**#Suppose 2 of you are very good friends . And we are in class. We are planning to go on a trip. Now plan how you go on a tour?**

**Nakiba: Hi shawon!**

**Shan:** Hai nakiba. I'm seeing you after such a long time! How are you?

**Nakiba: I'm fine! Yes! It's been what one and a half years now?!**

**Shan:** Yes! Almost! But finally we are on our Campus..

**Nakiba: Yes! So tell me how was your pandemic days? to be more precise lockdown days?**

**Shan:** Ah, so boring and frustrating! We just spend those days in front of the computer....

And in the blink of an eye, we are about to finish our 5th semester.. We just missed our university life.!!

**Nakiba: Ah, same! Stuck at home! Can’t go out! The constant hand sanitizing and obsessive sanitizing of grocery! It was very frustrating all together! Mentally and emotionally as well!**

**Shan:** Ah Thankfully i'm not the only one who feels that way then!

**Nakiba: Yes definitely!**

**Shan:** You know I had so many plans to travel to different parts of Bangladesh from the very beginning of my university life! But this whole pandemic thing ruined it all!

**Nakiba: Say what! Me too! I have always been into travelling ! seeing the nice pictures of mountains in this pandemic has made me so frustrated!**

**Shan: (Shaon er marani hashi)** hey nakiba! Then how about we plan a tour then?Like a trip with all our friends!?

**Nakiba: That's a great idea, Shaon! Why didn't this cross my mind!**

**Shan:** Mayb bcoz you are not such a travel junkie like I am!

**Nakiba: haha! Ok but if we want to plan a trip then we need to call a meeting to let all our friends know about this idea and see how many of them could make it to the trip?Right?**

**Shan:** Yes! As we all know when we talk about it, everyone is there! But when it comes to planning… half of them just don't make it !

**Nakiba: Absolutely!**

**Shan:** Also we all have budget problems.. So we will have to think about it in a financially friendly way!

**Nakiba:** Yes! specially after the pandemic everybody is a little short of money!

**Shan**: Ok we have to come up with a place now!

**Nakiba: How about sajek?**

**Shan:**  Well that’s a good idea…!! We’ll need 3 days for that I guess!

**Nakiba: Yes! Probably!**

**Shan:** But I've never been there so I have no idea about that place...

**Nakiba: It is located about 2000 feet above sea level surrounded by hills and mountains with reserved forests and birds chirping around! And the scenic beauty is great surreal to experience and for clicking photos of course!**

**Shan:** haha ! okkyy.. How are we supposed to go there??

**Nakiba: Many of our friends have recently been to sajek! That’s where i got the idea of it in the first place! I guess we could talk to them to get a whole idea about the route and the detailed travel points!**

**Shan:** Well, then they could guide us. Problem solved! Ok But we have to plan it as soon as possible as exams are arriving. And after this semester, we will be busy with our Thesis and

Projects..

**Nakiba: hmmm That’s a good point!**

**Shan:** It's already 2 o'clock... our next class is about to begin ! Let's go!

**Nakiba: Oh yes! Let’s go! We’ll discuss the rest of the plan after the class!**

**Shan: Ok sure!**

**# A conversation between two friends about how the meeting is going (Before or after a meeting).**

**Shawan :** Haii…!!! Nakiba.. How are you??

**Nakiba :** I’m fine.What about you?

**Shawan :** I'm fine too. Where have you been for the past few days.???

**Nakiba :** Actually I went to the hospital to get vaccinated and then I started having post vaccination sickness so I couldn't attend the office for the past 2 days.

**Shawan :** Oh! Do you have any sickness now??

**Nakiba :** ah Thankfully no. I'm totally fine now!

**Shawan:** Oh great! Which vaccine did you receive?

**Nakiba:** I took mRNA, the one by moderna! It made me suffer a lot!

**Shawan:** Oh, ask me! I took the same! Moderna has terrible side effects.. Most of my friends and relatives faced fever and muscle pain problems as well..

