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***Top Notch Pop Song Activities***  
**(Unit 5, “It’s Not Working Again”)**

**A. Listen to the song “It’s Not Working Again.” Circle the word or phrase that completes each statement.**

1. The conversation is \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. on the phone      b. in a store
2. The caller is having a problem with a \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. cell phone      b. fax machine
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ won’t open.  
a. store      b. lid
4. The \_\_\_\_\_ squeaks and makes a funny sound.  
a. fax machine      b. cat
5. When the singer called the day before, a man named Jack said he was \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. busy      b. late
6. The fax machine \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. won’t turn on      b. won’t turn off
7. The caller isn’t looking for a \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. laptop computer      b. fax machine
8. The fax machine \_\_\_\_\_ a copy of his document.  
a. won’t send      b. won’t print
9. Another problem is that the \_\_\_\_\_.  
a. paper goes through and comes out bent      b. paper goes through and won’t come out

10. He decides he \_\_\_\_\_ his money back.

- a. doesn't want      b. wants

**B. Listen to the song again. Complete each sentence with the present continuous or the simple present tense form of the verbs you hear.**

1. It's \_\_\_\_\_ again.
2. He \_\_\_\_\_ to the store right now.
3. It's \_\_\_\_\_ him crazy.
4. He's \_\_\_\_\_ for a laptop computer or a PDA.
5. The paper \_\_\_\_\_ through and it \_\_\_\_\_ out bent.
6. He \_\_\_\_\_ his money back.

**ABOUT YOU. Answer the questions.**

1. Do you have a lot of machines at home or at work?

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2. What kind of machines do you have?

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3. Are the machines always working?

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4. What problems do your machines have?

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5. What machine is driving your crazy right now?

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**SPEAKING OPTION. Use your answers to tell your class about the machines in your life.**

**WRITING OPTION.** Write an e-mail from the man to the store, complaining about the machine.

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