

- Description** Students check they know the verbs in section 3 Vocabulary
Lesson link Use this activity before 3a
Time 10–15 minutes
Extra material None

Instructions

- a** Write the verbs from section 3 Vocabulary on the board:

frustrate	embarrass	irritate
depress	terrify	tire
worry	amuse	disappoint
thrill	shock	exhaust

- b** Read the following situations out loud, and ask SS to tell you which verb(s) could describe each situation.

You win the lottery.	– <i>thrill</i>
You run a marathon.	– <i>tire, exhaust</i>
Someone tells you a joke.	– <i>amuse</i>
You lose your job.	– <i>depress, worry</i>
Your computer gets a virus.	– <i>frustrate, worry, irritate</i>
You see a ghost.	– <i>terrify</i>
You fall over on a banana skin.	– <i>embarrass</i>
Your best friend shouts at you.	– <i>shock</i>
You fail your driving test.	– <i>disappoint</i>

- c** Then ask SS in pairs to invent a new situation for each verb. Go through some of these in open class.