 Lia's last name is White.

.....

4 Lia's dog is named Mossie.

.....



Lia's grandparents

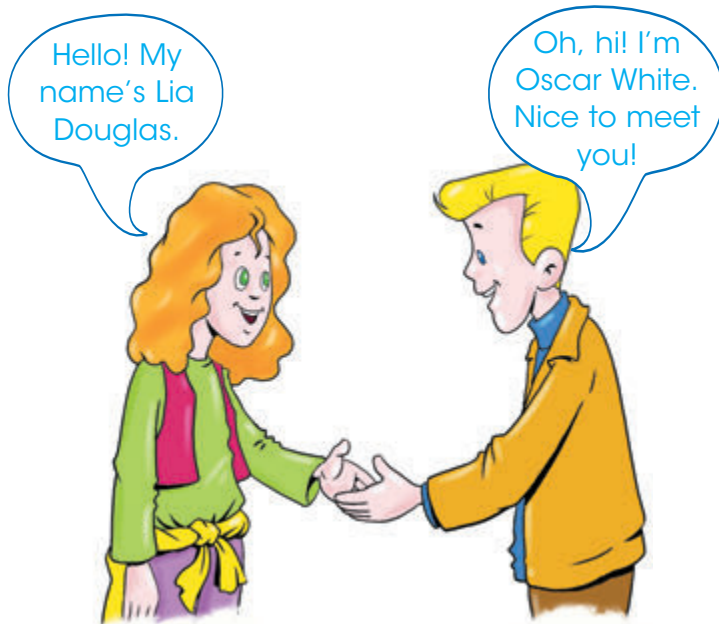
Lia's brother

Lia's nephew

Lia's niece



4 Listen and repeat. Then practice.



Grammar - The verb 'to be'

I **am** (I'm) from the U.S.A.
Are you from America?
He **is not** (He's not) from the U.K.

5 Read and fill in: am, is or are.

- 1 It **is** my first day in Boston.
- 2 Mark and I very good friends.
- 3 you from Boston?
- 4 She twelve years old.
- 5 These my cousins.
- 6 he your brother?
- 7 What your name?
- 8 We not teachers, we students.

6 Ask and answer.



1 Poland?

A: Is he from Poland?

B: No, he's not.
He's from the U.K.
He's British.

2 Italy?

A: Are they from Italy?

B: Yes, they are.
They're Italian.



3 France?



4 Turkey?



5 U.S.A.?



6 China?



Choose a nationality. The rest of the class tries to guess what it is.

S2: Are you British?
S1: No, I'm not.

S3: Are you Greek?
S1: Yes, I am!



7 Look, read and write.

hairdresser, reporter, engineer,
actor, vet, scientist



1 Danielle -
engineer



2 Ron -
.....



3 James -
.....



4 Steven -
.....



5 Kelly -
.....



6 Jackie -
.....

8 Look and match. Then ask and answer.



coat



test tube



costume

vet
actor

reporter
engineer

hairdresser
scientist



helmet



mike



hairdryer

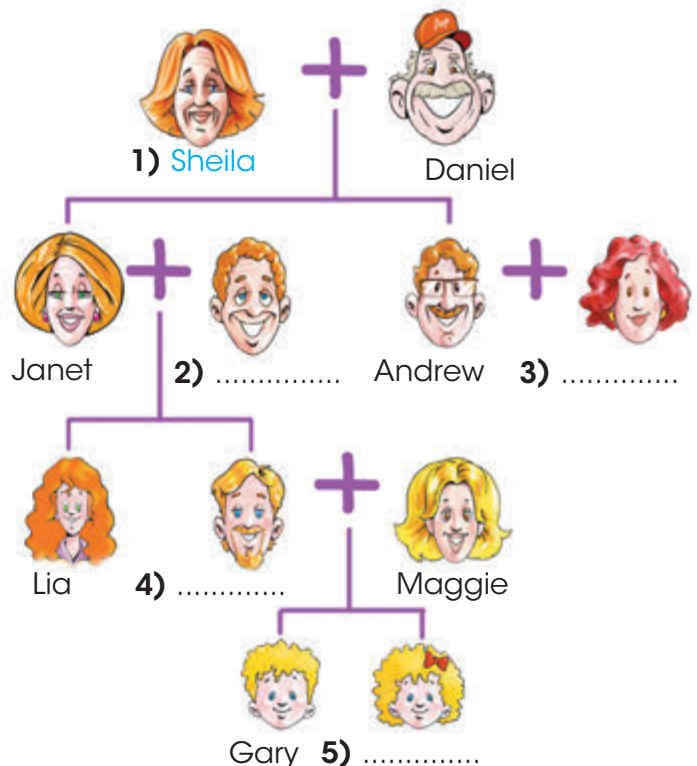
A: Whose coat is this?
B: It's the vet's.

