



### Unit 24 Digital age

#### Practice

**1 PAIRS. Practice the conversation. Then switch roles.**

**A:** I (1) ordered digital cable today.

**B:** Really? What does it do that's different from (2) normal TV?

**A:** Lots of stuff. For one thing, you can use it to (3) order things from advertisers.

**B:** No kidding. How does (4) digital TV work?

**A:** (5) I'm not sure exactly, but I know that your TV can send and receive more information.

**B:** So, I guess you'll have to get (6) a special TV that can handle the digital cable, right?

**A:** Yeah, you're right. There's always something else that you need.

#### Substitute

**2 PAIRS. Use the substitutions in the box to create a new conversation. Practice the conversation. Then switch roles.**

*For example,*

**A:** I ordered a DVD-R player today.

**B:** Really? What does it do that's different from a normal DVD player?

Student A	Student B
(1) ordered a new DVD-R player	(2) a normal DVD player
(3) record DVDs	(4) a DVD-R player
(5) Well, I think you just have to stick a DVD in and press "record"!	(6) new DVDs to replace all your videos

#### Personalize

**3 PAIRS. Role-play the conversation. Use your own words for the underlined parts. Then switch roles.**