

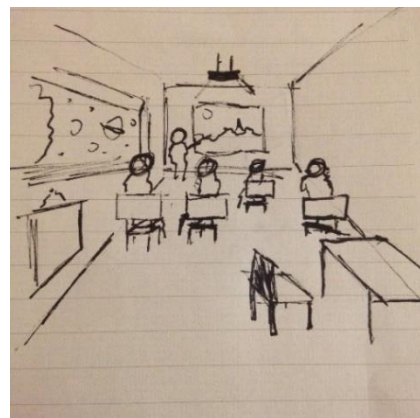
## Study

### Are you studying English at a school?

Michel: Yes, I'm taking an intensive course at a local private language school. I attend classes three times a week.

### Would you say you are a good student?

Susan: I think I'm OK. I'm pretty good at meeting deadlines and I'm keeping up with my studies, plus I find it quite easy to learn things by heart which is useful when learning a language.



### When you were younger did you enjoy your time at school?

Theo: Yes, I liked school. It was an ordinary state school, nothing special. The teachers were great. I had lots of friends and I never played truant.

### What are your educational plans?

Sam: I am preparing to start higher education. I want to complete a bachelor's degree in Business Studies. It's going to be hard work as I'm planning to work my way through university, but I think it will be a lot of fun.

*to attend classes:* to go to classes

*bachelor's degree:* an undergraduate course which usually lasts 3-4 years

*an intensive course:* a course that offers lots of training in order to reach a goal in as short a time as possible

*to keep up with your studies:* to not fall behind

*to learn something by heart:* to memorise it

*to meet a deadline:* to finish a job or task in the time allowed or agreed

*to play truant:* to stay away from classes without permission

*work my way through university:* to do a part-time job while studying

## Practice Questions

Do you work or are you a student?

Would you say you are a good student?

Do you study English now?

Did you enjoy/ do you enjoy studying at school?

What do you like / what did you like most about school?

What are your educational plans?