The ESOL Podcast 21 – ESOL and Community Organising Part 4 – Action and Evaluation

This is the 4th listening activity that goes with The ESOL Podcast series on ESOL and Community Organising.

This worksheet goes with The ESOL Podcast 21 – ESOL and Community Organising – Part 4 Action and Evaluation – listen here.

The students talk about different actions to take to solve problems.

Listen to this extract

Match the words with the phrases below.

petition	politicians	protest	assembly	social media	strike	the media	flyers

Hold an accountability _____

Use _____

Use _____ - newspapers, radio, TV

Speak to _____

Hold a _____.

Give out _____

Send a _____

Go on _____

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The final stage in the Community Organising process is evaluation.

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Complete the sentences below.

mistakes	**learn**	**progress**	**better**	**preparing**
government	**successful**	**result**	**positive**	**achieve**

1. After each action it is necessary to evaluate if the action was _____ or not.
2. Evaluation is essential to ensure _____ towards our objectives.
3. If we don't evaluate we might not be able to _____ our goals.
4. This can lead to repeating the same _____, over and over and over again.
5. Through evaluation I can see _____ and negative things.
6. The first step and the last step are the most important - _____ and evaluating.
7. We must check what happened. How can we solve this problem with a better _____.
8. After an action, we must evaluate. Did the _____ listen to us or not?
9. What can we change for next time? What can we do _____?
10. You _____ from your mistakes.

Proverbs

Proverbs are short popular phrases that give advice or express a belief.

At the beginning of this episode Hurena used a Bangladeshi proverb to explain why taking action is important.

"If a baby doesn't cry, the mother doesn't give it milk."

This is similar to a proverb used in the UK;

"The squeaky wheel gets the grease."

What does this proverb mean? _____

Do you have a similar phrase or saying in your country? _____

Are there any other proverbs you know? _____

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