***Describe a couple you know who have a happy marriage.***

***You should say****:*

***Who they are***

***How you know them***

***What they usually do together***

***And how you feel about their marriage***

**Frankly,** I have many happy couple around me. Now I am going to tell about one of them. **Coming to who** they are, they are my brother and sister-in-law.

**Turning to** **how** I know them, I know them very well **because** they live next door to us.

**Moving to** **what** they usually do together, **it depends on** the part of week. For example, on weekdays both are busy with working, but on Sundays they devote their days to entertainment. For example, they travel or go to entertaining places like cinema or park.

**Lastly, I am going to stop at** **how** I feel about their marriage. **The first good thing about** their marriage **is that** they understand each other very well **regardless of** **what** problem disturbs them**. Second,** there is trust and honesty. **Besides that**, they come to a decision together **unlike** some families where only men decide. **This is because** sometimes wives have better view than husbands so it is quite good to listen to wives and make up mind. **The last reason why** I admire them **is** great love between them. **Although** they see each other every day, they contact each other by mobile phone 3 or times a day. **In general,** this is a couple whom I admire. I hope my future marriage will be **like** theirs.

***If you are 35 years old without marriage, do you still waiting for your true love? Why?***

**Honestly,** this is an unexpected question. **Maybe** I am still waiting for my true love. **The reason is that** I cannot be happy with whom I do not love. **Second,** my rest life will **depend on whom** I love and **whom** I live with. **So** This isa very issue that I cannot decide right away.

***Who will pay for the wedding cost? man or woman or both? Why?***

**It is an interesting question. As a rule**, a man is responsible for covering all wedding expenses because he is the director of the family. If the man pays for wedding cost, he will be more reputative, I think.

***What do you think the best age to marry?***

**Let me see. To my mind,** the best time to marry is when a man or woman is physically, spiritually and **of course** financially ready to marry. For boys, it may be 25 and for girls it may be 20 or 22 years old.

***Why is lots of money used for wedding?***

**The first reason is that** this is a very important stage of life, the ending of childhood and the beginning of the adulthood. **Another reason is that** young hearts are full of dreams and imaginations, **so** they enjoy celebrating weddings with lots of money. **Moreover**, this is an event which is visited by hundreds of people.

***Describe a magazine you enjoyed reading***

***You should say:***

***What’s the content of it***

***How often you read it***

***What you learn from it***

***Why you enjoy reading it***

**Honestly,** I have read diverse magazines, but among them I really enjoyed reading the magazine called “ Economist”. Now I am going to speak about it.

**Coming to** its content, this magazine involves economic articles. It compares the statics of diverse countries **in terms o**f economics. **Besides that**, some famous economists reveal their life stories and they open the secrets of their success.

**Turning to** **how** often I read it, **it depends** **on** the part of the week. For example, on weekdays I seldom read magazines **because** I have little free time, but on Sundays I enjoy reading magazines. **Moving to** the knowledge I receive from it, **initially**, I can get acquainted with economic figures. This enables my horizons to expand. **Second,** the articles about famous economists and business related people make me motivated to be successful.

**Lastly, I am going to stop at the reasons why** I liked reading Economist magazine. **First of all**, the news and articles are totally fresh and reliable. This gives **a sense of** modernizations. **Second,** it is interesting to me to see which countries are witnessing an upward trend or downward trend **in terms of** economics. **One more thing is that** this magazine this magazine is in English, so I really enjoy developing my English. **In general,** the magazine will develop **not only** their English**, but also** their economic knowledge.

***Do you read magazines?***

**Yes sure. I am a big fan of** magazines. **First,** they inform us about social, economic and political life. **Second,** it is really great pleasure to read magazines, **especially** at breakfast time.

***Do younger people or older people prefer to read newspapers?***

**It is difficult to say an exact answer,** **but I suppose** older generation read newspaper more **because** they have lots of free time in the first place. **Secondly,** they appreciate the importance of newspapers **rather** **than** the young.