A: Who's the vet?
B: James.

9 Read and choose.

- How are you?
A Fine, thanks.
B I'm tall.
C John Smith.
- Where's the dog?
A The brown one.
B Rocky.
C In the yard.
- Whose radio is this?
A A child.
B Kelly.
C Mary's.
- When's your birthday?
A Sixteen.
B June 10th.
C Ten o'clock.
- What nationality are you?
A French.
B France.
C Paris.

10 Listen and write the names.





11 Now, look and circle.

- 1 Gary is Lia's nephew /niece.
- 2 Daniel and Sheila are Janet's **grandparents/** parents.
- 3 Andrew is Marian's **son/**husband.
- 4 Marian is Lia's **aunt/**niece.
- 5 Lia is Roger's **sister/**wife.
- 6 Lisa is Maggie's **niece/**daughter.

Grammar - Subject/Object Pronouns - Possessive Adjectives/Pronouns

John and Kelly are American.
They have a house in Boston.
Their son, Tom, lives with **them**.
 The car over there is **theirs**.

12 Look, read and choose.



This 1) a picture of my family. Look at 2) ! My parents 3) Jane and George. My mother is a doctor and my father is an engineer. Mark is my elder brother. 4) is standing behind my grandmother. My grandmother is sitting next to 5) 6) name's Margaret. The twins, Rob and Roxie, are sitting with 7) grandparents. Tim, my other brother, is standing in front of my father. We are outside our summer house. 8) near Boston.

- | | | |
|---------|--------|--------|
| 1 A is | B are | C am |
| 2 A we | B us | C ours |
| 3 A are | B is | C am |
| 4 A He | B Him | C His |
| 5 A I | B my | C me |
| 6 A My | B Hers | C Her |
| 7 A us | B ours | C our |
| 8 A It | B It's | C Its |

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13 Write about your family.

b



curly hair



wavy hair

Meet my friends!

2



Listen and choose.

1 Lia's friends are

2 Mr. Finlay is

a Jamal and Karen.

a an English teacher.

b Kamal and Carmen.

b a French teacher.



1 Carmen:

Lia:

Oscar:

2 Lia:

Kamal &

Carmen:

3 Lia:

Kamal:

Oscar:

Carmen:

4 Lia:

Mr. Finlay:

Oscar:

Mr. Finlay:

Ooh! What does he look like?
Well, he has light hair and blue eyes. He's from Dallas and his name is ...

Oscar White here! Reporting for work!

Oh, Oscar! So, you're our new reporter. Meet my friends, Kamal and Carmen!

Hi! Pleased to meet you!

That's Mr. Finlay, our English teacher. He's the editor of the school magazine!

What's he like?

He's very friendly and helpful!

Mr. Finlay, meet Oscar White.

Ah! Our new reporter.

Good! I need an article about unusual pets.

No problem. I love animals!

And one more thing, Oscar.

Don't delay, I want it today!

3

Now, read and write.

Oscar is the new 1) **reporter** for the school magazine. He meets Lia's friends, Kamal and Carmen. Mr. Finlay is the 2) of the school magazine. Mr. Finlay is very 3) and helpful. He wants Oscar to write an article about unusual 4) Oscar likes this project because he loves 5)



straight hair



mustache

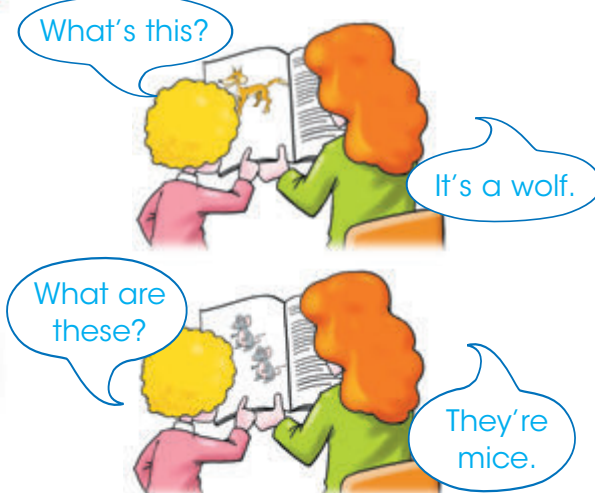
beard



Grammar - Plurals

-s	-es
table - tables	bus - buses
-ies	-ves
baby - babies	wolf - wolves
BUT	
man - men	mouse - mice
woman - women	sheep - sheep
child - children	fish - fish
foot - feet	goose - geese
tooth - teeth	ox - oxen

5 Look, ask and answer.



4 Read and correct.

Hi!

