

## Situation 87

**You will be discussing morning routines (activities). Be prepared to ask the interviewer about his/her morning activities.**

## **Situation 12**

**You and the interviewer are discussing plans for the next long weekend or vacation. Be ready to talk about what you plan to do, and ask the interviewer about his or her plans.**

## **Situation 74**

**You and a friend (the interviewer) are talking about things you do well.**

## **Situation 2**

**Your friend (the interviewer) invites you to go shopping and wants to make a day of it. You want to go because you have several things to buy, Be sure to find out:**

- **Where your friend wants to go and why.**
- **What your friend wants/needs to buy and why.**

## **Situation 46**

**Your parents are very strict with you and require you to do a lot of chores. This bothers you. Complain about this situation to your friend (the interviewer)**

## **Situation 52**

**You and your friends want to go to a movie this weekend in another town.**

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## **Situation 59**

**You are not feeling well and on a visit to the doctor's office you have different people to see before and after your examination.**

- **Call the doctor's office to set up an appointment as soon as possible**
- **Talk with the doctor in the examining room**
- **Talk with the pharmacist about your prescription**
- **Arrange a future appointment and payment**

## Situation 11

**You and the interviewer are talking about schools. The interviewer is not familiar with your school. The interviewer is a teacher who works at another school.**

**Be sure to ask questions about the interviewer's school.**



## **Situation 100**

**You and an exchange student (the interviewer) are discussing the weather where you each live.**

## Situation 14

**You work in the Tourist Center in your town or city. The interviewer is a tourist who is planning to bring a group to visit your city. Be prepared to talk about interesting places to visit and things to do in your area.**

**Ask questions of the tourist (interviewer) to help in making plans for his/her group to visit your city**

## **Situation 8**

**You and a student from another town (the interviewer) are describing your towns to each other. Be prepared to talk about:**

- **places to go in your town.**
- **what there is to see in town or nearby.**
- **things to do in your town for fun.**

## Situation 41

**You and your family are in a restaurant in (country). Your family does not speak the language and isn't familiar with the food. Tell the hostess how many, where you want to sit, and why. Explain to the waiter why you are the spokesperson for the group. Inquire about house specialties and recommendations. There may be a problem about the order. Ask for the bill.**

## **Situation 71**

**You and the interviewer are talking about plans for the summer. (Be ready to discuss your plans and find out the interviewer's.)**

## Situation 31

**You are not feeling well and you go to visit a doctor (the interviewer). Tell the doctor what the matter is and answer the doctor's questions. Find out about the medicine that the doctor prescribes for you:**

- **what it is for**
- **when to take it**
- **how much to take**
- **where to buy it**

## **Situation 96**

**You are visiting with an exchange student (the interviewer) about fun things you do on weekends.**

## **Situation 88**

**You will be talking about your dream vacation. Be sure to ask the interviewer about his/her dream vacation.**



### **Situation 30**

**You go to a school that allows you to leave campus for lunch. Invite a new student (the interviewer) to go out. Explain where you and your friends:**

- like to go
- what you order.
- why you like to go there.

**Ask questions to find out interviewer's likes and dislikes and decide where to go.**

## Situation 28

**A friend (the interviewer) calls to ask you to go out Friday night. You have other plans and can't go. Tell him/her why you can't go, but make suggestions of other things you can do at another time. Be prepared to find out:**

- **what you'll do and when**
- **how you'll get there**
- **what you'll do afterwards**

## **Situation 62**

**Let's talk about going to the beach. You will need to find out about location, including:**

- **where it is**
- **what it is like**
- **what there is to do**

## Situation 26

**Tell me about your family. Be prepared to tell:**

- **who the members are.**
- **how old they are**
- **what they are like**
- **what things they like (don't like) to do.**

## **Situation 56**

**Your friend (the interviewer) invites you out to eat. Come to an agreement considering the cost, likes/dislikes, and available time.**

## **Situation 47**

**You and the interviewer are talking about friends.**

## Situation 22

**You and a friend (the interviewer) are going to different climates for vacation. You will be talking about where each of you is going and why and what clothing each of you is taking.**

## Situation 4

**Your cousin (the interviewer) calls you because he/she is coming to town for a weekend visit. You're in charge of making plans to entertain him/her.**

**You haven't seen each other for a long time, so find out:**

- **how his family is.**
- **about his school and activities.**
- **when he is arriving**
- **what special things he wants to do in town.**



## Situation 89

**We are going to talk about movies, and you will ask your friend (the interviewer) about going to see his/her favorite movie.**

