

SOCIAL ISSUES DISCUSSION

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

- 1) What springs to mind when you hear the term 'social issues'?
- 2) Do you like discussing social issues in your English class?
- 3) What are the biggest social issues affecting your country today?
- 4) What are the very newest social issues to arise in your country?
- 5) Are you directly affected by any social issues?
- 6) Do you think Hollywood and the music industry are good at focusing attention on social issues?
- 7) What social issues has the war on terror brought to your country?
- 8) Is your government good at dealing with and tackling social issues?
- 9) Which social issues affect the whole world?
- 10) Do social issues ever affect rich people, or are they simply poor people's problems?

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

- 1) What would you like the power to be able to do?
- 2) What social issues were around in the past but have now gone?
- 3) What social issues has the Internet created? How is your society dealing with these?
- 4) Are social issues the same as economic issues and environmental issues?
- 5) Would you like a job that involves addressing social issues?
- 6) How are social issues different in America, China, the Arab world, India, etc?
- 7) What new social issues do you think will arise in the future?
- 8) Do you believe that one day, all social issues will be gone?
- 9) What answers do you have to a social issue?
- 10) What is the best way to study and follow social issues?

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