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## Guess the Problem

In pairs, take it in turns to give advice for one of the problems below. Your partner will try to guess which problem you are talking about. If they are wrong, give more advice.

After your partner has guessed correctly, discuss if you gave good advice or not. Continue until you have completed the list. Use different phrases each time you give advice.

### Useful Phrases for Giving Advice

I think the best thing to do is...  
I think / I really think you need to / must / should...  
My suggestion / advice is (to)...  
You could try...  
You probably / definitely / really should...  
I would strongly advise that...  
If I were you, I'd...  
One thing you could / should / have to do is...  
The best/most important thing (to do) is to...

### List of Problems

1. You can't wake up in the morning.
2. Your bedroom is always messy.
3. You never hand in your homework on time.
4. You feel shy when you talk to the opposite sex.
5. You can never find the TV remote.
6. You don't have any friends.
7. You have nothing to eat in your house.
8. You want to send a text message, but you're driving.
9. You haven't studied for today's exam.
10. You're overweight.
11. You didn't get what you wanted for Christmas.
12. You have no Internet service.
13. Your computer has a virus.
14. You hate your job.
15. You have ink on your shirt.
16. You can't sleep.
17. You have no money.
18. You're addicted to cigarettes.
19. You feel burnt out from working too hard.
20. Your English skills aren't improving.
21. You didn't get a promotion.
22. You lost your friend's favourite book.
23. Your neighbours are really noisy.
24. You're in love with two people.

