

This is the transcript of the extra listening activity.

Elena: I started snowboarding maybe about seven years ago and I was having lessons.

Callum: So you prefer snowboarding to skiing?

Elena: Yea, yea, I do. Erm, yea **anyway as I was saying**, erm, with snowboarding, I started about seven years ago and I got quite confident and I was having lessons. And then I decided, right ...

Callum: Didn't, sorry, didn't you find it really difficult? Because I find that kind of balance thing really difficult.

Elena: Yes, but it's something that you pick up with a lot of practice. **So, yea, anyway, getting back to my story** I was getting quite confident and I decided I wanted to try some jumping, to do some jumps.

Callum: Sounds a bit dangerous!

Elena: It, it, yes, **well anyway**, that's why I decided I was going to book in for another lesson even though I'd stopped having lessons at this point.