

1 Follow the prompts and write the dialogue in your notebook. Then act it out in pairs.

- A: Asks B how often he/she uses a computer.
B: Says he/she uses it every day.
A: Asks what B uses it for.
B: I / use / for chatting with my friends / playing computer games / surfing the net.
A: Asks if B likes social networks.
B: Yes, they /really good for staying in touch with friends / sharing music and videos.
A: Asks if B can live without computers.
B: No, if we / not have computers / life / be really boring.
A: Teenager didn't have computers in the past, but they found things to do.
B: Yes, but it / be very difficult / do anything now without computers. We use computers / everything.

2 Write the dialogue in your notebook. Change words where necessary. Then act it out in pairs.

- A: If you / have to / buy / new computer, what / you / get?
B: I / definitely / get / laptop. That way if I / go on holiday, I / take / with me.
A: A netbook is smaller and cheaper than a laptop. Wouldn't you consider getting one of them?
B: I / might / get / netbook if I already / have / laptop, but if I could only have one computer, I / buy / laptop.
A: What's wrong with a netbook?
B: Netbook / smaller screen / smaller keyboard, so if I / have to work / computer, a netbook wouldn't be the best thing.
A: And if you / want / watch films, the screen would / too small.
B: Exactly! I think netbooks / good for / travel because they / lighter and more compact.
A: How many hours / day / you / spend / in front of / computer?
B: Three or four.

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- A: Asks B what he/she does in his/her free time.
B: Own website / I blog / upload photographs and videos.
A: Asks if B designs his/her own graphics.
B: Yes, I do. I design websites for other people, too.
A: Wow! So you / really talented. Asks if B would take a job in computing, if he/she was offered it.
B: Yes, as long as it was something interesting and creative.
A: Advises B to go to university first.
B: What / point? I can earn a lot of money without going to university.
A: Because it's a good experience. You have all your life in front of you to be in the job market.
B: Says if he/she had the chance to work as a web designer now, he/she'd leave school.

4 Write the dialogue in your notebook. Change words where necessary. Then act it out in pairs.

- A: What are you reading?
B: I / read / book about how / be successful.
A: I never read that sort of book. It / not worth /.
B: It says we all have hidden talents.
A: I think that / ridiculous.
B: It / shame / you feel / way.
A: So what / you / discover / about / hidden talents?
B: It says that I / brilliant / talk / people / organise, so I / likely / be / manager / big company.
A: You're not organized at all! It just goes to show – those books are rubbish.