ESLWORKSHEETS

Grammar : Suggesting

LET'S	WHY NOT	HOW ABOUT	MAYBE

Read the dialogue :

Amy: What are we going to do today?
Rachel: Maybe we could watch a scary movie?
Amy: Why not! This is a good idea. Why don't you set up the DVD player?
Rachel: Sure, but what movie are we watching? Any idea?
Amy: How about The Sixth Sense?
Rachel: Oh yes! You know what? We should make some popcorn too.
Amy: Let's do it!

=> Dans ce dialogue, les deux personnes se font des suggestions.

Comment ces répliques sont -elles formulées?

1. Let's + base verbale
2. Why + don't / doesn't + sujet + base verbale
3. How about + nom (groupe nominal ou base verbale + ING)
4. Maybe you should / could + base verbale

Training time:

Complete the following ideas for a Halloween party:

maybe you could - let's - - why don't we - why don't you - how about - how about - what about - maybe you should - let's - maybe you should - maybe you could - Let's

a) going treat or treating?
b) put on scary costumes!
c) throw a party!
d) renting a scary movie.
e) buy sweets.
f) decorate a house.
g) cook monster cookies?
h) carve some Jack o'lanterns out of pumpkins.
i) make some paper bats?
j) buying a plastic skeleton?
k) put candles all over the house.
l) choose some spooky music.