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VOCABULARY BOOST:
DECISIONS

When we make decisions, we need to use various different terms to express our ideas. Try making decisions regarding these different issues:

Speaking topics:

1. You are starting university in September, what would you like to study?
2. You have the opportunity to do a round the world trip next year. Where will you go?
3. You have the chance to work in your hometown or abroad. Which would you prefer?
4. You have been given the choice of working part-time or full-time. Which would you rather?
5. You need to make a key decision about your career, who do you ask for advice?

Vocabulary boost: Key phrases

- Choose = select/pick/go for
- Make up your mind = decide
- Know your mind = have something clear
- Be crystal clear about... = be 100% sure about...
- Come to a decision = decide
- Bear in mind = take into account
- Involve others in the decision = ask other people for advice
- Sleep on it = give yourself time to decide
- Weigh up the options = evaluate all the other options
- Challenge a decision = go against a decision
- Speak your mind = give your opinion