## Hobbies and Health

Conversation Club — Week 6

#### **Warmup Conversation—Hobbies**

- 1. What new activity would you like to try doing in your free time?
- 2. How do you like to spend your free time?
- 3. What are your hobbies? How long have you had these hobbies?
- 4. Can you make money from doing your hobby?
- 5. Does your hobby interfere with your work/study/personal life?
- 6. Do you spend money on your hobby?
- 7. Can a hobby be dangerous?
- 8. Which hobbies are the most popular in your country?9. Did you have any hobbies when you were a child?
- 10. Do you think a hobby is different from a sport?
- 11. Are there any activities that you used to do but don't do anymore? Why did you stop?
- 12. Are there any hobbies you would like to try?
- 13. Do people's leisure time activities change as they get older? How?
- 14. Who do you like to spend your leisure time with?

  http://iteslj.org/questions/hobby.html

### Mentimeter

#### **Idioms: Free Time / Hobbies**

- 1. Enjoy a cup of joe
- 2. Go window-shopping
- 3. Shoot some hoops
- 4. Chow down at a fast-food joint
- 5. Paint the town red!
- 6. Pull an all-nighter
- 7. Catch a flick
- 8. Keep it low-key
- 9. Grab some munchies
- 10. Hit the road
- 11. Chill out
- 12. Have a whale of a time
- 13. Life and soul of the party





### **Practice**

- 1. Would you rather shoot some hoops or catch a flick?
- 2. What do you do when you want to keep it low-key?
- 3. Do you know someone who is always the life and soul of the party? What makes them so fun?
- 4. When was the last time you pulled an all-nighter? What were you doing?
- 5. Are you much of a window shopper?
- 6. If you were going to paint the town red tonight, what would you do?
- 7. At what joints do you like to chow down most?

#### **Conversation Questions—Health**

- 1. Do you think you have a healthy lifestyle?
- 2. Is it possible to have a healthy lifestyle in modern world?
- 3. Do you think it is more important for you to eat healthy or tasty food?
- 4. Do you think diets are useful or not? Have you ever tried to go on a diet? What kind? Did it work?
- 5. Are you a member of a health spa or gym? How often do you exercise?
- 6. Do you drink a lot?7. What is your attitude to smoking?
- 8. What is a healthy dose of alcohol? Is there such a thing?
- 9. How many hours of sleep do you usually get each night? Do you think it's enough?
- 10. Do you often find yourself under stress? What do you stress about?
- 11. How do you usually cope with stress?
- 12. Do you think it's better to do whatever you want (eat a lot, drink, smoke, etc.) and die at the age of 60 or be healthy and live to 100?
- 13. Do you think you will live until a ripe old age? Why or why not?

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#### **Health Idioms**

- 1. In bad shape
- 2. To feel blue
- 3. To kick the bucket
- 4. (As) dead as a doornail
- 5. (As) fit as a fiddle
- 6. Hard of hearing
- 7. On one's last legs
- 8. Living on borrowed time
- 9. To meet your maker
- 10. To sleep like a log
- 11. To go under the knife
- 12. (The) prime of one's life
- 13. Pushing up the daisies
- 14. Racked with pain
- 15. To recharge one's batteries
- 16. To hit the sack



## **Quizlet Live**

https://quizlet.com/390186226/

## How long can you talk?

# **Question Game**

#### "Homework"

- Practice Quizlet sets:
  - https://quizlet.com/class/10607276/
- Speak, speak, speak (in English)!

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