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Utopian and Dystopian Visions of the Future

This seminar focuses on the topic of “Utopia & Dystopia” with a special attention to the question of how our decisions today will shape the future of generations to come. I will first present an outline of past and present utopian and dystopian concepts, ideas, and texts. I will then focus on a number of practical, classroom-oriented exercises that aim at showing how this topic can be approached and discussed in the EFL classroom.