

## 4 Topics Maybe these photos and comments can help you to choose.

### Topic 1 – Oz 4 us!



Have you ever been to Australia?  
Do you know anything about the animals there?  
What do young people do there?

► If you choose [Topic 1](#), we'll take you Down Under.

### Topic 2 – Chilling-out time



Kids today can chill out in lots of different ways:  
they can have a good time with friends, do sports or help other people.

► In [Topic 2](#) you can find out more about kids today and maybe get some ideas.

### Topic 3 – Freedom's just another word for ...



There are lots of different ideas of freedom: To a man in a prison in Texas and a young man in New York the word means two very different things.

► Read more about these and other views of freedom in [Topic 3](#).

### Topic 4 – Global matters



We all live in a modern world and many of us can enjoy the good things that life gives us.  
But not everything that we do is good for the Earth.

► [Topic 4](#) tells you more about our world and its problems.

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To do Topic 1 you'll need: The passive → G1+G2 • Conditional clauses → G4 • Adjectives → Ov6 • Modals → G3

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To do Topic 2 you'll need: Reported speech → G6+G7 • Gerunds → G5

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To do Topic 3 you'll need: Reported speech → G6+G7 • Modal substitutes → G3+G8

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