

Student's name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Would

Read these sentences and underline would or 'd in each one.

1. I'd like two return tickets to Dundalk please.
2. Would you like some tea or coffee?
3. I'd say he's in his thirties.
4. I'd love to be good with my hands but I'm useless. I can't even change a plug.
5. What would you do if you won €5 million?
6. We're having a housewarming party on Saturday. Would you like to come?
7. If you knew you had only 24 hours left to live, how would you spend the time?
8. Would you mind if I opened the window?
9. If I were you, I'd apply to do a FÁS course next year.
10. I'd like the chicken please.

**Now match the sentences with these descriptions.**

- A) Somebody giving a friend advice.
- B) Somebody offering a visitor something to drink.
- C) Somebody inviting a friend to a celebration.
- D) Somebody asking for permission to do something.
- E) Somebody giving an opinion about something that he is not sure about.
- F) Somebody ordering in a restaurant.
- G) Somebody buying something.
- H) Somebody asking about an imaginary situation (X 2)
- I) Somebody wishing something was different.

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**Write a sentence for each of these situations. Try do use “would”.**

1. You are having a dinner in your house for some friends. Everybody has just finished the main course. All the plates are clean. Everybody says the food is delicious. There’s plenty more in the pot in the kitchen.

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2. You would like to listen to the news on the television, which is switched off. Your friend is reading in the sitting room where the TV is.

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3. It’s your daughter’s birthday on Sunday and you are going to have a party. Her best friend at school is Emily. Invite Emily and her mother to the party.

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4. Your friend has a choice of two jobs. One is in Dublin and the money is very good but your friend doesn't like living in the city. The other is in Co. Longford. The money isn't very good but she could live in the middle of the country.

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5. If you could change one thing about yourself, what would it be?

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6. If you could go anywhere in the world for a month's holiday where would you choose?

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7. How many students do you think there are in the school? You probably don't know but you maybe you can guess

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**Work in small groups. What advice would you give to these people?**

1. I live beside the neighbours from hell. They play their music at top volume but when I ask them to turn down the volume they tell me if I don't like it I can go back where I come from. Their children call me horrible names and I've caught them throwing stones at my cat. Please don't tell me to go to the guards. If I did that, I'm sure it would only make the situation worse.
2. My brother's son is 12. His parents think that butter wouldn't melt in his mouth. I've seen him on at least three occasions around the local shopping centre when he should have been in school and I know he's hanging around with boys who are much older than he is. I'm worried he'll get into serious trouble but I'm afraid his parents will think I'm interfering. What would you do ?
3. One of my best friends has recently applied for a job where I work. I know the manger would take him on if I recommended him but the problem is that my friend, who's been out of work for a few months and he's been drinking quite heavily. I'm not sure how reliable he would be. On the other hand, I know he could really do with the work as he has a family to support. I really don't know what to do.