

Some useful expressions:

As far as I can tell ...
I feel that ...
It seems to me that ...
My impression is that ...
The way I see it is that ...
If you ask me ...
I think that ...
I would say that ...
What I mean is that ...
I reckon ...

Do you agree or disagree with the statements? Choose 3 and say what you think.

1. It is impossible to have a happy family life and a successful career.
2. Smoking should be banned in all places, including private homes.
3. Arriving late to meet friends is rude.
4. The death penalty is acceptable in some cases.
5. Making mistakes in English is OK as long as people understand you.