



ENGLISH

Chapter 18 Session A

3rd
SECONDARY

Skills Expansion (Part I)



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Skills expansion



Listening

Skill: Listening for opinion

1  **67** Listen and write T (true) or F (false) for each statement.

- 1 Daniel thinks that mountain biking is hard work. ____
- 2 Sue finds scuba diving interesting. ____
- 3 In Sharon's opinion, water-skiing is easy. ____
- 4 Jessica thinks horseback riding is frightening. ____

Skill tip

You can often understand a speaker's opinion by listening for adjectives.



**2****67 Listen again and answer these questions.****Daniel**

- 1 How far did he cycle? _____
- 2 What was the weather like? _____

Sue

- 1 When did she go scuba diving? _____
- 2 In which country was she at the time? _____

Sharon

- 1 What did she do yesterday? _____
- 2 What will she do tomorrow? _____

Jessica

- 1 How many times has she been horseback riding? _____
- 2 How did she feel at first? _____

1 Before you watch, tell a partner about the kinds of things you like to do on vacation.

go swimming ...

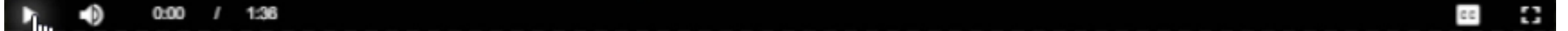
2 Watch the video. Check (✓) the things Aaron did on his vacation.

- ☐ Horseback riding
- ☐ Jumping off a cliff
- ☐ Skydiving
- ☐ Mountain biking

Viewing



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Watch again. List the adjectives Aaron uses to describe the things he did.

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Have you ever done anything adventurous or dangerous? What was it? Did you enjoy it? Tell a partner.



Video **vocabulary**

bounce (v.) to move up and down

exhilarating (*adj.*) making you feel extremely happy and excited

get the hang of (*idiom*) to learn to do something

let (v.) to allow someone to do something