

ROBOTS DISCUSSION

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

- 1) What images spring to mind when you hear the word 'robot'?
- 2) Will robots take over the world one day?
- 3) The West sees robots as evil and dangerous, Japan sees them as helpful and cute. What do you think?
- 4) Which is your favourite movie about robots?
- 5) If you had a robot, what would you like it to do?
- 6) What role will robots play in our society later this century?
- 7) Will robots ever like identical to humans?
- 8) Do you think robots will ever have emotions or be able to love?
- 9) What would happen if you programmed a robot to hate and to build other robots that hated?
- 10) What name would you give to your robot?

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

- 1) Will robots have rights? What will robot rights be?
- 2) When do you think robots will replace McDonalds workers?
- 3) Have you ever felt as though you were a robot?
- 4) Do you think people will have robots as companions, instead of a pet?
- 5) What would society be like if robots took over our jobs?
- 6) Could a robot football team ever beat a human football team?
- 7) Would you rather deal with a robot or a human in a store or government department?
- 8) Would you cry if your robot of ten years died?
- 9) How much of the human body will be replaced by machines? Will we be androids in the future?
- 10) Would a robot be a better leader than the leader of your country?

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