



## #PodcastsInTheClassroom

### Episode Question Ideas: Episode 109

**Christiana Figueres: The Future We Choose, Corona Virus and Climate Change, the State of the Paris Climate Accords, Adaptation and much more!**

<https://www.americaadapts.org/episodes/2020/4/5/christiana-figueres-the-future-we-choose-coronavirus-and-climate-change-the-state-of-the-paris-climate-accords-adaptation-and-much-more>

#### Full Episode Questions

- What observations or repercussions of the Paris Accord can you observe in your area, either geographical or expertise?
- In discussion about the Corona Virus pandemic and the Paris Accord, Doug and Christiana discuss lasting positive climate actions from the pandemic. What changes have you observed? How do we continue these positive actions in light of the negative connotation of the pandemic?
- Write a 200-word summary of the actions of any foreign country on the Paris Accord. Include at least 50 words of commentary on the action not inaction they are taking. (Optional: Include a 100-word comparison of the country you chose to the country you live in.)
- Reflect on your current habits and actions. If everyone were to act similarly, what would the world look like, from a climatic and environmental perspective, in 10 years? How does that compare to best and worst case projections or scenarios? What actions could you take to shift your projected world in 10 years to a best-case scenario in 10 years?
- The Figueres family has worked at the national and global levels in very influential roles. How might climate adaption roles differ at these two levels? Use an example to discuss how the levels of leadership might differ for leaders roles?



This work is licensed under a [Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial 4.0 International License](https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by-nc/4.0/).