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A – Your future career

You and your friends have been discussing what jobs you would like to do in the future. You are considering the following options:

- working as a lawyer
- becoming a farmer.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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B – A school trip

Your teacher has asked your class to choose where to go on a school day trip. You are considering the following options:

- a day at the zoo
- a day at the seaside.

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C – A writing competition

Your school is organising a writing competition, and you would like to take part. You are considering the following options:

- writing a short story
- writing a report on a local sports event.

Talk about how easy or difficult each option would be. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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D – Getting work experience

Your school is offering its older students the opportunity to gain some work experience. You are considering the following options:

- working on a farm
- working in an office.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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E – Family activities

Your family want to do an activity together this weekend and are considering the following options:

- going to the cinema
- going on a bike ride.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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F – Organising a birthday celebration

It is your best friend's birthday soon, and you have decided to organise a birthday celebration. You are considering the following options:

- a surprise birthday party at your house
- a dinner at a local restaurant.

Talk about how easy or difficult it would be to organise each celebration. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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G – Making a change

Your headteacher has asked her students what change to their school they would like to see. You have been discussing this with your classmates and are considering the following options:

- building a new sports hall
- improving the school library.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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H – A school event

Your school is organising several events for the end of the school year. You would like to take part in one of them. You are considering the following options:

- a photographic exhibition
- a talent show.

Talk about how easy or difficult each option would be. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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I – A new home

Your parents have decided to move to a new home. They are considering the following options:

- a small house with a swimming pool
- a large apartment with a balcony.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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J – Learning a language

You have decided to learn another language. You are considering the following options:

- attending language classes
- using language learning apps and watching videos in this language.

Talk about the advantages and disadvantages of each option. Say which option you would prefer, and why.

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