Address on Peace in the Atomic Era – Einstein

Activity 1: Comprehension questions

- 1. Why is Einstein grateful to Mrs Roosevelt?
- 2. Which countries succeeded in producing an atomic bomb?
- 3. Which idea did the USA follow during those years?
- 4. How about the consequences of that?
- 5. What's the role of mass media and schools in a context like that?
- 6. What happens if hydrogen bomb wins, in Einstein's opinion?

Answer the two questions Einstein asked in the text:

- 1. Is there any way out of this impasse created by man himself?
- 2. What can we do to bring about a peaceful coexistence and even loyal cooperation of the nations?

Activity 1: Select and explain

Select the sentence of the Address that struck your attention more than other sentences and explain the reason of your choice to the class.