

LOLA AND FARANGIZ, UZBEKISTAN

TEACHING NOTES

A FEW WORDS

Develop, developing: There are many meanings for these words, but in this context, they mean the ways countries increase their economies and standard of living.

SOME QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION AND/OR WRITING

1. Lola and Farangiz discuss climate change. Is there an environmental problem that you are interested in? What is it? What is one thing that young people can do to help solve it?
2. What healthy habits do you have?
3. Lola and Farangiz feel good about some of the things that are happening in Uzbekistan. What do you feel good about in your country?

TRANSCRIPT NOTES, TEXTBOOK ENGLISH

No one anywhere in the world speaks “perfect textbook English” at all times. We certainly do not want to demand that our students use only “perfect textbook English.” These notes are provided to help you if your students ask questions about some small points of usage.

Both: Hi!!

Farangiz: Right now she's going to take an interview from me.

Lola: Yes. Do you have an international pen pal?

Farangiz: I actually don't have international pen pal. However, I would love to have one because, uh, writing a real letter to international friends is so fun. So, I would like to start writing letters to my friends in other countries.

Lola: Next one. ~~Why~~ **What** do you think about ~~the~~ climate change?

Farangiz: Well, I think it all stems from the ozone layer. The reason why we're having climate change, the reason why we're having so many natural disasters, is because of the

ozone layer depletion. So, we have to reduce gas, um, gas pollution so that the global warming also gets better.

Lola: And what ~~is~~ **are** the most healthy habits ~~do~~ you have? Healthy.

Farangiz: Oh, I tend to go for morning runs that I really enjoy. Also, I try to drink less soda because at the end of the day drinking soda and all the sugary drinks is really bad for your health, so I try to keep it healthy.

Lola: OK and ~~why~~ **what** do you want to tell the other people about your country, like Uzbekistan?

Farangiz: The only thing that I want to tell about Uzbekistan is that it's developing, and I can see a clear difference between two generations, which means nowadays we're developing so many different fields that were, that we learn from other countries, which does excite me because people are trying. People are trying different things, and they are trying to develop those things in our country. So, Let's Go Uzbekistan!

Lola: Thank you for your answers, Farangiz.

Farangiz: And thank you for asking. Thank you for watching.

Both: Bye!!