

Go for it!

9.1 with a partner, which words might complete the six tips. Then listen to someone presenting the course and complete the notes.

Reach for the Stars

The Six Secrets of Success!

- 1 Be positive. The sky's the limit if you believe _____ yourself!
- 2 Set yourself _____. You need to have a plan if you're going to _____ your **ambitions**.
- 3 _____ **action**. Don't wait – your future starts now!
- 4 Work hard. Only time and effort can _____ your dreams **into** reality.
- 5 Be different. **Stand out from the** _____ – don't follow it!
- 6 Don't let negative thoughts **get the** _____ of you, and never _____ **up**! Remember: failure is just a stage on the way to success!

Did you find the speaker convincing? Why? Why not?

9.2 you will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions 1-8, choose the best answer (A, B, or C).

- 1 You hear part of a radio programme where listeners phone in with their views. What does the man want to do?
A defend a politician
B criticise the media
C discuss a crime
- 2 You overhear two people talking about an exam. How does the girl feel about failing it?
A guilty B disappointed C relieved
- 3 You hear a woman talking about some dinners she's been invited to. Why does she think she was invited?
A She's a local teacher.
B She knows a lot about football.
C She's got a famous relative.
- 4 You hear part of a radio interview with a successful actor. What does he say about his first job?
A It taught him something useful.
B It was an enjoyable experience.
C It helped him to get acting work.
- 5 You hear a man giving a speech at a school careers day. What is his job?
A a journalist B a politician C a lawyer
- 6 You overhear two friends talking. Why is the girl worried about her application to join a music academy?
A She believes she isn't as talented as the other applicants.
B She doesn't think her application will stand out.
C She fears she may not do very well in the interview.
- 7 You hear part of a radio interview with a former ballerina. Why did she give up ballet?
A She was concerned about her health.
B She wasn't very successful.
C She wanted to start a different career.
- 8 You hear part of a radio play in which a couple are arguing. What is the woman most upset about?
A not being told the truth
B having spent too much money
C her husband being unemployed

most successful

Adding points	Giving examples	Responding to your partner
What's more...	For example...	Right, ...