

# Listening p70

## Multiple matching

### 2 Key

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| a                   | b                  |
| Speaker 1 Australia | Speaker 1 positive |
| Speaker 2 Spain     | Speaker 2 negative |
| Speaker 3 USA       | Speaker 3 positive |
| Speaker 4 Norway    | Speaker 4 positive |
| Speaker 5 France    | Speaker 5 positive |

### Audioscript

Speaker 1 I've been in Australia for a month now and I've really enjoyed it. It's just so different. My sister keeps telling me I should consider moving out here but I'm not sure. Obviously it would be nice to be able to see more of her. **This is the first time I've seen her in five years.** I don't get to see her that often just because it's so expensive to get here. I can't really imagine what it would be like to actually live here on a permanent basis. Sydney's a lovely city but I'm not sure if I'd want to settle down here. I think I'd miss being so far away from Europe. But who knows?

Speaker 2 Why did I come to Spain? Well, as far as my parents are concerned I came here to learn Spanish. **The real reason though was that I fancied something a bit different.** You know what it's like - when you've lived all your life in one place it gets a bit 'samey'. I can't say I know much about Spain or the people yet, though. I'm working here as an au pair, and I've got three children to look after, all under six. So, even when I have some free time, I don't have much energy to go out. I don't speak much Spanish yet either because everyone I meet wants to practise their English. What can you do?

Speaker 3 I was a bit tired when I arrived - I couldn't sleep on the plane unfortunately. John picked me up at the airport and **took me to the office. We had a short meeting to sort out the finances,** and then I took a taxi straight to the hotel. It's a great place. I'm on the thirty-first floor, so I've got a pretty good view of the city centre.

The White House is just a few blocks away, apparently. And it's got all the usual stuff: air-conditioning, satellite TV. You wouldn't believe the bed though, it's absolutely huge.

Speaker 4 I'd been to Norway on holiday on several occasions but, ironically, I met Thomas when I was in the States, having an operation. He was working as a nurse in the same hospital. We kept in touch after I came home, and then I came over to Norway again the following summer. **We got engaged almost immediately and had a church wedding a few months later.** We'll actually be celebrating our second anniversary this October. I've never regretted coming here and I don't think we'd ever consider moving. The lifestyle is better - it's much less stressful. Maybe the people are a bit cold at first, but once you get to know them they're really nice.

Speaker 5 I did it at school but the teaching methods were so old-fashioned that I never got very far with it. I remember I had a pen-friend when I was sixteen and went over to France for a month and couldn't even ask the way. Yet I could read poetry in French. How ridiculous is that! **So this time round I decided the only way to really get to grips with it was to go to the country and spend a few months there.** I didn't bother with classes because I didn't want any formal teaching. I just really wanted to surround myself with French and immerse myself in it. And it worked. I'm much more fluent now than I was.

### 3 Key

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| Speaker 1 | F | Speaker 4 | A |
| Speaker 2 | E | Speaker 5 | D |
| Speaker 3 | C |           |   |

The extra statement is B.

### Phrasal verbs with look

#### 4 Key

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| a 7 | d 6 | f 2 |
| b 5 | e 1 | g 3 |
| c 4 |     |     |