



Response to a Situation Questions

#	QUESTIONS
1	You've lived in a student dormitory in your first year at university, but next year you'd like to rent out a house with some other students. You'd like your fellow student and friend to house-share with you. How will you persuade them?
2	You have to do a research project on the migratory habits of birds with a partner in your environmental studies course. You know your classmate is a really reliable student and you have some good ideas about the topics. You call him to ask if he would be your partner. What do you say to him?
3	You are chatting with a classmate after your language class. You've just found out about a fun language exchange event happening this weekend on campus. It's a good opportunity to practice speaking with students from different countries. You'd like to invite your classmate to come with you. What would you say?
4	You are working on a group assignment with three classmates, and you've all been meeting in person after class. This week, your schedule is really tight and it would be easier for you to meet online. You see the group in the hallway and want to suggest the change. What do you say to them?
5	You are in the student lounge when a classmate tells you they are struggling to keep up with assignments and often miss deadlines because they can't manage their time. They seem frustrated and ask for your help. You remember you used to be disorganized too but have learned some strategies. What do you say to your classmate?
6	You are eating lunch in the university cafeteria. You take a bite of the chicken and realize it's significantly undercooked and still pink inside. You need to speak to one of the cafeteria staff members about this issue. What would you say?
7	You are living in a student dorm and recently noticed that the refrigerator in your shared kitchen is not cooling properly. Some of your food has spoiled, and it's becoming a real inconvenience. You decide to speak to the accommodation manager about the issue. What do you say to the accommodation manager?
8	You share an apartment with a roommate and have both agreed to split the cleaning duties each week. Lately, you've noticed that your roommate hasn't been doing their part, and it's starting to bother you. You want to bring it up without starting an argument. You see your roommate in the kitchen. What would you say?
9	You saw a message that a lecture tomorrow morning was cancelled at the last minute. You always go to this lecture with your friend. You don't know if your friend saw the message. What will you tell him?
10	You are a student living in university accommodation, and the heater in your room has stopped working. It's the middle of winter and your room is uncomfortably cold, especially at night. You go to the accommodation manager's office to report the problem. What do you say to the accommodation manager?
11	You are in the library and notice a student has left their laptop unattended at a table. There are several people nearby, but you are concerned about the laptop's security. You decide to report it to the security desk which is located near the entrance. What would you say?
12	You are doing a group project for a class. The other members of your group have asked you to prepare the slides for the presentation. You are willing to do the slides but need them to give you all the information that you have to include before the weekend. What would you say to them?
13	You have applied for a summer job as a research assistant to your professor. You have not heard if your application was successful and need to check with your professor so that you can organize accommodation for the summer if necessary. You want to leave a phone message for your professor. What would you say?





14	You are working on an essay for your course and you are having difficulty organizing your ideas. You approach your professor after class and ask her if you could come to her office to discuss your essay. What do you say to her?
15	You started working on an assignment that was set by your professor, but you realised you need some more information to ensure you're on the right track. The assignment is a research paper on the impact of social media on mental health, and while you've gathered some initial resources, you're uncertain about the specific structure and depth of analysis required. Ask your professor for some guidance.
16	You are in your second year of university and studying business. You're interested in finding an internship for the summer that's related to your course. After class, you see your professor packing up her things and decide to ask her for some advice. What do you say?
17	You are not very sporty but want to improve your general fitness. You're thinking of joining a university sports club, but you're not sure which one would be suitable for you. Ask another student who you know has been a member of a sports club for advice.
18	You're not sure what to study at university. Your older cousin is in her second year now. You want to ask her about her experience of studying and get some advice about university life.
19	You are feeling overwhelmed by the upcoming final exams and decide to seek advice from a senior student who has successfully navigated them before. You see them in the campus coffee shop, take a seat at their table, and introduce yourself. What would you say?
20	You are working on an assignment for your history class, but you are confused about what the professor expects in one of the questions. You read the instructions several times but are still unsure how to approach it. After class, you decide to ask your professor to clarify. What would you say?
21	You are enrolled in Professor Miller's History course. You've missed the last three classes because you had to care for a sick family member. You haven't been able to keep up with the readings or assignments. You approach Professor Miller after class to explain your situation. What would you say?
22	You are having problems with your laptop and you need it to do an assignment for your course. Your friend is good with computers and you are hoping to take your laptop to her apartment so she can fix it. You want to leave a phone message for her. What would you say?
23	It's your first week at university and you can't find the university library. You want to ask another student how to get there. What will you say to them?
24	You are walking out of your lecture and realize you didn't understand some of the main points your professor was making. You see a classmate who you think took good notes and paid attention during class. You want to ask them for help understanding what was covered. What would you say?
25	You are a student and you keep getting locked out of your university account. You've reset your password multiple times, but the problem persists. You call IT support to explain the situation and ask for a more permanent solution. What would you say?
26	You are studying for an important exam in a quiet section of the library. A group of students nearby is speaking loudly, making it hard for you to concentrate. You notice a librarian at the help desk a few steps away. What would you say to the librarian?
27	You are in the campus library working on an urgent assignment when your computer suddenly stops working. You try restarting it, but nothing happens. You see a staff member nearby who might be able to help or direct you to someone who can. What would you say?