**Nakiba :** Yes I know! It’s terrible! But if you had sickness how come you were regular to the office?

**Shawan:** Luckily I got both of my doses on Thursday so I had my sickness during weekends!

**Nakiba :** Ah lucky you!

**Shawan :** If you haven't been to the office then I'm wondering, you haven't heard of the Memo, right?

**Nakiba :** What memo?

**Shawan :** Actually, a memo was circulated yesterday about an urgent meeting involving the technical and management team.! But no problem, we have enough time to work.!

**Nakiba :** Oh ! What will the discussion be?

**Shawan:** Actually our company got a new project. So the meeting is for discussing that.

**Nakiba :** Ok, But it seems like a normal pre-processing meeting. Why did they circulate a memo for it then?

**Shawan:** Because the HR said That the meeting is very important and we have very little time for it as the client wants it to be done on an urgent basis. This meeting will include the CEO,

of course along with the HR manager and team.

**Nakiba :** Oh, that sounds pretty serious! When’s the meeting?

**Shawan:** Ahh.. It's in 2hrs!

**Nakiba :** What! I don't come to the office and all these sudden meetings start happening! I have no clue about the process!

**Shawan: (shaon er marani hashi)** Don’t worry ! The goal of the meeting is to include everyone together to discuss everything. And we will have to share our creative opinions on that.

**Nakiba : Oh cool! Btw Do you have any idea what the project is about?**

**Shawan:** Ah I don't have much idea… But I heard that the project is something about Our Metro-Rail server system.

**Nakiba : Oh that sounds great!**

**Shawan: Well,** We still have almost 2 hours until the meeting. And I know you can be prepared for it.. After all, “Beauty with brains..”. But the main thing is “I'm starving..” So let’s go and have lunch.

**Nakiba : Ah, I'm starving too! Let’s go and grab a bite and we could also discuss more about the project.**

**Shawan:** Yeah sure! Btw where are we going for lunch?

**Nakiba : How bout’ khanas? I heard they've added some great new items to the menu!**

**Shawan:** Well that sounds great!

**Nakiba : Cool then ! Let's go!**

**Shawan:** Sure,After you!

**# Suppose you have met your friend at a reading caffe after a long time. Now make an engaging conversation between you and your friend.**

**Nakiba:** Hey ! Is it Shawon?! How are you?!

**Shawon:** Hayy….!! What a pleasant surprise. I’m fine.. How are you?

**Nakiba:** Yes! I'm fine too! So nice to see you! We’re meeting after what? 2 years?!

**Shawon:** Yes it’s been such a long time.. [-----] Where have you been??

**Nakiba:** Well, I have been pursuing my higher education in Canada for the past one year. Whatabout you?

**Shawon:** That's great! ------ Well I'm working as a Junior Developer in Set com IT LTD.

**Nakiba:** That’s such a great news! Now what’s intriguing to me is, you were much into reading and as I remember you hated reading books. Then what are you doing here in a reading caffe?

**Shawon:** Yes that’s true! I really hated it back then!

**Nakiba:** Then how are you here,again!?

**Shawon:** All of my friends are so into reading, so I decided - why not give it a go! So I started reading a book randomly and surprisingly I got so interested in it that I couldn't stop reading. Since then, I have been reading books continuously and it has been a year now that i have been a crazy reader!

**Nakiba:** That’s Great shawon! I always liked reading books. It is so good to meet friends after so long and share similar interests!

**Shawon:** Yes, I remember You used to read books in class, hiding them under the table!

God, That was so funny!

**Nakiba:** Ah don't remind me of that! I had so much trouble doing that! By the way, Which book did you start reading with?

**Shawon:** Well one of my friends, Miim, she suggested that I should read the  **“**Jochona O Jononir Golpo” **Novel by Humayun Ahmed So I started with that.**

**Nakiba:** Humayun Ahmed? He’s so brilliant!

**Shawon:** Yes! He’s one of my favorites now!

Who is your favorite writer by the way?

