

BACK TO SCHOOL

Student A

- 1 Ask your partner about rules at their school. Use the phrases in the box below. Then answer your partner's questions. Which school do you think is better?

Students' own answers

	Your school	Your partner's school
uniform	You can wear your own clothes, but not jeans.	
phones	No phones during lessons, but at break times OK.	
absence	Each day of absence needs a letter from a parent.	
homework	Late homework, you get detention.	
exams	Cheat in an exam and you fail.	

Explaining and asking about rules

What happens if you ... ?

What are the rules about ... ?

Why's that?

Anything else I need to know?

- 2 Discuss with your partner. What school rules would you get rid of? What school rules would you like to introduce?



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Student B

- 1 Ask your partner about rules at their school. Use the phrases in the box below. Then answer your partner's questions. Which school do you think is better?

Students' own answers

	Your school	Your partner's school
uniform	You have to wear the school T-shirt or shirt.	
phones	No phones in the classroom, outside the classroom OK.	
absence	Three days' absence needs a note from the doctor.	
homework	The third time your homework is late, you get detention.	
exams	Cheat in an exam and you fail and detention.	

Explaining and asking about rules

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What are the rules about ... ?

Why's that?

Anything else I need to know?

- 2 Discuss with your partner. What school rules would you get rid of? What school rules would you like to introduce?

