**Home task**

**Task 1. Underline the correct alternatives to complete the conversation.**

**A:** Can I talk to you **1.** *for / about* something?

**B:** Yes.

**A:** It's **2.** *about / from* your apple tree. The branches have grown too big. This is **3.** *making / doing* it impossible to see through the upstairs window. Would you be **4.** *possible / able* to cut them?

**B:** I'm ninety years old. I can't climb trees any more.

**A:** **5.** *"Why / What* about getting someone to do it for you? Perhaps you could do hire someone?

**B:** Good idea. Do you need a job?

**A:** Yes, I do, actually.

**B:** OK. What **7.** *but / if* I employed you to cut my branches?

**A:** Maybe. The **8.** *one / thing* is, I've never done that kind of work before. I'm a computer programmer

**B:** Well, here's your chance to start a new career!

**Task 2. Complete the sentences with the phrases in the box.**

**I thought maybe I wonder if perhaps you could there's something the thing is would you be able**

1. **Would you be able** to give me the information this week?
2. **Perhaps you could** call him today?
3. **There's something** I'm rather busy.
4. **I wonder if** you had finished the work.
5. **I thought maybe** you would mind moving your bag?
6. **The thing is** I have to tell you.

**Task 3. Write the roleplay situation up as a dialogue.**

**Situation 3**

**You live with three others in a flat. One flatmate often leaves a mess in the kitchen. You (and the two others) think he/she should clean the kitchen after using it.**

**Situation 3**

**You live with three others in a flat. You are the only person who cleans the floors and the windows and tidies the living room. You do not clean the kitchen because you think they should do some housework.**