**● 1Robots:**

1. Are robots important?

Yeah, absolutely. Robots are introduced in like every sector of our society. For example, in car factories, robot arms can help us assemble the car parts precisely. And do you know that in some cities in China, robots are also used in classrooms? Students have their own robot mentor, who can track their progress and give tailored feedback. It’s so incredible, isn’t it?

2.Would robots affect people’s lives?

Yeah, our lives are quite different than before. On the bright side, robots are making our lives easier and more convenient by handling stuff like cleaning and driving. But on the other hand, robots are taking over some jobs used to be done by humans, which means many people may even lose their jobs.

3. Have you ever watched a movie about robots?

Yes, I have watched tons of movies about robots, like "Transformers" and "I, Robot". The later one is an American film about robots getting smarter and standing up to humans for their own rights. It really got me thinking - if robots really get conscious someday, how should we treat them? Pretty wild!

4. Should we let a robot drive for us for long journeys?

Actually, I just finished a long journey the other day. After driving for 7 hours, I desperately wanted a robot to drive for me. So, yeah if we are talking about long journeys on highways, I think robots should be allowed to drive because robots can maintain focus all the time and won’t feel tired, so that makes long-distance travel safer and more efficient.

1. What can robots do for you at home?

Well, there are loads of things robots can do in my home. Sweeping robots keep floors tidy, and some other robots can even help out in the kitchen, cooking and washing dishes. Also, there are some robotic pets and smart speakers for entertainment in my daily life.

**● 2Gifts**

1. Have you ever sent handmade gifts to others?

Yes, I have sent some handmade gifts to others. It was for my friend's birthday. I baked a handmade mousse cake from scratch. My friend was so surprised. She said it’s the best cake she had ever tasted and she would remember the the taste forever.

2. What do you consider when choosing a gift?

When I’m choosing a gift, I will think about the person’s interests, personality, and how much I want to spend. I am still a student, you know, so those expensive gifts, such as luxury bags or the latest Iphones, are not affordable for me, so for me, the most important thing is to spend limited money on the most meaningful gifts.

3. Have you ever received a great gift?

Yes, I've received some wonderful gifts. The most memorable gift, I still remember, is a handmade photo album from my best friend. She gave it to me on my last birthday. When I saw this album, I couldn't help but cry. It seems that she understood what mattered to me.

4. Do you think you are good at choosing gifts?

Actually, I think it depends on whether I have enough time. If I have plenty of time, I’m sure that I can give my friend the perfect gift. I will try to choose something that matches their interests. If I don't have enough time, I may not be able to think about it very thoroughly.

**● 3Helping others**

1. Do you usually help people around you?

Definitely, I always help other people as much as possible whether lending a hand to friends or family or just being there when they need some support, it's something I value. I feel really great when I am able to help others and make a positive impact on their life.

2. How do you help people around you, such as neighbours, family and friends?

I help people around me in various ways. With neighbors, I might help them do some tasks like gardening or pet-sitting. And I always help my parents do some household chores. As for friends, I offer a listening ear and provide emotional support.

3. Do your parents teach you how to help others?

Yes, my parents have always taught me the importance of helping others. For instance, they encouraged me to help my younger siblings with their homework or chores, teaching me the value of assisting family members. These experiences have turned me into a compassionate and considerate person.

4. Did your parents help you a lot when you were young?

Yes, my parents were incredibly supportive when I was young. Actually I’m not a confident child when I was young, so they encouraged me a lot, told me I was a very good kid, and helped me build my self-confidence. They also help me pursue my interests, like learning to play a musical instrument, by enrolling me in lessons and providing the necessary resources.

5. What have you done to help the elderly?

I've done some volunteering at a local senior center. I often chat with them to keep them company and I run errands like doing grocery shopping for the elderly who need a hand. It's a meaningful way to give back and offer support to the elderly in our community.

**● 4Fishing**

1. Is fishing popular in your country?

Yes, fishing is quite popular in my country. Many people, especially middle-aged people and elder people, enjoy fishing as a hobby and a way to relax, because they have enough patience and time to wait for the fish to bite the baits.

2. Do you like eating fish?

I'm not really into fish. I prefer other types of meat like lamb, beef, or chicken. I just don't like fish because of the bones. It's somewhat dangerous because I choked on fish bones when I was a child. I gotta admit, even to this day, seeing a fish still gives me the heebie-jeebies.

