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Listening

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Have your Ss answer the lead-in questions using the "whole-class" interaction pattern.



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DO YOU HAVE ANY SPECIAL PERSONAL ITEMS?

Explain.



Have your Ss look at the picture. Convey the meaning and try to elicit the word. Then practice the pronunciation chorally and individually.



Teach the form of the word. Then ask some concept checking questions.

CLOSET

A ▶01-17 Listen to the radio show. Circle the correct answers.

1. What's the show about?
   a. childhood memories
   b. cleaning up your home
   c. special personal items
2. Where did the stories on the show come from?
   a. They are the host's personal stories.
   b. The listeners of the show sent them in.
   c. The writers of the show created the stories.
3. What do Larry's cards make him think of?
   a. college classes
   b. late night studying
   c. his old friends
4. What do all the stories have in common?
   a. They are about family and friends.
   b. They are about exciting events.
   c. They are about famous people.



B ▶01-17 Read the Listening Skill. Listen again. Complete the chart with the items you hear and their descriptions.

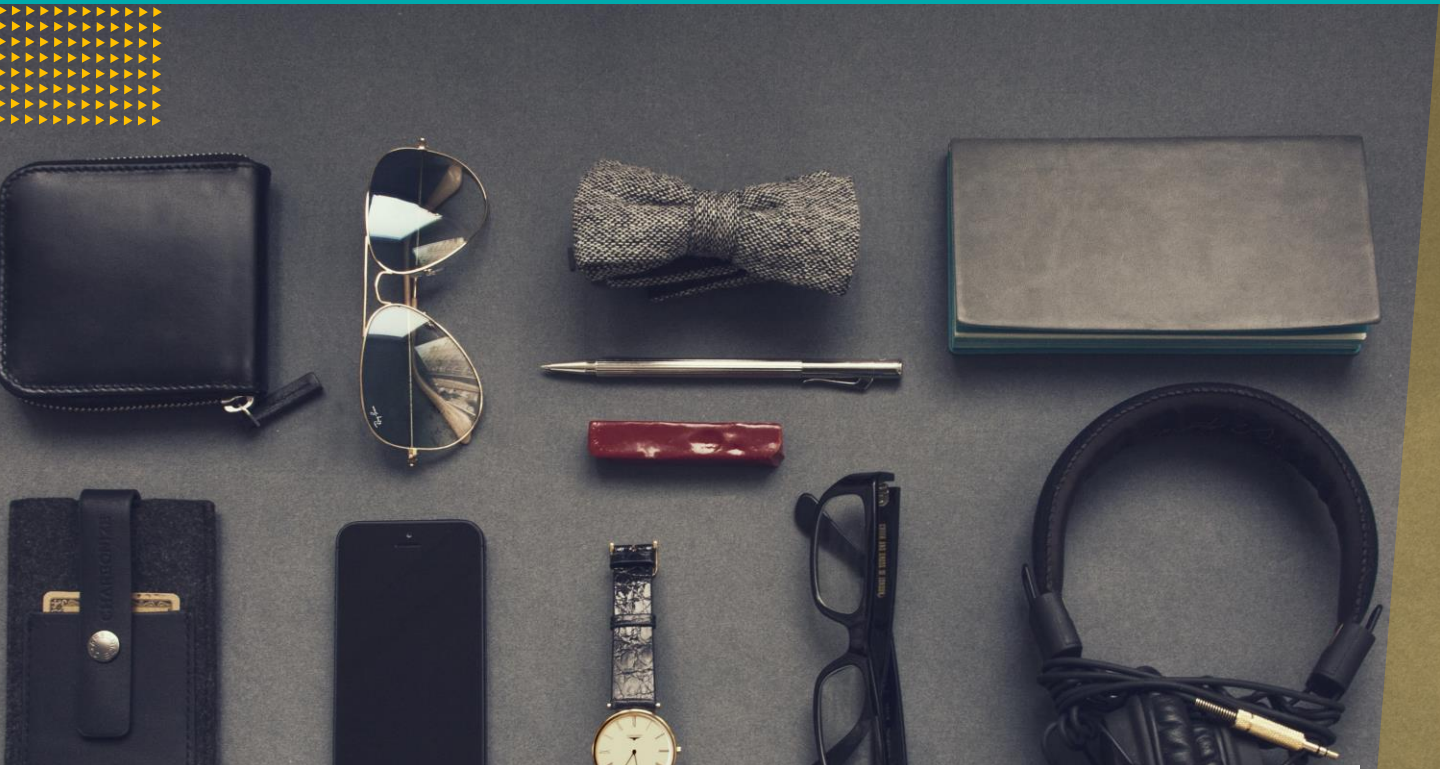
Item	Description
keychain	shiny, metal

LISTENING SKILL

Visualize what you hear

When you listen to descriptions, try to create a mental image of what you hear. This will help you understand the information and remember it better.

Have the Ss do the activation task in breakout rooms.



C PAIRS Student A, use your notes from 3B to describe one of the items. Student B, try to identify the item your partner describes.

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We're talking about memories. Now, if you're like me, you've got closets full of old things. They may not be expensive or antique, but they're important to you. On our last show, we asked you to look in those closets and tell us about something special you found. Today I'll share some of your stories.

First up is Audrey from Chicago. Audrey wrote: "I found a shiny, metal keychain and it brought back a happy memory. When I was 8 years old, my dad took me to a fair. At the fair, there was a game. You had to kick a soccer ball into a goal to win a prize. All the kids waiting to play were older teenagers. I was embarrassed being in line with them because I was just a little kid. But, one by one, the others all missed! Then it was my turn. I kicked the ball and it went right into the net! My prize was the keychain. My dad had a huge smile on his face. I felt so proud."

Next is Larry from Phoenix, who described finding a set of playing cards. "I lived with six roommates in college. For some reason, we were really into playing cards. We played all the time, often until late at night. Now, when I hold the smooth, rectangular cards in my hand, I remember those good times with my old friends."

Rita in Washington also wrote in. "I found an old, round hatbox at my grandmother's house. Inside the box was an old-fashioned, silk hat. I asked my grandmother about it and she told me an interesting story. The hat belonged to my great-great grandfather. One day, in 1860, he was waiting for a train. He heard a crowd enter the station. As they passed, a voice said, "A most excellent hat, Sir." He looked up to see the sixteenth president of the United States, President Abraham Lincoln! They were both wearing the same hat!

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READ THE SCRIPT AND UNDERLINE ANY NEW WORDS YOU DO NOT KNOW.

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AS HOMEWORK USE A DICTIONARY TO LOOK UP THE WORDS AND LEARN THEM.