

1 WORD POWER

1 WORD POWER B

Sample answers

1 Straight-A students have problems too. **If I were to hazard a guess, I might say that** we all need help sometimes.

2 There is a generation gap between parents and young people today. **It could be the case that** there is one, but every generation thinks the same thing.

3 Something needs to be done about these jobs. **I would be a little concerned that** people will overreact about this.

4 Peer pressure pushes young people into risky behaviour. **It seems as if** peer pressure is very strong, but parents can play their part.

2 READING

2 READING A

Answers

A 1 no 2 yes 3 yes 4 no



4 LISTEN

DVD

4 LISTEN B

Answers

Swimming: not mentioned. **Responsible drinking:**

Not mentioned, they want to bring enough alcohol so they don't run out. They provide only nachos and light snacks. And they are only concerned about the drinking in terms of the impact on locals. **Fun party games:** Yes, Mexican theme. **Sightseeing:** Yes, they visit a nearby island.

4 LISTEN C

Answers

1 Mexican (Getaway).

2 Mexican music, trance and deep house.

3 A lot to drink, but only a little food (including nachos with salsa and guacamole).

4 People getting into trouble with the police for carrying open bottles of alcohol through the town and being fined (50 euros), or making too much noise.

5 They don't really seem to be.

WORKBOOK: 1 WORD POWER

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Answers

1 Young people say they want to be individuals, but they just copy each other. **I'm not sure I would** say that, they are just doing their best.

2 Young people should be allowed room to make mistakes. **It seems as if** that is the case.

3 Young women are never as bad as young men. **I'm not sure I would** agree with your statement. What about girl gangs?

4 Television is responsible for making young people behave badly. **I would be a little concerned that** we blame television for everything. Parents have a role to play as well.

5 Teenagers can always get drugs or alcohol if they want. I don't think anything can stop that. **I would be a little concerned that** that if you give up hope, it won't help.

6 We can only hope a good education will keep young people safe. **If I were to hazard a guess, I might say** education is the most important thing in helping young people find the right path in life.

2 USE OF LANGUAGE: Word Forms

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Answers

1 sharpen 2 revolutionised 3 increase 4 banned
5 fear 6 remains 7 organised 8 requesting

4 IDIOMS

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Answers

1 were 2 saw / sees 3 open
4 nip 5 kept 6 scratching

1 to be on the same wavelength = to understand each other and think alike 2 to see everything in black and white = to see things in very clear terms, not in nuances 3 to open the floodgates = to allow something to get out of control 4 to nip something in the bud = to stop something before it really starts 5 to keep his nose clean = to behave well 6 to scratch their heads over = to worry about what to do, to be confused about what to do