

CURRENT EVENTS DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

- 1) Are you interested in current events and news?
- 2) Is there a difference between news and current events?
- 3) What stories have you been following recently?
- 4) How many hours a day do you spend reading about, watching or listening to news?
- 5) What is the latest news about your country?
- 6) Are you interested in news from other countries?
- 7) When did you first become interested in current events?
- 8) Do you ever read or listen to the news in English?
- 9) Would you prefer to study English using news materials or textbooks?
- 10) Which area of current events would you like to be more knowledgeable about?

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STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

- 1) Do you want to study current events in your English class?
- 2) What kind of current events stories do you like?
- 3) What sections of a newspaper or website do you check for current events (health, technology, business, etc.)?
- 4) How current is current?
- 5) How much time do you spend discussing current events with friends?
- 6) What recent events are you fed up hearing about?
- 7) How do you feel when you haven't heard the news for a few days?
- 8) How often does the news greatly affect your feelings?
- 9) Which person in the news do you most like hearing or reading about?
- 10) What is your favorite news source?

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