

# THE FUTURE DISCUSSION

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

- 1) How often do you think about the future?
- 2) What do you hope for your own future?
- 3) What comes to mind when you think about your future?
- 4) What fears do you have for the future?
- 5) Where do you see yourself in ten, twenty and fifty years from now?
- 6) What futuristic things from science fiction movies do you want to happen in real life?
- 7) Barack Obama said "The best is yet to come". Do you agree?
- 8) What will the world's biggest problem be in the future?
- 9) Do you believe politicians who promise a great future? Why (not)?
- 10) What does the past teach us about the future?

Hundreds more free handouts at [www.eslDiscussions.com](http://www.eslDiscussions.com)

---

# THE FUTURE DISCUSSION

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

- 1) How would you like to influence the future?
- 2) Does the expression "the good old days" mean that the future will probably be worse?
- 3) Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future? Why?
- 4) What do you think about the future of where where you live?
- 5) What are your plans for the immediate, near and far future?
- 6) What would you plan for your children's future?
- 7) When you were younger, what did you think about your future?
- 8) What technology will we be using in the future?
- 9) What are some major changes the world will see in the future?
- 10) Would you like to live 100 years in the future or the past? Why?

Hundreds more free handouts at [www.eslDiscussions.com](http://www.eslDiscussions.com)