3. Have you ever been to a place where there are lots of fish around you?

Yes, I have visited a few places with lots of fish around. One memorable experience was when I went to an aquarium with my family. It was fascinating to see Sardine Run. These experiences allowed me to appreciate the diversity of aquatic life.

4. Have you seen any movies with lots of fish?

Yes, I have. One popular film is "Finding Nemo," a cartoon about a clownfish aims to find his son so that unfolds a series of underwater advantures. I saw this long time ago, but I can still vividly remember some of the plots

**● 5Geography**

1.How do you like Geography? /dʒiˈɒɡrəfi/

I love it very much, especially comparative studies in geography. Basically, I enjoy comparing the similarities and differences between the mountains and rivers of China and other countries. Comparative studies in these fields are always so much fun.

2. Do you think Geography is useful?

Yes, I think it’s really useful, but not because it has something to do with reading maps, but because the geographic features of a region are always connected to its history and culture.

3. Have you ever learned Geography?

Yes, I have. In China, geography is a compulsory subject from primary school to high school, so every student needs to study it. I enjoyed it a lot, and I remember I always got high scores in geography exams.

4. Do you want to be a Geography teacher?

Actually, not really. Because…you know…to like something is one thing, but to make it as your career is totally another. So I am kinda afraid that if I become a geography teacher, I won’t be so passionate about it.

**● 6Tea and coffee**

1. Do people like tea and coffee nowadays?

Emm…I don’t really know the exact answer because I haven’t done a survey. But among those people around me, people who like coffee make up a larger part. With the rise of coffee shops and international coffee chains like Starbucks, they may think drinking coffee is in vogue.

2. Do you prefer to use tea or coffee to serve your guests?

That really depends on who my guests are. I think the younger generation is more likely to drink coffee, so coffee is clearly a smarter choice to entertain them, but if they are of my parents’ age, maybe I will serve them tea.

3. When was the last time you had a cup of coffee or tea?

Actually, it was today, in the morning, right before the studying time. I had two cups of coffee to keep myself alive and help me stay awake and focused during long study sessions.

4. Do you usually buy your coffee in a coffee shop?

Yes, I do that a lot, especially when I meet up with my friends, I always bring coffee for them. But I also have a coffee machine at home. It’s very versatile: I can make espresso, latte and cappuccino with it. I can’t live without it.

**● 7Films**

1.What films do you like?

Actually, I am a film lover, I like tons of movies such as action movie, science fiction, and animation and so on. But my favorite type of movie is literary film, especially if it is a tragedy, such as the legend of 1900, It is very impressive.

2.Did you often watch films when you were a child?

No, not very often. I had a lot of schoolwork to do when I was a child, and watching a film would cost me like 2 or 3 hours --it’s very time-consuming, so I guess watching a film was really a luxury for me at that time.

3. Did you ever go to the cinema alone as a child?

Not, not even once. As I said, I didn’t have a lot of chances to see a movie when I was a child, let alone going to the cinema alone. And my parents thought it was a bit dangerous for a child to go to the cinema alone, so they didn't allow me to do this.

4.Do you often go to the cinema with your friends?

Yes, I enjoy going to the cinema with my friends. It's a great way to spend time together, especially when there's a new movie that we all want to see.We often buy some snacks like popcorn before the movie started and go to the coffee shop after the movie to talk about the plot.

5.Do you think going to the cinema is a good way to spend time with friends?

Actually, I think it’s depends on whether my friends are interests in movies. I mean, if my friends and myself are all into the movie, it’s totally a good way; otherwise, I would rather meet my friends at a cafe, have some casual talks and good cakes.

**● 8Running**

1. Do you go running a lot?

Yes, I run almost everyday. It's a great way to stay active, clear my mind, and maintain a healthy lifestyle. I usually go running in the evenings, because I feel that jogging after dinner will make for a pleasant evening and restful sleep.

2. Where do you usually go running?

I like to run in the park in my community or along the river. Because there will be lots of flowers and the temperature is also cooler than the rest of the city. At there, I am comfortable and feel I am closer to the nature.

3. What do you think of running as a sport?

I think running is a great way to stay fit and healthy. It helps keep your heart and lung health, reduce stress and boosting your mood. Compared to other sports, like swimming or ball games, running is more convenient and there is no limitation of space or number of people.

