



11.2 OPPORTUNITIES AND RISKS (page 110)

A Match the expressions (1–12) with the definitions (a–l).

1 advantage	a something you want to do in the future
2 consider	b a choice
3 disadvantage	c the possibility of something bad happening; to do something although something bad might happen
4 effect	d the set of things that are happening at a particular time and place
5 goal	e something that happens because something else has happened
6 option	f why you do something
7 purpose	g the study of a subject to get new information; to study a subject to get more information
8 research	h something good that you get because you have done something good
9 result	i to think about something carefully
10 reward	j something good that helps you
11 risk	k a change caused by something else
12 situation	l something that makes a situation more difficult

B Complete the paragraph with words from exercise A.

My ¹ goal is to study English in Australia for a year. I can study in Melbourne or Sydney. I'll probably take the second ² . I plan to quit my job at the end of the year and go to Sydney after that. It's a ³ , but I think it's worth it. It'll have a big ⁴ on my life. One ⁵ is that my English will be excellent when I return. A ⁶ is that I won't make much money while I'm in Australia. I might ⁷ getting a part-time job after I get there, but I want to spend most of my time studying. The main ⁸ of my year abroad is to study as much as I can.