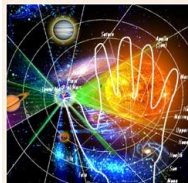




At the end of the lesson, the student will be able to:

* talk about life and destiny; discuss whether they believe in destiny and its relevance to the occurrences around.



Read the passage:

None of us came here on our own will, but we're put here by our parents. Since we were all born the same way, and are thus all equal, we should all do our best in life, but only a few of us actually achieved success. Some of us are satisfied with our current status and think we should be grateful for what we have. Others who are never happy with their condition, see this world as a boundless sea of endless troubles. Is there some preordained destiny that controls our lives or is it all just by chance? Only one thing is certain: it is useless to complain about fate. We can try to make our own fortune, or we can passively allow to happen whatever develops.



Let's Talk

1. In what way is everyone the same?
2. According to the paragraph, there are two kinds of people, what are they?
3. Are you grateful for being born here?
4. Do you think a human life is meaningful only if he or she is successful?
5. Do you believe in reincarnation? If so, what do you think your past lives were like?
6. What do you want to accomplish?
7. What do you think you need to do in order to achieve your life's goals?
8. Which is more important, today or tomorrow? Support your answer.
9. Do you think we were created, or are we the result of blind evolution?