

**TAKE SOME MINUTES TO DISCUSS ABOUT IT.**

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- b Which sense do you think is the most important to you in your everyday life?
- c Which would you be able to cope best without?
- d Which sense triggers the most memories?
- e Have you ever lost the use of one of your senses temporarily?
- f Do you think any of your senses is especially well developed?
- g Which sense do we most take for granted?



**LISTEN TO MIKE, MARIA, HELEN, NICK, AND PETRA  
ANSWERING SOME OF THE QUESTIONS IN EXERCISE 1.**

**WHICH QUESTION IS EACH PERSON ANSWERING?**

**WHICH SENSES DO THEY MENTION?**

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**WERE THE SPEAKERS' ANSWERS SIMILAR TO YOURS?**

**COMPLETE THE EXTRACTS FROM THE SPEAKERS'  
ANSWERS IN LISTENING, EXERCISE 2  
WITH THE CORRECT FORM OF SOME OF THE VERBS IN  
THE BOX**

- a If you're blind, if you \_\_\_\_\_, then although you can lead a full life and all that, I think it does make you more vulnerable.
- b I would really hate it if I \_\_\_\_\_ what things or people looked like.
- c I read an article about a man who went deaf and then his hearing was restored to him, and he talked about how isolating it can be if you \_\_\_\_\_.
- d He really missed \_\_\_\_\_ to music, that was the worst part, he said. That, and not being able to \_\_\_\_\_ his wife's voice.
- e I \_\_\_\_\_ the palm trees, \_\_\_\_\_ the food, \_\_\_\_\_ the sun on my skin.
- f They \_\_\_\_\_ the vibrations of the drums, even though they \_\_\_\_\_ them.
- g I can \_\_\_\_\_ things that nobody else even notices. For example, when someone cooks for me, I can tell which spices were used.

A. \_\_\_\_\_ B. \_\_\_\_\_

C. \_\_\_\_\_ D. \_\_\_\_\_

E. \_\_\_\_\_ F. \_\_\_\_\_

G. \_\_\_\_\_

**WHAT THINGS CAN YOU DESCRIBE?**

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**PAY CAREFUL ATTENTION TO WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND YOU, BOTH INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM. SHARE WITH YOUR CLASSMATE WHAT YOU CAN HEAR, SMELL, AND TOUCH.**

1. What sense is the most important?
2. Which sense can't cope without? Why?
3. Can you...?
4. Are you (ing verb) these days.?
5. Are you able to (verb)?
6. Would you be able to live without...?
7. Do you like (infinitive or gerund)?
8. How often do you...?
9. Do you think we will be able to... in the future?

**sense  
see  
smell  
touch  
taste  
look  
listen  
feel  
hear**