

第九課 我要去中國 (2)

(P = parent C = child)

C: Calls parent, tells them s/he wants to go to China during the coming summer vacation.

P: Where exactly in China? For what? With whom? ...

C: To do an internship at a trade company. Apart from learn how to handle interpersonal relations at work, also to take advantage of this opportunity to know more about the society, and culture of (a certain place), where I was born.

P: Aren't you coming back home for the summer?
Didn't you say you are not Chinese, you are American?
How come now you want to know about China?

C: Yeah, I did say that. But I was a kid then. Now I've grown up. I know, apart from being American, I'm also Chinese. I hope you can "support" this plan of mine.

P: Well, let me talk to your mother/father. We'll think about it and let you know.

C: Thanks. Chinese test tomorrow. Got to hang up. Bye.

P: Bye. Sleep more and eat more!