



# WORKSHEET

Topic: agree or disagree

Level: B1

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## Objective

- Student will be able to use agree and disagree correctly
- Students will be able to discuss their ideas with others.
- Student will be able to give their opinions using agree or disagree in writing

## Warm up

have the students stand, write in a paper agree and other with the word disagree then stick one on the floor at the left of the classroom and the other at the right, after, make statements of familiar topics asks them to move to the right if they agree and left if they disagree

## Presentation

### Agree and disagree

they are used to give an opinion about a specific subject, you can agree when you are in favor of the statements and disagree when you are against them.

Example:

It is good to cut down trees because we can make more notebooks.

*I disagree, because if we cut down the trees we won't have fresh air.*

Education must be mandatory.

*I agree, because, it is a really powerful word and unemployed people will reduce.*

Note: I am agree or I am not agree is incorrect

## Practice

1- Express agreement or disagreement with the following statements and give short reasons.

- Living in the countryside is better for you than living in a city.
- Exams are the best way to motivate students.
- All students should wear uniform at school.

2- Read the text intensively and work out the activities.

## "4 reasons why children under 12 shouldn't use smartphones.

### 1. Brain development

When the brain is exposed to excessive use of technology, its growth can be accelerated, especially in babies between 0 and 2 years of age. This can lead to problems such as attention deficit disorder, cognitive delays, learning problems, increased impulsivity, and lack of self-control.

### 2. Mental illnesses

Several studies have revealed that the excessive use of new technologies is considerably increasing the rate of childhood depression and anxiety, attachment disorders, attention deficit disorder, bipolar disorder, psychosis, and other childhood behavior problems.

### 3. Aggressive behavior

With new technologies, children are more likely to see violent and aggressive content, which can alter their behavior.

We must remember that children imitate everything they see, which makes it even more dangerous to display any type of content without checking it first. Therefore, parents must be very attentive to what their children do.

### 4. Sleep alteration

Experts indicate that when parents don't regulate their children's use of technology in their bedroom, they have more difficulty falling asleep due to using their phones at night. This lack of sleep will greatly affect their academic performance and health.

## Reading comprehension task

### Choose True or false

Use of cellphone can help children to sleep True False

Children can have negative behavior for the use of cellphones True False

Excessive use of cellphones increase depression True False

The content children find in cellphones improve their academic performance True False

## Answer the following questions

What content are children likely to be exposed when they use a cellphone?

Do you agree with experts about sleep alteration? why?



## Production

### Writing task

Give 4 reasons why you agree or disagree about the following topic.

"Life is easier for children now than 20 years ago."

## References

<https://youaremom.com/play-time/8-reasons-why-children-under-12-shouldnt-use-smartphones/>