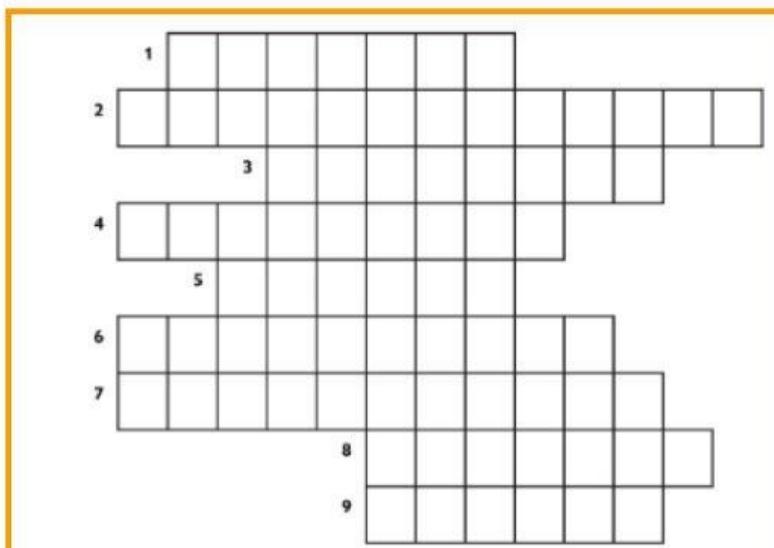


HOMEWORK: KNOWING, THINKING AND DECIDING

1. Complete the puzzle and find the mystery word.



1 suggest
2 the noun from consider
3 assess
4 the noun from judge
5 choose
6 the noun from 3
7 a noun from 1
8 discuss with someone
9 the verb from intention

2. Choose the correct words to complete the conversation.

A: Welcome to today's debate club. For the next hour, we encourage you to 'talk / speak' your mind and then we can all 'go / come' to a decision after hearing all your opinions. So today's question is: Is it better to be decisive or to consult other people?

B: Decisive, definitely. People who know their 'own / self' mind very often become leaders in business or politics. And being able to make up your 'decision / mind' quickly is an important skill.

A: But what if your first thinking isn't right? It's better to 'change / adapt' your mind than base a decision 'for / on' something that's wrong or incomplete.

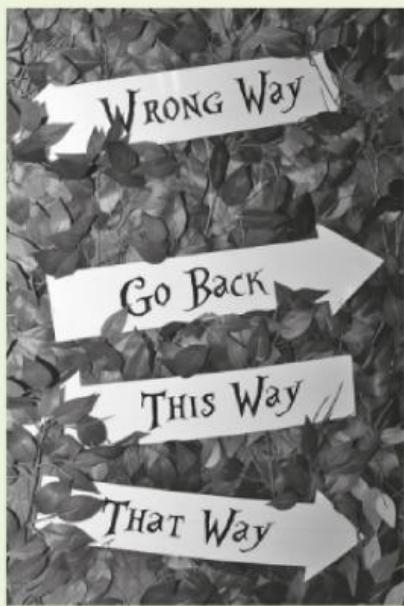
C: 'According to / Carrying out' research, decisiveness is a characteristic that is looked for in a leader, so I agree with the first point. But no one in a big company or government should decide everything independently. You need to 'simply / involve' others in a decision to get the best information.

A: Yes, research also 'discovers / reveals' that asking for other people's ideas helps you 'make / do' better decisions in the long run.

D: Can I just say that in organisations it's important to be able to 'challenge / argue' a decision that you don't agree with?

A: Yes, that's right. The power shouldn't be with just one person. One other thing is ...

3. Complete the text with one word.



Decision time

Imagine you have to make a big decision. If you are torn

1 two choices, typical advice might be to

2 up the pros and 3

of the different options. But does the time of day have anything to do with good decision-making? Research carried

4 by a team of psychologists suggests it does.

A group of online chess players

5 at

the centre of the study. This allowed the researchers to investigate decision-making in a large number of people throughout the day.

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Feel free to stop here and rest, knight. This was your last piece of homework.
Mission accomplished...



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