**YEAR 2 Employability Resource 2**

**Where to go and what to do?**

Look back at your list of objectives for the year abroad. Look at the Tips for the Year Abroad section of the [www.realie.org](http://www.realie.org) website. Start making your own pros and cons list for your preferred study abroad option(s) listed in the *Work vs Study Abroad* presentation.

Look at the FAQs section of the website for further information on study abroad options.

**ACTIVITY**

Use the table below to make notes.

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| **Option** | **Pros** | **Cons** |
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Looking back at your answers to you now have a preferred option.

If so note it here

Preferred option for YA …………………………………………………………………………………….

Make notes relating to the potential employability outcomes for your preferred option (this includes study abroad options)

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| **Employability** | **How achieved** |
| Verbal communication |  |
| Teamwork |  |
| Commercial awareness |  |
| Analysing & Investigating  Initiative |  |
| Drive |  |
| Written communication |  |
| Planning & Organising |  |
| Flexibility |  |
| Time management |  |

Now think about the skills you are less likely to develop in your preferred option. What additional activities do you think you can undertake (possibly outside your year abroad) which might develop these.

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| Employability Skill | Additional activity to achieve |
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