

## 2A Can you rephrase that, please?



to be in someone's best interests	the option which will benefit someone most	to be in two minds	to be undecided
come to a standstill	to stop moving	know full well (that)	to be very aware of something
raise someone's profile	to make someone better (or more positively) known	take someone/ something for granted	to not appreciate someone/ something
take something as read	to assume something without checking because it appears obvious	to cut straight to the chase	to speak directly about an issue, often to save time
to foil an attempt	to stop someone from doing something bad	to produce from scratch	to make something from the very beginning
to take (something/ someone) seriously	to treat something/ someone sincerely	two heads are better than one	working in a pair is preferable when thinking of ideas
be prone to	to be at risk of something	be down to	the reason for something