**Nakiba :** Well, My favorite writer is Malcolm Gladwell !

**Shawon:** Yes I have heard about his books! Tell me something about him!

**Nakiba:** Well, Malcolm Gladwell is known for his unique perspective. He has an excellent sense of pacing through subject matter paired with calculated withholding of information which keeps the readers engaged till the very last word!

**Shawon:**  He sounds very interesting! Could you suggest some books by him?! [10]

**Nakiba:** Well,His most famous book is a self help book. It's called **“The Tipping Point”.** I believe self help books really help us implement different strategies and perspectives to our thought process. I haven't read this one yet but I have heard so many promising reviews on it that I have already put it on my bucket list and I can't wait to read! You must try it too!

**Shawon:** I am already very intrigued by your chat. Now I need to start reading this right away!

**Nakiba:** Yes you must ! oh, I had to meet my aunt! I think I’m gonna leave you with your books!

**Shawon:** Oh no problem! Let’s plan a hangout someday.

**Nakiba:** Yes! That’ll be great! Are you in contact with prachi and others from our section?

**Shawon:** Yeah, we hangout quite often! They’ll be so happy to meet their old classmate!

**Nakiba:** Alright then! Now It’s your responsibility to plan the hangout!

**Shawan:** Yes Of course!

**Nakiba:** OK! I think I should leave now! Such a nice chat with you shawon!

**Shawan:** Same here! Bye!

**Nakiba:** Bye!

**# Class practice:(Helping neighbour)**

Shan: Hai Nakiba..!! How are you??

Nakiba: not good actually!

**Shan: Why and hey** what’re you doing outside??

**Nakiba: Actually I locked myself out .**

**Shan: Howcome?**

**Nakiba:** I left my home this morning in a rush and I forgot to take the keys which I didn't realize so now i'm stuck outside !

**Shan:** Oh no!Don’t you have any extra keys???

Nakiba: No, I changed my bag and forgot to put the extra key in the bag as well.

Shan: Then where is your mom?? Isn’t she at home??

Nakiba: No ammu left the house before I did.

Shan: Have you informed her that you are stuck outside??

Nakiba: No I haven't. My phone’s battery is dead as well. It’s a terrible day for me!

Shan: No problem. I have her number on my phone. You just call her right away to inform her.

Nakiba: Oh thank you shaon!That's very nice of you.!

(after the phone call with mother) ----------------

Shan: What did she say?

Nakiba: Ammu said she’ll be here in a few minutes!

Shan: Great, You can sit at my house until she comes!

Nakiba: **No thanks!** I don't want to bother you!

Shan: Oh come on I insist!! I just bought a pizza! Let's have a chat over that pizza!

Nakiba: Ok if you insist.

(entering the house)---------------

Shan: Btw, why did you leave the house so early in the morning?

Nakiba: I had to go to the bank for some urgent work. and Where did you go ?

Shan: I just went to buy this book..

Nakiba: Oh great! I didn't know, you were into reading books!

Shn: No… I just bought it for my friend.. I don’t like books at all..

Nakiba: oh! But you should try reading sometime!

Shan: Ah, maybe someday!

Nakiba: You should read the book called tipping point .

Shan: Who is the writer of the book?

Nakiba: Malcolm gladwell. He’s an amazing writer with the competence of making reader look at different perspective and keeping them engaged till the very last end!

Shan: he sounds interesting! I think i will give it a read someday...

Nakiba:Yes you must!

Shan:Oh, your mom is here!

Nakiba: Thank god ! Thank you so much shaon for being a nice neighbour and not letting me get bored!

Shan: Oh, don't mention it! What are neighbours for!

Nakiba: I must say, You are a very kind neighbour !See you later soon,bye!

Shan: bye!