2 Grammar connections: used to and be used to

Use *used to* + verb for past situations that are not true now.

- I used to eat a lot of sandwiches as a child.
- I didn't use to eat meat.
- What did you use to eat as a child?

Use *be used to* + gerund or noun for things a person is accustomed to.

- I am used to eating fish for dinner.
- I am not used to eating dessert.
- Katia is used to American food.
- What are you used to eating for dinner?

A Work in a small group. Play the game. Write your name on a small piece of paper. Flip a coin to move your paper. Then tell your group your answer to the question in the square. Use *used to* or *be used to* in your answer. Take turns.

This says, “What did you use to do for fun as a child?” Well, I used to play in the park with my sister. We had a lot of fun.

B Share information about your classmates.

- Julia used to play in the park with her sister for fun.
- Oswaldo is used to going to the supermarket once a week.

3 Wrap up

Complete the Self-assessment on page 138.