



- 1 Check the meaning of the topics in the box. Then match four of the topics with photos A–D.

school uniform school lunches
skipping classes exam pressure bullying
homework class size sports cheating
school trips school clubs

- 2 3.17 Listen to an interview with two students, Will and Olivia. Which four topics about school life from exercise 1 do they mention?

- 3 3.17 Listen to the interview again and write Will or Olivia next to the opinions.

- 1 Cheating is not a big problem.
- 2 Students shouldn't take mobile phones into exams.
- 3 Cyber bullying is a serious problem.
- 4 There should be more school trips to help with studies.
- 5 Classes should be smaller.

- 4 3.17 Complete the Key Phrases, then listen again and check.

KEY PHRASES

Opinions

Do you think there's a problem with ¹..... at school?

Not ².....

I disagree ³.....

Yes, ⁴.....

How can ⁵..... improve?

We should definitely have ⁶.....

- 5 3.18 Complete the dialogue with the key phrases. Listen and check. Then practise the dialogue with a partner.

Sally ¹..... skipping classes at school?

Dan ²..... A few students go into town, but not many. What about school uniforms? Do you think we should have one?

Sally Yes, ³..... a uniform.

Dan I agree with that. If everyone wears the same thing it makes us all the same.

Sally Yes, ⁴..... And our uniform is easy to wear.

Dan I think sport is a problem. We should have more classes.

Sally ⁵..... with that. I don't want any more! ⁶..... improve?

Dan School lunches aren't very good. I think there should be more choice.

- 6 **USE IT!** Work in pairs. Prepare and practise a new dialogue using ideas about your school. Use the topics in exercise 1, the dialogue in exercise 5 and the key phrases.