

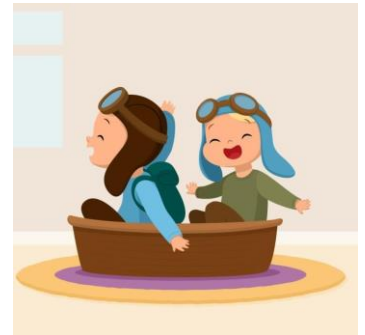
5 dangerous things you should let your kids do

1. Vocabulary from the video. Study the sentences and match the words and phrases in bold to the correct meanings.

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| a) I take anything she says with a grain of salt . | 1) To be able to understand something or to solve a problem |
| b) She bruised her leg quite badly when she fell. | 2) To regard something as exaggerated; believe only part of something |
| c) We had to figure out the connection between these events. | 3) To give someone more control over their life or more power |
| d) He played a pivotal role in the negotiations. | 4) To kill or hurt someone by pushing a knife or other sharp object into their body |
| e) One fan was stabbed to death in a fight between gangs. | 5) Extremely important |
| f) Our goal is to empower our staff. | 6) To cause a mark to appear on someone's body by hitting it |

2. After watching the video discuss the questions.

- Which of these 5 things did you do when you were a child?
- Would you let your children do these things? Why/Why not?
- Should we take the speaker's words with a grain of salt?



3. Finish the sentences connected to childhood and discuss them

- a) My earliest recollection of childhood is
- b) What I can remember as if it was yesterday is
- c) I will never forget
- d) With hindsight, I would/wouldn't
- e) When I was a child I dreamed of being.....
- f) As a child I used to hate/love

4. Discuss the questions.

- At what age could you go to places by yourself?
- Could you play on the streets?
- What was the most dangerous thing you did when you were a kid?
- Would you say that your parents were overprotective
- What things could you do as a child, that you wouldn't let your children do now? Why?