

LIFE SKILLS COLLABORATION

- 3 Read the problems on Danny's page quickly and write the names on the correct replies. Do you have any problems like these in your life?

Help me,
Danny!

Send me your
problems and I can
give my **advice**.

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Dear Danny,
I want to go to see a film tonight, but my best friend wants to play basketball. We always play basketball and I'm bored! What can I do?
Regards,
Bored Best Friend

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Dear Danny,
I have a problem. My best friend is often not nice to our maths teacher. She doesn't listen, she never does her homework and she says bad things about the teacher. I tell her to stop, but she gets angry with me. What can I do? Thanks for your help.
Unhappy Friend

A

Dear _____,
It's important for you and your sister to agree because you haven't got a lot of time. Make a list of good things about each present to help you decide. Then go shopping and choose the present together. Try to find a win-win solution. Enjoy shopping and happy birthday to your brother! **Danny**

B

Dear _____,
This is often a problem with friends and family. You can talk to your friend and ask to do something different, or you can talk to your friend about how you feel. Maybe agree to disagree. In that case, go to the cinema alone or with another friend.
Good luck! **Danny**

3

Dear Danny,
It's my brother's birthday at the weekend. My sister wants to buy him a T-shirt, but I want to buy him a book. We have only £15 and only one day to go shopping. What do you think?
Birthday Brother



C

Dear _____,
I think it's a good idea to talk to your friend and tell her to stop. You can tell her that it's important to be good in class and that you don't like what she's doing. Is she finding maths difficult? Does your friend need help studying? Listen carefully to your friend to help her. Enjoy your lessons at school!
Good luck! **Danny**

4 Read the texts again. Which person/people has/have these problems?

Which person/people ...

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| 1 has/have a problem with a family member? | 3 hasn't/haven't got a lot of time? |
| 2 has/have a problem at school? | 4 wants/want to go to the cinema? |

5 Complete the sentences with the highlighted words from the texts.

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| 1 I don't _____ with the things my friend does in class. She doesn't listen to the teacher. | 4 Can you give me some _____? |
| 2 Do you agree or _____ with the idea? | 5 I'm _____. I can't go to the cinema... |
| 3 I hope you _____ the film. | 6 Maybe you don't agree. In that _____, you can make your own plans. |

 37 6 Listen to Lola, Oscar and Daisy talking. What are they planning?

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| a They are making plans to go to the cinema. | c They are making plans to study for their maths exam together. |
| b They are making plans for a surprise party. | |

 37 7 Listen again and complete the sentences.

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| 1 Lola thinks it's a good idea to get a _____. | 3 Michael loves _____. |
| 2 Oscar thinks it's a better idea to get a _____. | 4 Oscar wants to _____. |