## Situation 37

**You have a new pet. You call the pet store to find out how to care for it appropriately.**

**Find out about:**

- **feeding**
- **exercise**
- **costs**
- **other needs.**

## Situation 32

**You are talking about friends. Be prepared to ask your friend (the interviewer) about his/her friend:**

- **who s/he is**
- **what they do together**
- **why s/he is important**

## **Situation 21**

**You and a friend (the interviewer) are talking about going to events (games/concerts) in another city. Talk about the types of events you like (or would like) to go to and why. Ask specific details about arranging such a trip.**

## Situations 34

**You need to stay at home tonight to babysit a younger brother/sister. You've asked a friend (the interviewer) to spend the night. You'll discuss the house rules and how to spend the evening.**

## Situation 19

**You work in a large department store and the interviewer comes in to buy a gift for a friend. Be prepared to ask questions to help the customer decide what to buy.**

**Find out about:**

- **the friend and his/her interests (clothing, music, hobbies).**
- **how much money the customer wants to spend.**

## **Situation 49**

**A new neighbor calls and asks if you are available to babysit on weekends.**

## **Situation 55**

**Oregon has a variety of weather. The interviewer is not from Oregon. Describe what is “usual” and “unusual” about Oregon’s weather during a year.**



## **Situation 53**

**A visitor from another country (the interviewer) doesn't know much about the U.S.**

## **Situation 36**

**You are in a store to purchase items for a picnic. Ask the clerk about :**

- **local food**
- **quantity needed**
- **cost**

**Purchase what you need.**

**Be sure to open and close the conversation with appropriate courtesies.**

## Situation 60

A friend (the interviewer) calls you to invite you on a weekend trip with his/her family. Find out:

- where
- when
- how much money you need to bring

### **Situation 103**

**Your friend has just won a \$1000 award. Find out what s/he is going to do with it and convince him/her to spend some of it on you.**

## **Situation 98**

**You and an exchange student (the interviewer) are describing your homes to each other. Talk about:**

- **location**
- **size**
- **description of rooms**
- **furnishings**

## Situation 10

**Describe your future career plans. Tell about:**

- **What you want to be and why**
- **Give specifics of what a \_\_\_\_\_ does.**
- **What training does a person need for this job.**

## **Situation 9**

**You and the interviewer will talk about a typical day. (not about school)**

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## **Situation 92**

**We are going to talk about families. This may be your family or one you know.**



## Situation 81

**We will talk about traveling and finding our way around in a new city. Be prepared to ask the interviewer questions to learn about an important monument:**

- **where it is**
- **how to get to it**
- **when you can visit it**
- **cost to visit it**

## **Situation 57**

**We will discuss favorite and least favorite chores inside and outside the house. You will need to find out who does what at the interviewer's house.**

## Situation 24

**Your family is going away for the weekend and you are bringing a friend. Be prepared to describe:**

- where you are going
- what you can do there
- what your friend is like

### **Situation 40**

**You are a new student in town. A neighbor your own age meets you. Tell about your old school and find out about the new school.**

## **Situation 75**

**You are talking with a travel agent (the interviewer). You need to explain your plans for a trip you want to take as well as ask relevant questions about:**

- **transportation**
- **departure and arrival times**
- **costs**
- **what to do while you are there**

## **Situation 82**

**Let's talk about your school day. Be prepared to ask this interviewer about his/her classes and work day.**

## Situation 16

**Imagine that you are a pet lover and that you often take care of other people's pets. The interviewer wants you to take care of his/her pet for the weekend.**

**In the question section, find out:**

- **the interviewer's pet's name and age.**
- **where pet can and cannot go.**
- **what it eats and how often.**
- **how much you'll be paid.**
- **where it sleeps and other care needs.**

## Situation 7

**You and a friend (the interviewer) are discussing your summer plans.**

**Tell specifics of your summer plans (work, school, vacations), and find out all you can about the interviewer's plans.**



## Situation 15

Using appropriate phone courtesies, call your friend (the interviewer) and invite him/her to go out with you for the evening. Be prepared to ask

- what the friend wants to do;
- what time he/she can go
- where you will go;
- how to get there.
- what to do after or beforehand

## Situation 97

**You and I are in charge of organizing a party for our language class. We'll need to discuss:**

- **purpose of party**
- **when**
- **where it will be**
- **what food we'll have.**

## Situation 94

**Your friend (the interviewer) invites you to go eat somewhere. You want to go because you are hungry.**

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## **Situation 102**

**We will talk about the clothing you like to wear. We'll talk about clothing for different times of the year and for different activities.**

## **Situation 86**

**You are an exchange student in a foreign country and will be expected to answer various questions as a visitor.**