4. When was the last time you went running?

I just went running yesterday. I’ve been feeling a bit stressed lately, and I think running is a good way to let it out, so I went running yesterday at a park near my home. It did help a lot, I got a lot better afterwards.

**● 9Noise**

1.Do you like to stay in a place with a lot of noise?

No, and I think nobody likes to stay in a noisy place, right? I generally prefer quieter places for relaxation and concentration. Noise can be distracting, and I find it more comfortable to be in quieter environments when I'm studying or trying to relax.

2. Do you think there is too much noise in today’s world?

Yeah, I think there's a lot of noise in today's world, like honk from the cars, construction sites, house decoration or just crying babies and neighbors’ quarreling. Sometimes, it feels like finding a quiet place to relax and unwind is becoming more challenging.

3. Is making noise one of people’s rights?

Well, I think it depends on where people are. If people are in somewhere exciting, like a live concert, everyone can make noise, like screaming, shouting, singing loudly to show their support; However, in public places such as library, people are supposed to be quiet;

4.Do you enjoy listening to loud music?

Actually, never.I think music is an art form that can convey the musician's inner feelings. When I listen to music that is very loud, I don't feel the feelings that the musicians want to convey to me, so I don't enjoy loud music.

**● 10Musical instruments**

1.Have you ever learned to play a musical instrument?

Yes, I have learned to play the piano. I started taking piano lessons when I was a child and continued to practice and improve my skills over the years. Playing the piano has been a rewarding and enjoyable experience for me.

2. What musical instruments do you enjoy listening to the most?

I really like listening to the piano and the guitar the most. The piano has this classic, beautiful sound that I find really soothing, and the guitar can be super versatile, creating all kinds of vibes in music. So, those two instruments are definitely my favorites to listen to.

3. Do you think music education is important to children?

Yes, I can’t agree more. I think music education not only helps children develop musical skills but also enhances their cognitive abilities, creativity, and discipline. Now we have sufficient education resources for math, physics, English but we don’t care enough about music education. I hope this situation will get better in the future.

4. Do you think children should learn to play an instrument at school?

Yes, I think so. As I just said before, Learning to play an instrument can have numerous benefits, such as enhancing cognitive skills, improving concentration and creativity. It also provides a way for students to express themselves and show inner feelings.

**● 11Chatting**

1. Do you like chatting with friends?

Yes, I enjoy that a lot. Chatting with friends helps us to bond with friend. Actually,we chat online almost every day on WECHAT and QQ. No matter what we chat about, talking to my friends always makes me happy.

2.What do you usually chat about with friends?

Almost some chitchat, nothing very important. It’s like a very informal talk, we talk about something casual, even trivial things sometimes, or we just discuss current events, travel plans, and sometimes just sharing funny stories or jokes.

3. Do you prefer to chat with a group of people or with only one friend?

That really depends on the size of the group. I mean, if it is just two to three people, I am totally fine with it, but if the number of people goes up to five or more, I may feel kinda embarrassed.

1. Do you prefer to communicate face-to-face or via social media?

I think that really depends on how important it is, I mean, the thing I wanna talk about. If it is very important, I’d like to communicate face -to-face, to know my listener’s reaction; otherwise, chatting online is sufficient, I guess.

5. Do you argue with friends?

Yeah, but I think just a little. Like, we might disagree on where to go for dinner or what movie to watch. But it's all in good fun, it's a normal part of any friendship, and we usually laugh about it later.

**● 12Map**

1.Do you often use a map on your phone? How often?

Yes, very often, almost every day, because it gives really good direction. Sometimes it even provides 3D visual images, and leads you all the way to your destination; it’s very convenient.

2.Have you ever used a paper map?

No, not even once. I think paper maps are the tools of my parents' generation. Actually, I even don’t know how to read a paper map to find my way; I mean, the map is flat, right? But we are in a three-dimensional world; that’s quite different.

3.Would you ever put a map on the wall in your home when you were a child?

Yes, and the map is still hanging on the wall in my room. My mother put a world map on the wall. She taught me to know all the nations, and distinguish different oceans. It was a nightmare at first, but it find interesting later.

4.Do you find it easy to read maps?

