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Une recherche web à faire en classe (concours de vitesse) ou à la maison.

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Corrigé

1. year out, year off, deferred year, bridging year, overseas experience, time off, time out, etc. 2. during college, between college and a profession, during a career change, before or after marriage, upon having a first child, etc. 3. a gapper. 4. Prince Harry. 5. Lonely Planet. 6. They go to the UK. 7. It is a sort of exhibition where students can meet organizations that need volunteers or are ready to help them find something to do during their gap year. 8. Because they can get visas more easily as those countries are part of the Commonwealth.



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