My name's Kathleen Kelly and I'm from Boston, Massachusetts. I have curly dark hair and green **1) eye**, and I'm tall and slim. There are three **2) child** in my family: my two **3) brother**, Evan and Josh, and me. I have two **4) pet**, too! They are **5) geoses**! Their names are Gertie and Gunther. They guard our house and they eat the **6) leafs** and grass in our garden! They're great pets!

Do you have a pet?

Yours,

Kathleen

6 Listen and repeat. Then practice.



- | | |
|---------|---------|
| 1 eyes | 4 |
| 2 | 5 |
| 3 | 6 |



Grammar - The verb 'have'

I **have** dark hair.

Does she **have** brown eyes?

She **does not** (**doesn't**) have light hair.

7



Listen and repeat. Then practice.

What does Mr. Finlay look like?

He's short and slim. He has wavy brown hair, a beard and a mustache.



What's he like?



He's very friendly and helpful!



Miss Faber

- short/slim
- curly dark hair
- glasses
- quiet and shy



Mr. Green

- tall/slim
- straight light hair
- blue eyes
- smart and kind



Mrs. Shilton

- tall/plump
- short dark hair
- brown eyes
- friendly and funny

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Listen and choose.

- Who's Rachel?



9

Now, look and describe the pictures.

In picture A, the woman is tall and slim. She has ...

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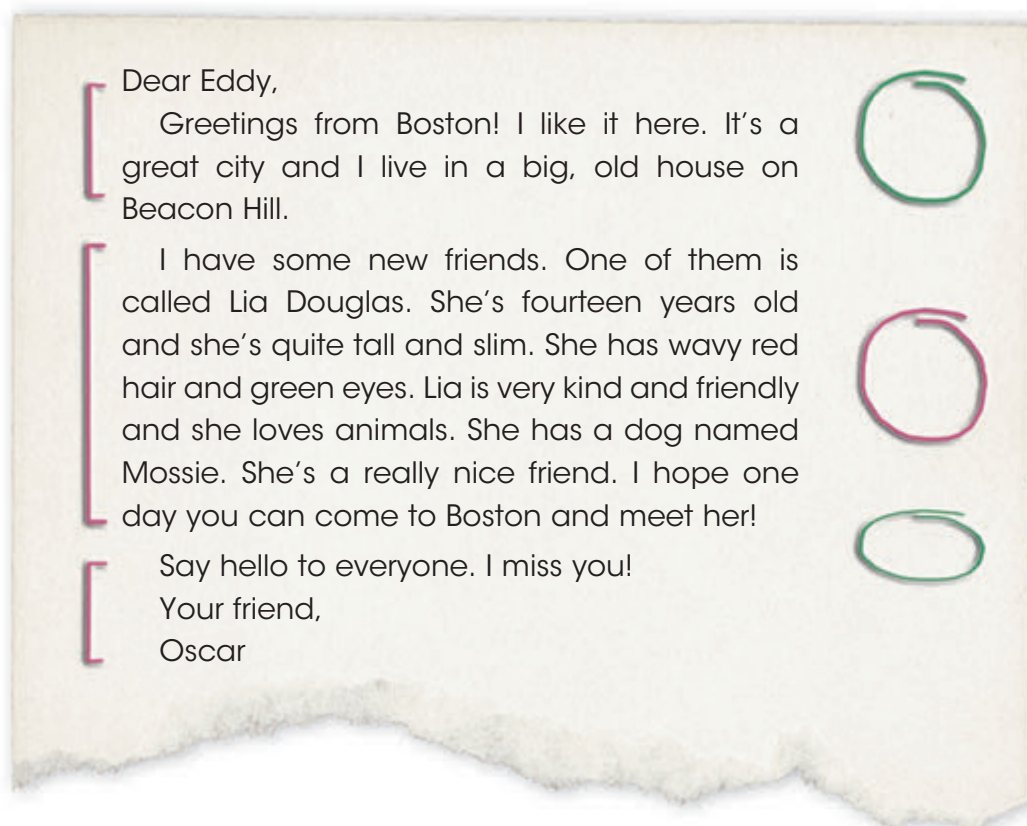


Go around the room, ask your classmates and fill in their names.

Find someone...

