

Asking & Giving Opinion

A. Asking for Opinion

Formal :

- Have you got any comments on
- Do you have any idea?
- Do you have any opinion on
- Would you give me your opinion on.....?
- What is your reaction to
- What is your opinion about.....?
- What are you feeling about.....?
- What are your views on.....?
- Please give me your frank opinion?

Informal

- What do you think of.....?
- What do you think about.....?
- What is your opinion?
- Why do they behave like that?
- Do you think it's going?
- How do you like?
- How was the trip?
- How do you think of Rina's idea ?

B. Giving Opinion

Formal

- I personally believe
- I personally consider
- I personally think /feel
- I hold the opinion
- My own view of the matter is
- Well, personally
- If I had my view, I would

Informal

- I think I like it.
- I don't think I care for it.
- I think it's good/nice/terrific.....
- I think that awful/not nice/terrible.....
- I don't think much of it.
- I think that.....

- In my opinion, I would rather.....
- In my case
- What I'm more concerned with
- What I have in my mind is.....
- From my point of view

Activity 1

Read the dialog !

Rina : Hai Desi! I have a new bag. Do you think it is good?

Desi : Yes, I think it is very good bag.

Rina : thank you. Well but, what do you think about the color?

Desi : I think that the color of bag is very nice and matches with your shirt.

Rina : anyway. Do you think that it is a good bag for school?

Desi : I don't think so. It is too small so that you can't bring a lot of books to your bag.

Rina : it's OK. Well I have to go now. See you.

Desi : See you . . .

Activity 2

Fill in the blanks with suitable words !

Tony : _____ about going to Coban Rondo tomorrow, Andy?

Andy : I _____. It is noisy in weekend because a lot of people go there. What is your opinion Dina?

Dina : In my _____ Coban Rondo is terrible. How about going to BNS? _____ that is safer than Coban Rondo.

Activity 3

Make a dialog depends on one of the situations below!

1. You are going to the party. Then you buy a dress in mall with your friend. You ask your friend's opinion which dress you should buy.
2. You and your friend are going to holiday. You discuss where you will go, ask the opinion about the place.