Useful phrases

1 **Read and listen to the conversations (*a–d*) and match them with the pictures (*1–4*).**

a) A: How much is it to the airport?
B: £40.
A: £40?! ... £20.
B: OK, OK – £30.
A: OK. Can I have a receipt, please?

b) C: How much is a bottle of champagne?
D: £80, madam.
C: Can I have two beers, please?

c) E: Can I have two tickets, please?
F: How old are you?
E: Er, 19.
F: Can I see your ID?
E: ID?
F: Identity card.
E: Oh.

d) G: Can I have the bill, please?
... Excuse me!
Can I have the bill, please?
... THE BILL!
H: The bill, sir?
G: Yes, thank you.

2 **Complete the useful phrases from the conversations in Exercise 1.**

a) *How much is it* to the airport?
b) _____ a receipt, please?
c) _____ a bottle of champagne?
d) _____ two beers, please?
e) _____ two tickets, please?
f) _____ the bill, please?

Listen, check and repeat.

3 **Work with a partner. Write a short conversation for each of these situations.**

a) You want to order a bottle of wine.
b) You want to buy three tickets to a film with an 18 certificate at the cinema.
c) You want to take a taxi to the train station.

Practise the conversations.