

## Go for it!

9.1 with a partner, which words might complete the six tips. Then listen to someone presenting the course and complete the notes.

### Reach for the Stars

#### The Six Secrets of Success!

- 1 Be positive. **The sky's the limit if you believe yourself!**
- 2 **Set yourself                   . You need to have a plan if you're going to                    your **ambitions**.**
- 3 **action. Don't wait – your future starts now!**
- 4 **Work hard. Only time and effort can                    your dreams **into** reality.**
- 5 **Be different. **Stand out from the                    – don't follow it!****
- 6 **Don't let negative thoughts **get the                    of you, and never                    up!** Remember: failure is just a stage on the way to success!**

Did you find the speaker convincing? Why? Why not?

9.2 you will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions 1-8, choose the best answer (A, B, or C).

- 1 You hear part of a radio programme where listeners phone in with their views. What does the man want to do?  
A defend a politician  
B criticise the media  
C discuss a crime
- 2 You overhear two people talking about an exam. How does the girl feel about failing it?  
A guilty      B disappointed      C relieved
- 3 You hear a woman talking about some dinners she's been invited to. Why does she think she was invited?  
A She's a local teacher.  
B She knows a lot about football.  
C She's got a famous relative.
- 4 You hear part of a radio interview with a successful actor. What does he say about his first job?  
A It taught him something useful.  
B It was an enjoyable experience.  
C It helped him to get acting work.
- 5 You hear a man giving a speech at a school careers day. What is his job?  
A a journalist      B a politician      C a lawyer
- 6 You overhear two friends talking. Why is the girl worried about her application to join a music academy?  
A She believes she isn't as talented as the other applicants.  
B She doesn't think her application will stand out.  
C She fears she may not do very well in the interview.
- 7 You hear part of a radio interview with a former ballerina. Why did she give up ballet?  
A She was concerned about her health.  
B She wasn't very successful.  
C She wanted to start a different career.
- 8 You hear part of a radio play in which a couple are arguing. What is the woman most upset about?  
A not being told the truth  
B having spent too much money  
C her husband being unemployed

9.3 you are going to hear three pairs of students (A, B, or C) discussing the questions in activity 1. Write A, B or C where you think they belong on the line.



Least successful

most successful

9.4 Listen again to the most successful pair of students and complete the table with expressions they used. Then add your own ideas.

Adding points	Giving examples	Responding to your partner
What's more...	For example...	Right, ...