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Life Skills
Video Practice
Stand Out 5 Unit 4

Ask your students the following questions to introduce the topic of the video they will watch.



A **BEFORE** **Discuss the questions with a partner.**

1. Who do people call when something is broken in their house? Make a list.
2. Have you ever had to call someone to fix something in your home?

Silent Viewing: Show the video in segments without sound so students can guess at the story line.

WATCH THE VIDEO WITHOUT SOUND AND TRY TO GUESS THE STORY.



Second Viewing: Show the video again so students can check predictions.

WATCH THE VIDEO WITH SOUND AND TRY TO RETELL THE STORY.



Ask your students to watch the video and complete the activity. Replay the video if needed.



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Check the correct answers with students.



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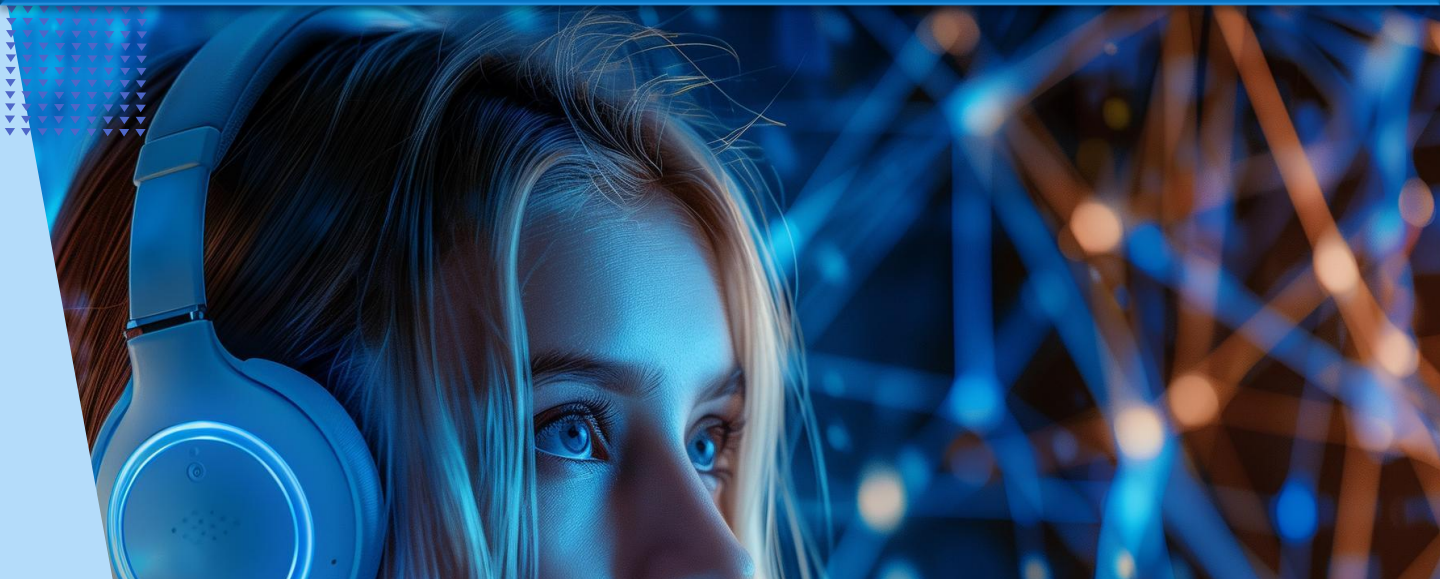
Hector: Yeah, the ceiling is still (1) dripping even though the rain has stopped.

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Hector: But we can't keep emptying out this (3) bucket day and night.

