In today’s world, there has been an accelerating trend of student taking a break from studying before going to university. While this trend is benefical to some cases, I am firmly of the opinion that its drawbakes outweight the benefit it offers .

On the one hand, a gap year may enable student to enrich themselves with real life experiences that benefit for future. These may include having paid job, participace in volunteer work to improve soft skill such as , communication, team work, presentation and following orthers. As a result, the teens taking a gap year are better prepare for the future jobs. Others may also travel the world and absorb the knowledge of diverse culture and from different geographical contexts. Having plenty of various knowledge is essential for developing a successful career .