- 1 whose father wears glasses.
- 2 whose mother has wavy hair.
- 3 whose sister has long curly hair.
- 4 whose brother has short dark hair.
- 5 who has a black cat.
- 6 who has a computer at home.
- 7 who has a pen pal.
- 8 who has an unusual pet.

9 Read and answer the questions. Write one-word answers.



- 1 How old is Lia? 14
- 2 Where's Lia from?
- 3 What color hair does she have?
- 4 What color eyes does she have?

Now, read again and label the paragraphs.

- a closing remarks (saying goodbye, feelings)
- b my new friend (name, age, etc.)
- c opening remarks (greetings)

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- 10 You have a friend in Boston. Write a letter to him/her describing a new friend from school.**



iguana

glass cage



hedgehog

Meet our pets!



2 Listen and write the names: **Iggy, Terry, Harriet.**

a iguana **Iggy**

b hedgehog

c tarantula

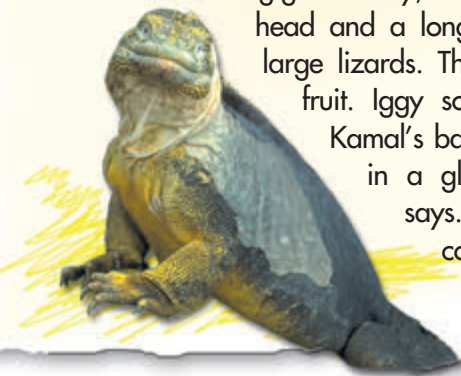
UNUSUAL PETS

by Oscar White

A lot of people have pets. But how many people have **unusual** pets? Well, I know at least three!

Iggy

Kamal has a pet iguana! He's named Iggy. Iggy has a long green body, four short legs, a small head and a long tail. Iguanas are large lizards. They eat leaves and fruit. Iggy sometimes swims in Kamal's bathtub! "I keep Iggy in a glass cage," Kamal says. "Iguanas don't like cold places!"



Harriet

Maggie has a pet hedgehog! She's named Harriet. Harriet has a small round body with spikes on it. She has white hair on her stomach. Harriet lives in the garden and eats worms and caterpillars. Hedgehogs can swim and run very fast, too! They look for food at night. Hedgehogs sleep from November to April. "Harriet sleeps in a big box in the garden," Maggie says. "She can go out whenever she likes."



Terry

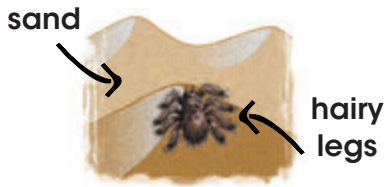
Dana's pet is a tarantula! He's named Terry. Terry has eight long hairy legs. Tarantulas have eight eyes, but they can't see very well. They eat insects. "I keep Terry in a glass cage with sand in it," Dana says. "My friends are afraid of Terry, but I love him!"



3 Now, read and answer.

- 1 Whose pet is Harriet? **Maggie's**
- 2 How many legs does Terry have?
- 3 Who has a pet iguana?

- 4 Where does Harriet live?
- 5 What can iguanas do?
- 6 When does Harriet look for food?



tarantula



caterpillar



worm



tortoise



4 Read again and fill in. Then talk about **Iggy**, **Harriet** and **Terry**.

	Appearance	Food
Iggy	long green body
Harriet
Terry

Iggy is Kamal's pet iguana. He has a ...

5 Over to you! Talk with your friend.

- 1 Do you have a pet? What is it?
- 2 What does it look like?
- 3 What's its favorite food?
- 4 Where do you keep your pet?



In teams, make up questions for your teacher's answers.

T: My name's Paco Gonzalez.

TA S1: What's your name?

6 Listen and repeat.

The bear at sea has peas and pears for tea!

7 Talk with your friend and find the picture that's different.

A: Numbers 1, 2, 3 have a beard and a mustache.
Number 4 has a mustache only.

	1	2	3	4
A				
B				
C				
D				
E				



8



What pets do they have? Listen, look and choose.

A

My pet's name is Snowy. She has a long beak and a long neck. She likes grass, so her favorite place is in the garden! She guards our house, too. Strangers are afraid of her. She's a great pet!

Snowy is a



B

I have two pets, Peter and Polly. They're very noisy and naughty! They have sharp beaks and claws. They have long tails, too. Their favorite foods are fruit, nuts and seeds. I like Peter and Polly because they're interesting pets! Peter and Polly are



C

My pet's name is Speedy. Speedy is a quiet pet. He sleeps in the winter! He has a shiny shell and a long neck. He has sharp claws, too! He likes digging in the garden! Speedy's favorite foods are fruit, vegetables and leaves. I like him. He's cute!

