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Zarah is 18 years old. She has been working really hard to get good A-level results and has a place at a great university in another city for next year. She has been with her boyfriend since Year 11 and they have a strong relationship, although he now works full-time so they don't see each other as regularly.

Louie's girlfriend wants to keep the baby, but he doesn't feel ready to be a father and isn't sure how he will afford to financially support a family either. He knows his parents are going to be really angry – his Dad even gave him a lecture about safe sex when he first started dating! He's going to be so disappointed.

Klaudia is 15 years old and doesn't know who to contact about her options – she's never even had to make her own GP appointment before! Her family are very religious and she wasn't supposed to have sex before marriage. She thinks they will ask her to leave home if she tells them that she's pregnant.

Jana's mum had her when she was young and raised her alone. She never wanted Jana to do the same thing. Jana and her ex-boyfriend Darren were dating for a year, but broke up 3 months ago after lots of arguments. Jana is hoping the pregnancy might bring them back together.

Dalia is in a new relationship and doesn't know how her partner will react to the news. Both of them work full time and have been saving money up, but they want to use this to go on holidays and buy a flat together. Dalia thinks that the wrong decision might end the relationship, but she doesn't know what the right decision is.

Frankie finally feels like their life is coming together; they have found a group of really good, supportive friends at college, they are studying subjects they care about and getting on really well with their parents. Frankie thinks this all might go away if they reveal they are pregnant.