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Objective:

By the end of the lesson, students will be able to provide suggestions in a oral and written way.

I suggest
that everybody
relax.



What do you suggest me..!!!!



I suggest you...
I think you should...
I don't think you should...
Maybe you should...
Why don't you...
What about (ing).....?
How about (ing).../
Let's..



That's a good idea.
Thanks for the advice.
Good suggestion.
Sounds like a good idea.



Help me..!!!

What should I do..!!!



Why don't' you talk with the waitress and explain the situation.

I suggest that you **ask** for something else to eat.

Maybe you should change your mind and **shouldn't** pay.

What about getting free his meal?

let's not pay the bill.



**With a partner, practice making suggestions
in the following situations:**

1. Help your partner decide which item to buy.
2. Warn your partner against doing something.
3. Suggest that your partner change his/her plans.
4. Help your partner make up his/her mind.
5. Suggest doing an activity together



Why don't' you... *You should... *Mary

***How about___(ing) *Let's / let's not**

***I suggest ...(ing) / that you (simple verb)**

***I recommend...(ing) / that you (simple verb)**



WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU FAILED YOUR FINAL EXAM?



WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY ABROAD BUT YOUR PARENTS, FAMILY OR BOYFRIEND OR GIRLFRIEND WOULD NOT LET YOU GO?



Letter writing

How to write a letter giving advice



Read the letter

Dear Annie,

I'm seventeen years old and I have a serious problem with my parents. I have a lot of arguments with them because they scold me for talking with my friends on the phone. In this way, they say, I interrupt my studying on weekdays evenings and I neglect my schoolwork by making these unnecessary phone calls. How can I persuade them that I need my friends and that they are wrong?

Desperate Teenager



Writing task

Write a letter to Desperate Teenager giving some advice to him/her about how he/she can deal with this problem.



Model letter

Dear Desperate Teenager,

I was sorry to read about your parents' objection to letting you talk with your friends on the phone. I understand how you feel and I hope I have some good advice for you.

First, you should not argue with your parents but try to explain to them calmly that your friends are important to you. Make it clear to them that you need a short break and talking with your friends does not distract you from studying. On the contrary, it's relaxing and it takes your mind off your worries.

It might also be a good idea to tell your parents that you've always respected them and depended on their advice, that your schoolwork is your priority and so they have nothing to worry about. Finally, you should let them know that your friends are of the same age as you are and you all have the same problems and worries to discuss.

Concluding, I'm sure it will all work out and they will show understanding.

Good luck,
Jose Louwes



Useful set phrases

Dear ...,

Introduction: paragraph 1

- Having read your problem in
- I was sorry to read about your problem
- I understand how you are and
- I was in the same situation you are a few years ago



Useful set phrases

Main body: paragraphs 2 & 3

Giving advice

- It would/might be a good idea to ...
- I strongly advice you to/ not to
- First of all, it's very important you do not argue ...
- I think you should (also) tell them that ...
- The best thing for you to do is





Useful set phrases

Conclusion: paragraph 4

- To sum up, / Summing up, ...
- To conclude, / Concluding
- Finally, I'm sure that if you follow my advice, you will see that everything will work out.
- Good luck,
name and surname



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