Part 2: Social interaction

Reading books

Students are encouraged to read books at school.

There are 3 kinds of book: text books, picture books, reference books (sách tham khảo). What do you choose?

Cấu trúc dẫn vào:

Chọn lựa chọn nào mà mình có nhiều ý tưởng nhất để phát triển (lí do/lợi ích/ ví dụ/biện luận)

As for me, picture books would be the best choice/an ideal choice/option because of the following reasons. Firstly, it would be easier for me to understand the content of books with pictures. In fact, when I was a student at high school, I read a lot of picture books at library which made me.....

Secondly, reading books with pictures would be more interesting because readers/we would find it addictive to characters/images drawn (duoc ve) in the book.

.....(tại sao không chọn 2 p án còn lại)

AS FOR THE TWO OTHER OPTIONS, THERE ARE SOME DRAWBACKS TO THEM. FOR P/ÁN 2, IT'S NOT SUITABLE IN SOME CASE, SO I WON'T CHOOSE THIS WITH P/ÁN 3, IT IS NOT GOOD/BENEFICIAL TO SOME EXTENT.

In short, books with pictures would be the best choice/ an option that should be taken into consideration (xem xet can nhac)

Obesity

- fat/obese

Brain drain: chảy máu chất xám Traffic congestion: = traffic jam

- illustrated contents with pics→	Lexi: Book worm
- attractive	
Dung câu phức/mđ qh	

Survive:

Among 3 options provided, I thinkwould be the best choice because of the two main/primary reasons.

First, by doing this/with this, there are a number of advantages not only for me but also for others. Second, the other options sometimes have disadvantages which can be taken into account. AS FOR THE TWO OTHER OPTIONS, THERE ARE SOME DRAWBACKS TO THEM. FOR P/ÁN 2, IT'S NOT SUITABLE IN SOME CASE, SO I WON'T CHOOSE THIS WITH P/ÁN 3, IT IS NOT GOOD/BENEFICIAL TO SOME EXTENT.

In short, (hoc thuoc long)

Holiday/ vacation

Your nephew is planning to go on his summer holiday. There are 3 options: go to an army training course, go to **stay with his grandmother**, go to the countryside. Choose the best choice for him. Shy $s \rightarrow x$ sugar

I think I would advise him to go to stay with his grandmother in Dannag city because of the following reasons.

First, by doing this, he can **enhance/nurture/cultivate the relationship** with his grandma. He can take care of ...

Second, because his grandma is living in Danang city which is a famous tourist attraction. So if he stays there with his grandma, he not only has more chances to visit the landscapes but also takes care of her.

In short, staying,,,,,,

PHẢI BIẾT LIÊN HỆ, MÓC NỐI VỚI CÁC CHỦ ĐỀ QUEN THUỘC MÀ MÌNH CÓ NHIỀU TỪ VƯNG

Facebook

Your sister was attacked on Facebook by a classmate.

There are 3 options: deactivate her Facebook, talk to her teacher, talk to that classmate. Choose the best option.

Choose truth

Best bad

choice

talk to her teacher:

- The teacher has more experience in solving = fixing = addressing = tackling the problem. She/He will help her friend to realize the mistake and teach her right from wrong.
- The teacher has power to punish her friend who attacked her on facebook.

Prevent her from.....

In short = To brief

A trip with classmates

You are going to have a trip with your class in Hanoi. Choose among 3 options: Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, **Sword Lake**, and Hanoi Museum.

Sword Lake is near Old Quarter, so if we/he visits SL we/he can have more chances to explore food at Old Quarters.

SL is also the symbol of Hnoi **which** has Tower of Turtle. Many international visitors come here every year. (lồng chủ đề du lịch vào), Take city bus around the lake/cyclo

Helping students

There is a group of students with poor academic performance (học kém) in your class. Who do you think can help them? a teacher, an academic advisor, an excellent student.

Quay trỏe lại teacher

- The teacher has more experience in solving the problem.
- The teacher has more methods to teach the students who have low academic results

Choosing a present

S1. One of your friends who **is a musician** is about to debut a song.

What present is the most suitable: a notebook, a **bouquet** (**bâu cây**) **of flowers** or a hand-made card?

→ Flower:

- It is tradition of our culture.
- It is not too expensive to buy a bunch of flower for our friend who has a great event in his life.
- **S2**. One of your friends is going to retire. What will you buy for her as a gift: a handbag, a pair of shoes, a pair of glasses?

a pair of shoes:

- run every day, which is very good for his health when he gets retired.
- By running with the shoes I offer/give, he can reduce risks of heart diseases
- **S3**. You have a foreign teacher and next week he will come back home. Which presents is suitable to give him? **A coffee packet**, a hat, an art drawing.

A coffee packet

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- it has become a tradition of Vietnamese people when giving gifts to foregin friends
- **S4**. You are choosing a birthday present for your close friend next week. There are 3 options: a book, a clothing item, a CD. Which one do you choose? Why?

a book → reading

Time off

You have two weeks off before **the final exam**. What will you do? Revise for exam, **go on vacation with family**, or go to your friend's house for sleepovers and parties.

go on vacation with family \rightarrow get relaxed and will perform better in the final exam (-loi ich cua di nghi)

Doing volunteer work

You are going to a mountainous area to do volunteer work.

What will you give to mountainous children: money, old clothes, pens and notebooks?

- Students → old clothes because I don't have money to.....
- In fact, a number of children inhas no clothes to wear in the winter time, so........

