

Replace all the uses of *do* or *get* in this paragraph with more interesting words.

I have three daughters. The oldest one did a degree in Economics. She got her bachelor's degree last year and is now doing some research on taxation laws in different countries. The second one is doing a course at Newcastle University. She's doing History. She loves it, though she says she has to do far too many assignments. My youngest daughter is still at school. She's doing her school-leaving exams in the summer. She'll go to university next year if she gets good enough grades in her exams. She wants to do Sociology and then get a social work qualification. My daughters are all getting a much better education than I ever had.



Complete these questions.

- 1 What homework do we have to tonight?
- 2 In which month do students usually their final exams in your country?
- 3 Who do we have to our essays in to?
- 4 Who is today's lecture on Shakespeare?
- 5 What do we need to do if we want to from the course?
- 6 In which room is the translation class going to be?
- 7 Have you done the first of your essay yet?
- 8 Do you prefer exams or continuous?
- 9 Do you always to all your lectures?
- 10 Does the college training in computer skills?

Answer these questions about education.

- 1 At what age do children in your country sit their final school exams?
- 2 How long does it take in your country to do a degree in Medicine?
- 3 Give one advantage you think continuous assessment has over traditional exams.
- 4 What sort of feedback might a teacher give a student who has just given a presentation in class?
- 5 Give one advantage for a learner of English of doing homework.
- 6 What advice about keeping a vocabulary notebook would you give to someone starting to learn English?
- 7 What is the difference between further education and higher or tertiary education?
- 8 What would you expect to be the difference between the first draft of an essay and the final draft?