

## Vocabulary

**Events:** play / performance / musical / dance / ballet / film premiere/screening / film festival / comedy show / art exhibition / gallery opening / light show / rock/pop/hip hop/folk/jazz/classical concert / music festival / poetry reading / lecture

**Places:** theatre (BrE)/theater (AmE) / cinema (BrE)/movie theater (AmE) / art gallery / club / stage / concert hall / stadium / arena / festival grounds / lecture hall / bookshop (BrE)/bookstore (AmE)

**People:** actor/actress / director / costume designer / stagehand / stage manager / lighting/set designer / dancer / choreographer / musician / conductor / composer / comedian / artist / painter / sculptor / photographer / performance artist / singer / rapper / guitar/bass/keyboard player / drummer / DJ / festival organizer / volunteer / poet / writer / author / crowd / audience / fans

**Things:** work of art / exhibit / painting / sculpture / book / film (BrE)/movie (AmE) / screenplay / costume / light installation / music album / song / programme (BrE)/program (AmE) / an encore

**Verbs:** to act / to play a part / to star (in/as) / to dance / to perform / to direct / to design / to play the flute/clarinet/violin/

drums / to conduct / to compose/write music / to tell jokes / to paint / to sculpt / to photograph/take photos / to create / to edit / to sing / to rap / to read / to write / to volunteer / to clap/applaud / to cheer / to give/get a standing ovation

## Pair Discussion

A student from another country is visiting your city/town/village. They would like to see some sort of cultural activity while they're here, but they have already made some plans. Suggest some activities and find a day and time that you are both free, and an event that you are both interested in and can afford.

\* You can find a sample dialogue on the October 2017 CD.

## Language for Making Plans

What are you doing on... / Are you free... / Do you have plans...

Would you like to... / I thought you might like... / Well, we could try... / I was thinking about going to...

Let's go to... / How about going to... / Why don't we go to...

How much does it cost? / What time does it start? / What do I need to wear?

I'll meet you at... / Let's meet at...

## Personal Questions

- What types of art and culture do you like?
- Would you prefer to be a performer, an audience member, or to work behind the scenes? Why?
- Tell me about a performance, concert, festival or event that you attended.

"I'm (not) a fan of... / I (don't) really like... / I prefer... / About once a week/month/year I go to... / see a show at... / I wish I could afford to... / My favourite venue/cinema is... / My favorite actor/director/musician is... because... / Whenever my favourite DJ plays at... / I've seen all of their films/them perform [x] times/read everything they've ever written..."

"I would love to / could never be a... because I... / It would really be fun to... / Last year my band performed at... / My friends and I make videos about... / I would love to direct/edit films/compose film soundtracks but/because... / I would love to show my work/have my photos displayed at... / I want to organize a festival of..."

"Last year/summer... / When I was 13... / When I saw / went to... / At a festival in my town/village... / The crowd/audience was... / There were three encores / I really enjoyed / didn't understand the last performance I saw at..."