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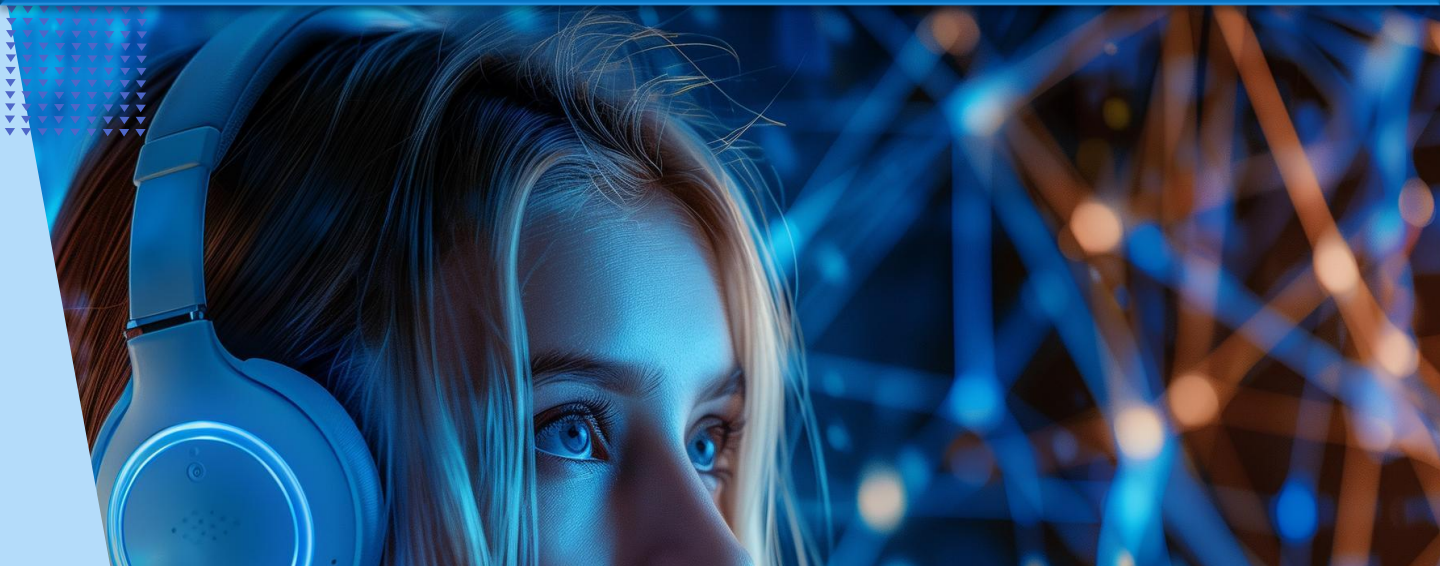
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2. I got your **phone** / **text** message this morning.
3. I think a pool of water may still be on the **ceiling** / **roof**.
4. And the damage to the **ceiling** / **floor** is getting worse.
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Select students. Have partners take turns performing the task. Check and correct anywhere possible.



ROLE-PLAY A CONVERSATION BETWEEN A LANDLORD AND A TENANT WHO WANTS SOMETHING FIXED. PRETEND THAT YOU ARE HAVING A CONVERSATION ON THE PHONE.

UNIT 4 I'll Have My Handyman Fix It

Naomi: I can't concentrate anymore. That dripping sound is driving me crazy! **Mateo:** Me too. **Naomi:** Did you call the landlord again? **Mateo:** Yeah, I called him this morning for the third time. **Hector:** Did you actually speak to him, or did you leave a message? **Mateo:** I left a message. **Hector:** That landlord! He never answers the phone. **Mateo:** But he did call back. **Naomi:** Really? What did he say? **Mateo:** He said he would be here at 7 o'clock. **Hector:** Well it's already 7:30. Maybe he forgot. **Naomi:** Oh! The next time I see that landlord I'm going to— **Landlord:** Hello, hello. I got your phone message this morning. **Mateo:** You mean our messages. **Landlord:** Evidently there's some sort of repair you want me to make? **Naomi:** After all the rain we had this weekend, the roof started to leak. I think a pool of water may still be on the roof. **Hector:** Yeah, the ceiling is still dripping even though the rain has stopped. **Landlord:** I see. Has the water damaged the floor? **Naomi:** No, we caught it right away and put a bucket down to collect all the drips. **Hector:** But we can't keep emptying out this bucket day and night. And the damage to the ceiling is getting worse. **Mateo:** That's right. And we can't be responsible for any damage if the water spills over. **Landlord:** I'll have my handyman come by tomorrow morning. Can one of you be here to let him in? **Naomi:** Yeah, I can let him in. **Landlord:** Are there any other repairs that need to be made? **Naomi:** No, just the leak. **Landlord:** OK, then. The handyman will be here around 10 a.m. **All:** Thank you. **Mateo:** Wow, I can't believe it was that easy. I was expecting the landlord to give us a hard time. **Naomi:** I guess he isn't such a bad guy after all.