**Interactive video: Giving opinions**

**Giving opinions.** Watch some extracts from the video of a conversation at lunch. Read the video script and try to remember the underlined phrases. Then record those missing parts of the conversation.

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| 1  **Kerri:** Personally, I think people in London are a lot more easy-going. London’s just not as hectic as New York.  **Don:** Sure, we all like peace and quiet. But in my opinion, New York is possibly... well, no, is definitely the greatest city in the world. Don’t you agree?  **Kerri:** To be honest, I definitely prefer London.  **Don:** Come on, Rob. You’ve lived in both. What do you think?  2  **Don:** OK, I agree. London has its own peculiar charm. But if you ask me, nothing compares with a city like New York. The whole world is here!  **Kerri:** But that’s the problem. It’s too big. There are too many people. Everybody’s so stressed out. And nobody has any time for you.  **Jenny:** I don’t think that’s right, Kerri. New Yorkers are very friendly.  **Kerri:** Oh sure, they can sound friendly with all that "Have a nice day" stuff. |  |

**Interactive video: Social English phrases**

Watch the Useful phrases. Then record yourself saying them.

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| **Jenny:** Did you mean what you said in the restaurant, Rob?  **Jenny:** It’s just that you seemed so homesick in there.  **Rob:** Oh, hang on a minute.  **Rob:** Our taxi’s come back.  **Kerri:** That was so kind of him! |  |