

## INTERCHANGE 9 Cause and effect

Give your opinion about some issues.

1. If teens work part-time, they won't do well in school.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



2. If kids play violent video games, they will become violent themselves.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



3. If people decrease their screen time, they'll talk more with their families.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



4. If a woman gets married very early, she won't invest time in her career.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



5. If a woman works outside the home, her children won't be happy.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



6. If a child has brothers and sisters, he or she won't ever feel lonely.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



7. If you have too many online friends, you'll have fewer "real" friends.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



8. If there is a heavy fine for littering, our streets will be much cleaner.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



9. If people work only two days a week, their lives will improve.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



10. If teens have a lot of freedom, they will get in trouble more often.

I agree.  
 I don't agree.  
 It depends.



**B GROUP WORK** Compare your opinions. Be prepared to give reasons for your opinions.

**A:** I think if teens work part-time, they won't do well in school.

**B:** I don't really agree.

**C:** Why not?

**B:** If they work part-time, they'll become more responsible.

That's a positive consequence.