



Unit 7 Corporate spying

Practice

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

A: Does your company spy on employees?

B: Gee, I don't think so. Does yours?

A: Yes. My company uses (1) hidden cameras inside smoke detectors.

B: Those probably aren't for spying on you. Maybe they use them (2) for catching intruders?

A: I don't think so. You know, they've also installed (3) a special device on the phones in our office.

B: Really? (4) To eavesdrop on your conversations?

A: Nobody knows. They say it's (5) for timing conversations.

B: But you think it's so that they can tell if (6) someone is using the phone for personal calls?

A: Yep, I do. I think they're keeping an eye on everything!

Substitute

2. **PAIRS.** Use the substitutions in the box to create a new conversation. Then practice the conversation.

For example,

A: Does your company spy on employees?

B: Gee, I don't think so. Does yours?

A: Yes. My company uses dummy cameras on door entrances.

Student A	Student B
(1) dummy cameras on door entrances	(2) to scare away thieves
(3) "Site Tracker" software in every computer	(4) To limit Internet use?
(5) for checking which websites you visit	(6) employees are surfing the web on company time

Personalize

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