

# LITERACY DISCUSSION

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

- 1) What do you think about literacy?
- 2) How are literacy rates in your country?
- 3) Is literacy linked to one's intelligence?
- 4) How does literacy affect your life?
- 5) Are you computer literate?
- 6) How do high levels of literacy help a country?
- 7) How do literacy levels in your country compare with other countries?
- 8) What can governments do to improve literacy rates?
- 9) What do you think 'Family Literacy' is?
- 10) Elizabeth Hardwick said: "The greatest gift is a passion for reading." Do you agree?

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

- 1) What is literacy?
- 2) How would your life be different if you were illiterate?
- 3) Do you think there should be an International Literacy Day?
- 4) How do illiterate people in your country get by?
- 5) What would you do to improve your children's literacy?
- 6) What is the biggest barrier to literacy and how can we overcome it?
- 7) What do you think the Internet has done to improve literacy around the world?
- 8) A writer said that in the future, "the new illiterate will be the person who has not learned how to learn." What do you think of this quote?
- 9) How literate are you in English?
- 10) What would the world be like if books and reading had never been invented?

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