I think that really depends. As I said, I had no trouble recognizing the nations and the oceans, but if I need to use a paper map to find the way, I will have little clue.

**● 13Clothing**

1.Do you prefer to wear comfortable and casual clothes or smart clothes?

Definitely the former, I usually prefer to wear comfortable and casual clothes in my daily life, unless I am required to wear smart clothes, like a suit. You know it’s ironic that smart clothes are called “smart”: sometimes they make people look stupid, I mean, too serious.

2.Do you spend a lot of time choosing clothes?

Not particularly. I try to keep my clothing choices simple and efficient. I have several sets of outfits that I know work well for different occasions, so I don't spend too much time deciding what to wear each day. However, when there’s a special event or a need for a specific dress code, I may take a bit more time to choose the right outfit.

3.What do you do with your clothes when you no longer use them?

That really depends on whether these clothes have special meaning to me. For those with a lot of memories, I would keep them; as for those that don’t but are still in good condition, I would donate them, as a charity.

4. What kind of clothes do you like to wear?

I think being cozy and comfortable is the most important thing for me. So I always wear clothes like jeans, T-shirts, and sneakers, which allow me to move freely. I don’t care about the brand-whether it’s prestigious or not.

**● 14Transport**

1. How do you go to work/school?

I typically go to school by bus. The school bus is a convenient and reliable mode of transportation, and it allows me to connect with fellow students during the commute.

2. What’s the most popular means of transportation in your hometown?

I think it’s the bus. My hometown is a small city in the northwest of China, so there is no subway yet. Also, private cars are not affordable for all families.That’s why most people’s first choice is the bus.

3.How far is it from your home to work / school?

I actually live right next to the school, so it’s only a few kilometers away. It saves me commuting time to and from school and gives me more chances to spend on other things,such as sporting, studying or just having some relaxing time with my friends.

4.Do you think people will drive more in the future?

I think the answer is yes, and it’s already trending that way. Because automobile technology has become more and more sophisticated, cars are not as expensive as they used to be. So more and more people will drive in the future. But with the spread of self-driving technology, we can no longer say whether it's the human or the machine that's driving, right?

**●15Travelling**

1. Do you like travelling?

Yes, absolutely. I love exploring new places and experiencing different cultures and these things always fascinated me. Actually, I just finished a long journey the other day. I drove myself to the desert and I just enjoyed the freedom so much.

1. How often do you go travelling?

Actually, it depends on my current time planning. If I have plenty of time at the moment, traveling will be the most common thing I do, maybe once a week I hope; but if I don't have enough time, I have to keep up with my long distance trips at least once a year.

1. Where do you usually travel?

Everywhere is ok. I think the destination of travel is not important, the important thing is the feeling being on the road. However, I still have a few places I often travel, such as chengdu, Sichuan, because there are so many tasty foods.

1. How do you feel when you are travelling?

The greatest feeling of traveling is relaxation and freedom, we can not be bothered by the daily routine. Otherwise, I think traveling is a good opportunity to broaden my horizons, and it opens my eyes to diverse ways of life,customs,a and traditions.

**study**

1. Where do you study？

I study at Sichuan conservatory of music. People say it’s prestigious because of its academic resources, and I like it because it has got great landscape and all the yummy food at the student canteens.

2. How do you usually travel to the place where you study?

I live near my university, so I don’t suffer from a harsh commute. I ride a bike to the place I study; it’s convenient and also has got all the beautiful scenery along the way.

3. How do you feel after you finish a day of study?

That really depends. If I have a lot of stuff to deal with, I will be exhausted, I mean, totally beat;

otherwise, I may be really relaxed, sometimes even up for a drink or something.

**hometown**

1.Do you come from a city, town or village?

My hometown is Ningxia and it is a pretty small city. The seasons here are attractive too: the flowers in spring, the grass in summer, the leaves in autumn, and the snow in winter. It is a perfect combination of modernity and nature.

2.What do you like about your home city/town/village?

I do like my hometown. I grew up here and I had a lot of wonderful time here. But I like it mainly because it is steeped in profound history, having all the glory and sorrow of the past.

3.Is your home city/town/village a good place for young people?

Although my hometown is a small city, I think it is still suitable for young people. The pace of life here is not as fast as in big cities, but there are still many jobs and entertainment facilities for young people.