

# 9B Vocabulary

## Verbs describing thought and knowledge

### Activity A

Put the words in order to make sentences.

- 1 that I sure a to class always make I bring dictionary
- 2 go English-speaking year country that I'll I to an doubt this
- 3 no is in I've the what idea word longest English
- 4 I English be year I'll able assume next that to study
- 5 well speak will years estimate more I need I that to English two
- 6 I've English learn conclusion that come is hard to the to not
- 7 I will if ever words pronounce I all English correctly wonder
- 8 main language aware is wasn't English Singapore I that the in

### Activity B

🗨️ Are the sentences in Activity A true or false for you? If not, how can you change them?

### Activity C

Complete the hotel reviews using the correct form of the words in the box.

make sure    come to the conclusion    assume    be aware  
not have any idea    estimate    doubt    wonder    realise

## HOTELWORLD – *the best website for travellers' reviews*

### IMPERIAL HOTEL *Merryfield*

The hotel was conveniently located, but that's all that I can say that was positive. As soon as we checked into our rather old-fashioned and gloomy room, I<sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that it hadn't been cleaned properly. Furthermore, before we booked a room, I<sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that the hotel didn't provide breakfast, so we had to go to a fast-food restaurant nearby. Very unfriendly, unhelpful staff, too. When I look at some of the positive reviews on this hotel, I<sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ if they have been written by friends or relatives of the owners.

*Mike, Liverpool*

### BAY TREE LODGE HOTEL *Windsor*

We booked this hotel on a friend's recommendation. Before we got there, I<sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ it would be quite an ordinary hotel as the rooms were fairly cheap, but I<sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that it would be so comfortable and luxurious. The staff were lovely and it was fantastic value for money. One tip: <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that you ask for a room on the riverside; the views are lovely. *Andreas, Tottenham*

### ROYAL BARGE HOTEL *Bath*

We were going to a wedding the following day, so we asked the manager how long it would take to get there. He <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that it would take us 20 minutes; in fact, it took us an hour and a half, and we missed the ceremony! He seemed half-asleep and I<sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ he knew much about the area. There were very few staff on duty despite the fact that the hotel was full. I<sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that the hotel was only interested in making money. *Jamelia, Winchester*

