Warm up

Act out the same dialogue in four different situations, varying your tone accordingly. Then choose your favourite and perform it to the class.

Situations and roles

- 1. A and B are workmates who meet in the waiting room for the company doctor. They had a big row at work in the morning.
- 2. A and B are workmates who meet at a bar. A is interested in B but B is not into A. They are waiting for the band to start.
- **3.** A and B are secret agents on a covert mission in a hostile country. They are waiting for a phone call from the headquarters.
- **4.** A is a teacher who sees a familiar face on the train; B is an 8-year-old pupil. The train is standing on the platform and is not moving; everybody is waiting for an announcement.

A

- 1: Hello.
- 3: How are you?
- 5: I'm good.
- 7: I didn't expect to see you here.
- 9: Quite some weather we've been having lately.
- 11: Hey, you dropped something. There, on the floor.
- **13:** I wonder how much longer it's going to take. Have you been here long?
- 15: Oh, did you hear that? This is it then.
- 17: Be seeing you. Bye.

В

- 2: Hi.
- 4: Fine, You?
- 6: Good.
- 8: No, I guess not.
- 10: Yes, pretty cold. And windy.
- 12: Thanks. I didn't want to lose that.
- 14: Only a few minutes.
- 16: Right.
- 18: Bye.