

## Episode 17

### Grammar point: 文法

1. “If we’re really going to do this, we’d better find someone who knows how to do it.”

“We’d better” is a contraction for “we had better.” The use of “had better” indicates an action that should be done (in this case, in the conditional: “If we’re really going to do this”). A base form of a verb is used after “had better.” Therefore, we say “We’d better find someone who knows how to do it if we’re really going to do this.”

2. Cooper: If we’re really going to do this, we’d better find someone who knows how to do it. We have to make sure the connection is good.

May: Oh, the “someone” with all the know-how is you.

Normally, we do not put an article before “someone.” However, in this case May uses the definite article the to give a specific identity to the “someone” Cooper has just mentioned: “If we’re really going to do this, we’d better find someone who knows how to do it.”