Speedy is a



9

Read and write: **Snowy**, **Speedy**, and **Peter and Polly**.

- 1 **Speedy** digs in the garden.
- 2 have sharp beaks and claws.
- 3 guards the house.
- 4 has a long beak and a long neck.

- 5 are noisy and naughty.
- 6 has a shiny shell.
- 7 eat nuts, seeds and fruit.
- 8 sleeps in the winter.

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Describe your pet.

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Welcome

Weekly



GREAT AMERICA CITIES!



Things to see and do
from the Big Apple
down to New Orleans!

Our 'On the Jukebox'
article looks at
different styles of
music in the U.S.A.



This week,
the first exciting episode of
Professor McDuff! His
inventions will make you
fall down laughing!



'In Stereo!'
brings you 'The Friend I
Have is You'. Sing it with
your best friend!





Great American cities!



The 'Big Apple'

is an exciting city! It is situated in the northeast, south of Boston. On New Year's Eve, watch the great crystal ball drop and celebrate the New Year in Times Square. Climb to the top of the Statue of Liberty, and don't forget the Metropolitan Museum of Art. There's something for everyone!

ZOOM IN

Send us your articles about the capital of your country.

Include: • name • where it is situated • things to see and do there



New Orleans is the birthplace of jazz! It is situated on the south coast, on the Mississippi River. If you come in February, you can't miss Mardi Gras, and be sure to check out the famous Cajun and Creole food!



Boston, the capital of Massachusetts, is on the northeast coast. Walk through the oldest park in America, the Boston Common, and visit the scene of the Boston Tea Party. Try Boston's famous great baked beans — it's not called Beantown for nothing!



Washington D.C., the capital of the USA, is situated on the east coast. It was named after America's first president, George Washington. Tour the White House and come to the Cherry Blossom Festival in the spring. You'll never forget this beautiful city!

Read and choose.

- 1 Boston is the capital of Massachusetts.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 2 You can see a pet show in New York.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 3 Washington D.C. is on the south coast.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say
- 4 New Orleans is on a river.
A Right B Wrong C Doesn't say



On the jukebox!

Music plays a great part in American culture, and the U.S.A. is the birthplace of many different styles of music.

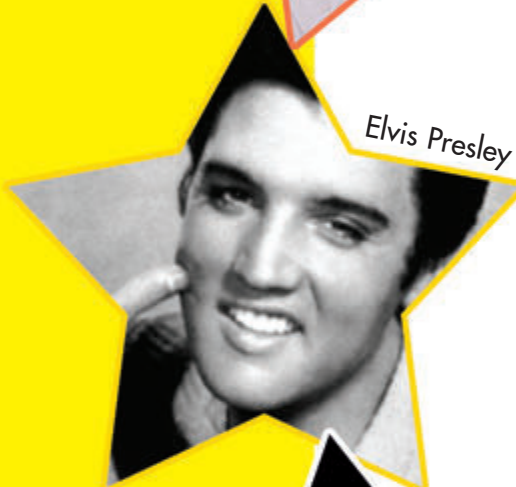
- 1 Sounds Great! Listen and match to the music style: **jazz**, **rhythm and blues**, **country/ western** and **rock and roll**.

Extract 1
 Extract 2
 Extract 3
 Extract 4

- 2 American Legends! These famous people are linked to certain styles of music. Can you say which?



Louis Armstrong



Elvis Presley



Dolly Parton



Ray Charles

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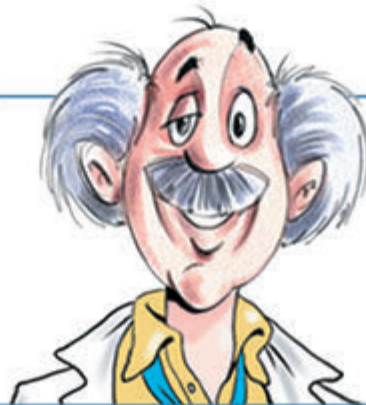
Bring in some different styles of music from your country to class. Play them for the class!



Episode 1



Listen and complete.



First name: Duncan
Last name: McDuff
Age:
Job:
Address:
Strange Street



IN STEREO

The Friend I Have is You!



It's nice to know I have a friend
Who's with me all year through.
In good times or in bad times,
The friend I have is you!

We're friends right now,
We laugh together,
You're the kind of friend
I want for ever!

We come from different countries,
You have dark hair, my hair's light.
You like dogs and I like cats,
But, really, it's alright!