LISTENING COMPREHENSION ACTIVITY(OA.1)

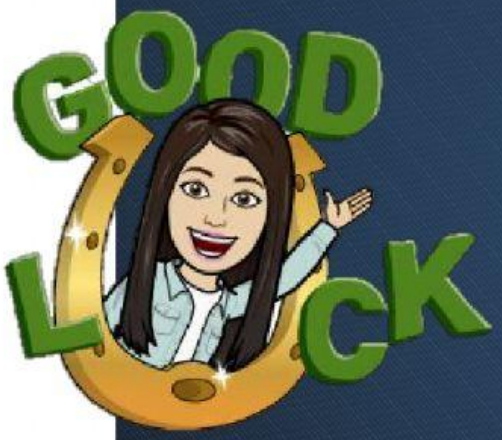
- **PRE-LISTENING EXERCISE**

Whether you are trying to get an online MBA or just going to a local college, there are a number of things you have to consider including location, cost, and the reputation of school. What factor is most important to you?

- Idioms

"**a walking encyclopedia**" = someone who seems to know everything
"*My roommate would do well on a trivia game show. He's a walking encyclopedia.*"

"**have the right stuff**" = have the needed skills to succeed
"*Susan has the right stuff to get into any school she chooses.*"



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Listening Exercise



1. Find the meaning of the following words and phrases:

A- Hectic:
B: Major (N):
C: Land a job:
D: Drop by:

2. Fill in all the missing words below.

Maria: Oh, hi Dave. Long time, no see!

Dave: Hi Maria. I was in the neighborhood, so I thought I'd [?] by.

Maria: Come on in. [Thanks.] Take a [?]. Would you like anything to drink? I have Sprite or orange juice.

Dave: Sprite would be fine. Uh, so, how have you been?

Maria: Oh, not [?]. And you?

Dave: Oh, I'm doing okay, but school has been really [?] these days, and I haven't had time to relax.

Maria: By the way, what's your [?] anyway?

Dave: Hotel management.

Maria: Well, what do you want to do once you [?]?

Dave: Uh... I haven't decided for sure, but I think I'd like to work for a hotel or [?] agency in this area. How about you?

[The conversation continues . . .]

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3. Listen to the recording and answer the questions

1- What does the man want to do after he graduates? **A-He hopes to go on to graduate school.** **B- He wants to work at a hotel.** **C-He wants to become a teacher.**	**4-Where does the man work part-time?** **A-at a bakery** **B-at a restaurant** **C-in a library**
2- What is the woman's major? **A-computer science.** **B-French** **C- history**	**5-What thing did the man NOT say about his job?** **A-He works long hours.** **B-His co-workers are friendly** **C-The pay is okay.**
3-How does the woman pay for college? **A-She received a scholarship.** **B- Her parents are paying for it** **C-She has a part-time job.**	**6-What does it mean the following phrase: *"working your way through school"*** **A- get a job** **B-work while going to school to support yourself** **C- get a major**

Online Investigation

Finding the right school for you can be a long process. What advertising techniques do colleges and universities use to get the attention of students? What things are important to you when you choose a school?

Let´s play a game

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