

Unit 8

EDUCATION. LANGUAGES

VOCABULARY

1 Complete the sentences with a word or phrase from the word bank. Make changes where necessary.

cheat copy memorise pass behave enrol expel fail play truant recite sit / take revise

- 1 You have to try your best to your final exams.
- 2 The teacher observed that my work was the same as Mary's, and she asked if I had it.
- 3 To means to stay away from school without permission.
- 4 The teacher saw Andrew trying to in the test.
- 5 Mathew was very upset when he his exams.
- 6 We are going to the examinations for the School Leaving Certificate in May.
- 7 The course is so popular that everyone is trying to on it.
- 8 None of the teachers could control Mark. Finally, the headteacher was forced to him from school.
- 9 Susan liked learning poems by heart and them in front of the class.
- 10 Try to the most important rules.
- 11 In a mixed class, boys generally worse than girls.
- 12 The teacher told us to the forms of irregular verbs for the test.

2 Match the definitions with one of the words given.

pupil classmate professor tutor graduate coach headteacher lecturer

- 1 Someone in charge of a school.
- 2 Someone who teaches at a college or university.
- 3 Someone in the same class as you.
- 4 Someone responsible for teaching a small group of students.
- 5 Someone with the highest academic position in a university.
- 6 Someone who has successfully completed his / her first degree.
- 7 Someone who trains a sports team.
- 8 Someone who studies at primary or secondary school.

3 Complete the sentences. Compare your ideas with the ones of your partner's.

- 1 The nicest thing about English is
- 2 The most difficult thing about English is
- 3 Listening to English
- 4 English grammar is
- 5 When I'm speaking English I (don't) worry about
- 6 When I can't think of a word in English
- 7 The best way to learn English is
- 8 I'll stop learning English
- 9 My favourite English words are