28	You are in the student centre and realize you lost your headphones earlier today. You think you might have dropped them in the library or the cafeteria. You decide to go to the campus security office to see if someone turned them in. What do you say to the campus security officer?
29	You are checking your grade for a recent assignment and you feel your work deserved a higher mark. After class, you approach your lecturer to talk about it. You would like them to review your paper again and explain how the grade was decided. What would you say?
30	You are scheduled to work in the biology lab next Tuesday at 10 am. However, you have a very important doctor's appointment that day that you cannot reschedule. You need to ask your lab partner if they would be willing to switch lab times with you next week. What would you say?
31	You have a deadline next week for a paper to submit. However, due to some unforeseen circumstances, you will not be able to complete the paper in time. What would you say to your professor to ask for a week's extension?
32	You are in class when you remember that you will be traveling overseas next week to attend a family event. You realize that you will miss one of your lectures and possibly an assignment deadline. After class, you approach your professor to inform them about your trip. What do you say to your professor?
33	You are in your second year of university and have been working on a big assignment for your psychology class. Unfortunately, you've had the flu for the past week and couldn't concentrate or get much work done. You have a doctor's note and feel a little better now. You go to your lecturer's office to talk. What would you say?
34	You booked a meeting room at the library from 2pm to 3pm to work on a group project. Now it's just after 2pm and your classmates will arrive soon but some other students are sitting in the meeting room. What would you say to them?
35	You are working on a group presentation for one of your classes. Each person was assigned a section to complete by the weekend. However, you were unable to finish your part because of a family emergency. You meet with your group the next day. What would you say to them?
36	You are on your way to a group meeting in the library to prepare for an upcoming exam. However, you just received an urgent phone call from a family member and need to deal with it before joining the group. You know the meeting has already started. You call one of your classmates to let them know. What would you say?
37	You are a university student who scheduled an appointment to meet with your professor during office hours to ask for help with an assignment. However, you missed the meeting because you were stuck in traffic and couldn't make it on time. You now see your professor in the hallway later that day. What would you say?
38	You are in the university's photography club, but you've realized you're overcommitted this semester with your coursework and a part-time job. You need to tell the club president, whom you see in the hallway, that you have to withdraw from the club. What do you say?
39	You are in the library working on a difficult assignment. A classmate, who you know hasn't started the work, approaches you and asks if they can copy your nearly completed assignment because they are out of time. You don't want to give them your work. What would you say?
40	You are in the library studying for a very important exam. Your classmate invites you to a party this weekend, but you really need to focus on your studies. You want to politely decline their invitation without hurting their feelings. What would you say?
41	You are on the way to meet your classmate to study together. You were on a bus but it broke down and now you have to wait for another bus. You want to leave a phone message for your friend explaining the situation and telling him that you can be contacted by phone. What would you say to him?





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| 42 | You are working on a group presentation for class, and your teammates just decided on the order of presenters. They want you to go first, but you feel unprepared and think it would be better to go later. You're in a meeting with your group now. What do you say to your teammates? |
| 43 | You are checking your latest essay grade online and notice that your tutor left detailed feedback on every paragraph, including useful suggestions. You're surprised and impressed by how much time they must have spent reviewing your work. The next day, you see your tutor in the hallway after class. What would you say to them? |
| 44 | You are working on a research paper for one of your classes. You asked a classmate to read your draft and they gave you some helpful comments last week. Now, you see them in the library and want to let them know you appreciated their feedback. What would you say? |



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