

# TALK AND SPEAK

## EXERCISE 1.

Put the correct form of the verb to speak or to talk in the gap.

1. Victoria is in a bad mood. Don't try to \_\_\_\_\_ to her now.
2. My grandmother \_\_\_\_\_ so quietly that I can barely hear her.
3. My uncle, on the other hand, \_\_\_\_\_ loudly all day long!
4. On the Irish TV channel you can hear people \_\_\_\_\_ Gaelic.

5. The President of the United Nations, in last night's conference, \_\_\_\_\_ about the conflicts in the Middle East.

## EXERCISE 2.

Put the correct form of the verb to speak or to talk in the gap.

Sara arrived at Opening at 10:00 for her English lesson. Her teacher, Edward, refused \_\_\_\_\_ any Italian, so it wasn't easy \_\_\_\_\_ to him. Sara asked another student a question, and Edward said "Don't \_\_\_\_\_ any Italian in this class! You must \_\_\_\_\_ only English." Then Sara and another student did a role-play. They \_\_\_\_\_ for about ten minutes on the theme of "Being in a restaurant." Sara always enjoys doing role-plays because she likes the opportunity

\_\_\_\_\_ with other students. Unfortunately, outside the school, she doesn't \_\_\_\_\_ very much English. She asked Edward, "Do you think I'm \_\_\_\_\_ good English? I don't think I'm \_\_\_\_\_ very well." Edward said, "Don't \_\_\_\_\_ nonsense! I think you are \_\_\_\_\_ very well."

### EXERCISE 3.

Match a phrase on the left to a phrase on the right.

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| Can I                    | on the phone for an hour last night. |
| I refuse to speak to you | what I was talking about.            |
| I talked                 | speak to Elena, please?              |
| Would you please speak   | until you apologise to me.           |
| She didn't know          | more loudly? I can't hear you.       |