Doing a project

You want to do a project at school about life in the countryside. How do you collect information for the project? There are 3 options: go to the countryside, watch it on TV, search it on Internet. go to the countryside

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Hangout with friends

You have a Sunday evening out with your friends. Which one would you choose? seeing a movie, going shopping and singing karaoke.

- seeing a movie
- + not expensive to buy tickets for a group of 4 friends
- + get relaxed.../reduce stress....

Punishment at school

You are a teacher and one of your students **cheated in a school exam**. You are considering the punishment among to the cheating student: give zero point, abstract 50% point, dismiss to the school. give zero point

- have more chances to make up for his mistakes so he can catch up with his friends
- it is not good to dismiss him from school because it is severe/strict.

Raising pets

You have just moved to a new house. Which pet do you prefer for the house: a cat, a dog, a bird? Why do you choose it?

Dog:

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A sport competition

You and your friends are going to organize a sport competition. Which sport do you choose: a table tennis match, a marathon, a football match? Why?

- a football match?
- the most popular sport in Vietnam and in the world
- it is a tradition of Vietnamese people to organize a football match in,,,,,

Motivation/ Avoid stress

One of your friends is stressful with her boring job. What do you recommend for her? Take up a sport, learn a new skill, or do a voluntary work.

Take up a sport

Learning history

A group of foreign students want to learn Vietnam history. Which method will you recommend to them? Going to the museum, watching documentary, or reading history book?

- not expensive
- flexible time

Studying places

Where do you find the most suitable for studying? **at home**, in the school library, or in a coffee shop? at home

A Prom

Your class is about to hold a Prom to celebrate your high school graduation.

You have 3 options: invite your lover, invite your best friend, or go alone. Which option is best for you? Why?

invite your best friend

- Best friends often has a lot of things in common which can help me to coordinate in taking part in activities at the Prom.
- It is an occasion to save best memories of student life.

Learning English

- S1. What is the best method when learning English? Speak with foreinger, read books, or watch films. Reading books....
- S2. You want to improve your English-speaking skills. There are three possible choices: joining an English class at center, joining an English club, or talking to foreigners in public places. Which is the best choice for you?

talking to foreigners in public places

- talking to different people in public places which can help us to share cultural knowledge...

Students' assessment at primary schools: mark only, comment only, both. comment only

- If the teacher assesses students by comment, he can help children develop better because children will not have to compare their results with their friends so they won't feel discouraged/stressed.
- if teachers want to comment students, they will have to take more care of children if they want to comment their students, which is very good for the development of the children.

Choosing a school

You are going to choose a school for your child. Choose between three schools: one focus on personality development, one focus on academic knowledge, one with relax atmosphere?

- one with relax atmosphere
- + my child/students won't have to **suffer from** stress, so he can have good marks
- + He can help the family with housework at home because he doesn't have to do homework

Mid-autumn festival (....

You are asked about punishment for students cheating in exams. There are three options: giving them a zero, reducing 50% of the total score, or dismissing them from school. Which is the best choice?

It is getting hotter and hotter and your family is planning a trip. Three options are suggested: a seaside resort, a lakeside hotel and a countryside cottage. What is the best choice?

You are going to have 3 days off work. There are three options for you to choose the activity: staying at home, going hiking with your friends, travelling abroad. Which is the best choice?

A foreign friend is planning a 3-day trip in one city in Vietnam. 3 cities are suggested: Sapa, Hanoi, Danang. Which is the best option?

Teachers at your child's primary school are asking you about how to assess students. There are three options: marks only, comments only, both marks and comments. Which is the best choice?

Your brother is going to graduate from university. What do you suggest him to do: going to work, studying for his Master degree, or going travelling?

A foreign friend is planning to visit your country and he/she is wondering about the best time to go there. There are three options: spring, summer, autumn. Which is the best choice?

Your brother is going to join military service. You want to give him a gift. Three kinds of gifts are suggested: a book, a CD, a diary. What is the best choice?

A foreign teacher is coming back to her hometown next month. You and your classmates want to buy her a gift. There are three options: a package of coffee, a conical hat, an embroidered picture. Which is the best choice?

Your friend is going to organize her birthday party. 3 places are suggested: at her home, at a restaurant, in a karaoke bar. Which do you think is the best place for her?

You need to go shopping for the Tet holiday. Three places are suggested: an openair market, a department store, a supermarket. Which is the best choice?

Your friend is planning a surprise for her parents' 30th wedding anniversary. She is considering 3 options: organizing a vacation abroad, buying couple watches, taking family photos. What is the best choice?

Your niece is 12 next week. You want to buy her a gift. There are 3 options for you: a dress, an English book, and a bouquet of flowers. What is the best option? Your cousin, who has lived in England for a long time, is planning to visit Vietnam during her summer vacation. There are three options for her to choose: a backpack trip, a guided tour and a road trip. What is the best option?

Your friend is very stressed because of her busy and boring life. You will advise her to do something to reduce stress. Three activities are suggested: playing sports, learning new skills, doing some voluteer work. Which is the best choice for her? You and your friend are organizing a charity event in a mountainous area. Three activities are suggested: giving money, giving old clothes, giving notebooks and pencils. Which is the best choice?

Your younger sister has told lies many times. She promised not to do it again but actually doesn't stop. There are three options for you: having a talk with her, informing your parents, letting her continue. Which is the best choice?