***What kinds of magazine does your friend read?***

**It is an unexpected question for me.** **To my thinking** my friend is also interested in Economist magazine **because** we buy this magazine on Mondays. His major is also Economics**, so** I think economic magazines appeal to him.

***Have you ever read online magazines?***

**Frankly,** I have never read online magazines **because** I have little time read. When I have free time, I read traditional magazines.

***Did you read magazines when you were young?***

**Yes of course**. **When** I was young I **used to** read some magazines. **For example,** erudite was my lovely magazine **because** it contained lots of puzzles and funny stories. **Second,** it gave some articles in foreign languages, which enabled me to develop my vocabulary.

***Describe a future plan which is not related to work or study***

***What the plan is***

***When you thought of the plan***

***Who is involved in the plan***

***And say how you think you will achieve the plan.***

**Honestly,** I have got several plans which are not connected with work or study. One of them is travel the USA with my family**. Coming to** **when** I thought of this plan, I first thought of it about 2 years ago. One day I saw on TV program about the USA**, then** I started to think about it. **At that time** I decided to take my parents to the USA **so that** they could see a developed country in **all aspects of** life. **Turning to** **who** is involved in the plan, I and my family are the main participants of this plan and its accomplishment depends on US ambassador in Uzbekistan.

**Lastly, I am going to stop at** **how** I will achieve this plan. **The first thing** I should do is to collect enough money for travel. While travelling , **I suppose** we would need much money for transport, food, leisure, clothes and of course presents. **Besides that,** we are demanded to collect required documents before making an appointment with the US Council**. Moreover**, I have to get my parents’ permission to start travel. **In general,** **this is one of** the essential plans I have. I hope my plans will come true in the near future.

***What do you feel about smoking in public places?***

I am strongly against smoking in public places because smoking in public places damages **not only** smokers’ health, **but also** the health of people around. **In fact,** passive smoking is more dangerous than active smoking.

***Do you think smoking should be banned in people’s homes?***

It should be better if smoking were banned at homes because there are children and non-smokers that are more vulnerable. I think smoking should be allocated special place at home.

***Do you think tobacco companies are responsible for the lives of many people?***

**Of course,** Tobacco companies have been producing harmful products for people’s health. **Therefore**, they must feel obligation and display warning on the cigarette packs**. Besides that,** they should participate in charities for the benefit of societies and people.

***What do you think of future trend of historical places?***

**Oh,** it is very challenge to predict for feature, but I assume that historical places will be very crucial in the future. **After some years**, I think, the number of historical places visitors will be rise **because of** concentrations on tourism. **However,** maybe historical places will lose their popularity **because of** online tourism. **So,** my answer is that it is very hard to say what will happen tomorrow because both cases may happen.

***Will government strengthen its protection towards historic places?***

**Oh**, it is very challenge to predict for the future, but **I assume** that the government will **focus on** protection of historic places more than today. **First,** historical places are a part of tourism, so they are considered a source of income. **Let’s** take an example of a person who has much money at home. He will pay attention on protecting his home much. **Besides that,** historic places can be important **in terms** **of** cultural, educational and social value. **So** my conclusion is that there will be higher protection towards historic places than today.

***Describe an interesting conversation that you had with a stranger***

***You should say***

***Who the person is***

***What kind of person is***

***What you talked about***

***And explain why the conversation was interesting***

**Honestly,** I have had much conversation with strangers so far. One interesting conversation with a stranger happened about 2 months ago when I visited Samarkand. **Coming to** **who** the person was, he was from India and his name is Raj. **Turning to** **wha**t I talked about, our conversation started when he asked me about beautiful places in Samarkand. Although I did not know Samarkand well, I recommended him to visit several places which I had read much in books. **Then** he told me about an Indian life, culture and traditions while I told him about Uzbek culture, people and traditions. **Moving to** **what** kind of person he was, he was serious in looking, but he was funny by nature. **Lastly, I am going to** **stop at** **why** the conversation was amazing. **First of all,** **both of us** had a sense of humor, so we easily got on well with each other. **Second,** it was interesting for me to know about Indian life and people because I had not known much before. **Besides that,** it was a great practice for me to speak English to him because I had never talked to a foreigner in English. What interesting was that my English was much better although he was an English teacher in India. His pronunciation was awful so I hardly understood him. **In general,** it was an interesting conversation with an Indian man, and I hope I will have much interesting conversation like this in the future.

