

SOCIAL WORK DISCUSSION

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

- 1) What images spring to mind when you hear the phrase "social work"?
- 2) Is social work a key part of your country's society?
- 3) Do you do any / Would you like to do any social work?
- 4) Is social work the responsibility of the government or NGOs (non-government organizations)?
- 5) What kind of people are social workers?
- 6) What kinds of jobs can you get with a degree in social work?
- 7) Why are jobs in the area of social work so poorly paid?
- 8) Do you think people who get help from social workers are always grateful?
- 9) Which countries do you think have excellent social work systems?
- 10) Do you think there'll always be a need for social work in your country?

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

- 1) What is social work?
- 2) What areas of social work does your government need to spend more money on?
- 3) What dangers do you think there are in social work?
- 4) What skills do you need to be a good social worker?
- 5) Are social workers respected in your country?
- 6) Do you think having a qualification in social work means you can work in any country in the world?
- 7) Would you pay more taxes to help pay for more social workers?
- 8) How far do social workers help create a safer society?
- 9) What help from a social worker would you like?
- 10) What questions would you like to ask a social worker?

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