**Why do people like talking with others?**

It is a very logical question. **The first reason why** people love interacting with others is that they want to listen and to be listened. When people talk with each other, they will start to feel better. **Second,** none is perfect, so all people share their feelings and opinions so that they can get a useful advice others. **Moreover,** this gives a feeling of belonging, necessity and identity, so talking with others may solve some psychological problems.

***Do you think women are more likely to talk about others?***

I do not think **so**, **This is not connected with** gender because sometimes we see men talking about others. **It depends on** **whom** we admire, criticize or dislike. Sometimes others behave impolitely to us and we discuss this with others

***What do people usually talk about?***

I am not sure what to say here because **it depends on whom** I am talking with. **For example,** I talk about my plans, feelings and family events with my parents, but the main topics I discuss with my friends are funny events, adulthood life and **of course** girls.

***Describe a well-paid job you would like to do in the future***

***What job it is***

***What qualities are required for this job***

***What you would need to learn to get this job***

***And explain why you would like to do this job.***

**Actually**, there are lots of well-paid jobs, **but among them** I want to be a businessman. **Coming to what** characteristics are demanded for this occupation, **first of all,** a businessman is required to be hardworking **because** it is impossible to build a business **without** spending much effort, time and money. **Besides that,** a businessman is supposed to be patient **since** sometimes businesses face with losses or profit. **Turing to** **what** I need to learn to secure this occupation, **initially,** I must learn decision-making and logical thinking skills as decisions lead to success or failure. **In addition**, it is necessary to develop my leadership and team-work skills. If I cannot lead the group, I cannot attain success. **Lastly,** **I am going to** **stop at why** I have intended to be a businessman. **Firstly**, all the profit is not shared, but it belongs to me. **Another good thing about this job is that** there would be no control over me. **Moreover,** I would be able to employ workers whom I believe. **In general,** to be a businessman is always in my mind. I hope I will turn to be a professional businessman in the near future.

***What is your favorite color?***

**Honesty,** it depends on what it is. For example, if it is a car, I love black, but if it is a T-shirt, I like while.

***Do you like the same colors now as you did when you were younger?***

I am afraid not. What I was a child, I liked light colors **because** I was easy-going at that time but now I love dark colors **because** I am serious-minded at the moment.

***What can you learn about a person from the colors they like?***

It is an interesting question. **First,** it is possible to learn a person’s personality. For example, open-minded people like light colors while dark colors appeal to close-minded people. **However,** some people love different colors **because** they are flexible. Besides that, situations can be understood. For instance, unhappy people want to be in dark colors whereas happy people enjoy light colors.

***Do any colors have a special meaning in your culture?***

**Yes sure.** There are four special colors with special meaning in my country. Blue means sky above us while green represents nature around us. Red means blood in us **whereas** white represents peace we have.

***What kinds of music are popular with young people in your country?***

**I am not sure what to** say here **because** it depends. **For example**, easy-going and active youngsters love modern and rock music while passive and serious young people like classical or slow music.

***What do you think influences a young person’s taste in music?***

**Let me see**. **The first thing that** influences a person’s taste in music is personality. **For instance,** easy-going people like rap or rock and close-minded people love another type of music. **Second,** personal situation may impact. **For instance**, if a person is unhappy, he listens to slow music. **Moreover**, people around may influence a taste in music. **For instance**, if our family members like jazz music, after some time we will start to like it.