#### **PART TWO**

#### People

### 1. Someone Who Often Travels by Plane

Describe someone you know who often travels by plane You should say: who the person is where the person often travels to why he/she often has to travel by air and explain how he/she feels about traveling by air. 九分 Part3 What are the benefits of traveling by plane? Do you think China will have more airplane in the future? About traveling by train, it is also very expensive. But why do some people still prefer it? What kind of job may require lots of traveling? Are these jobs popular in your country? What are the advantages & disadvantages of living near the airport? Is working in the airport popular in your country? Why? What are the differences between working in the airport and doing a general work?

### 2. A Person Good at Job

Describe a person who is good at his/her job You should say: who the person is how you knew this person what job he/she does and explain why you think he/she is good at the job. Part3 What kind of difficulty may people face in their work?

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How can people do their job well? Are there any courses in school/college that prepare students for their future work? Do you think what you learn in university will be helpful for your work in the future? How can people put what they have learnt into real life situation/ work? What abilities/qualities make a good manager? How do people usually think about/treat their first job?

## 3. A Popular Band or Singer

Describe a popular band or singer in your country. You should say: who they are? what kind of music they perform what kind of people they are (he/she is) and explain why you think they are popular. Part3 Do you think those who have a pleasant voice can be more popular in terms of socializing? What kinds of music are popular in your country? Compare music that is popular now & those in the past. Why do some people want to be famous? For example, what changes do you think might happen if someone suddenly became rich? Do you want to be famous? Would you like to be famous? To be one of these stars, what qualities do people need to have? Do you think all famous people have a lot of money? How do people become famous?

## 4. A Child Made You Laugh

Describe a child who did something and made you laugh You should say: who the child was when it happened what the child did

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and explain why the child made you laugh. Part3 When do you think is best time to give birth to and raise a child? What makes a good parent? Do you think childhood is important for people? Do you think people in your country like to have lots of children? Why do some people dislike having children? Do you think it is easy to make people laugh now that it was in the past? What can make people laugh? Do people like to watch comedies in your country?

# 5. A Famous Person

Describe a famous person (not from your country). You should say: who this person is (or was) how you know about this person what type of work they do (or did) and explain

how they made an impression on your society. Part3 How do people become famous? Why do you think some people want to be famous? Do you want to be famous? What impact can be famous have on a person? What influence do (or can) famous people have on society (or, other people)? What are the benefits (and disadvantages) of being famous? Do you think the family of a famous person can experience any problems as a result of the fame of one of their family members?

6. Describe a person who encouraged you to achieve a goal You should say: Who he or she is What this person encouraged you to do

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How this person helped you And explain why this encouragement helped you to achieve the goal. Part 3 What will encourage children to learn more? Who do you think has the greater influence on the goal-setting of children? Teachers or parents? Do parents and teachers punish children physically nowadays? Why is it important for teenagers to set goals?

7. Describe a person who has interesting ideas

You should say: Who this person is What this person does How you know him And explain why you think this/ her ideas and opinions are interesting Part 3 Is there someone with good ideas that has changed many people's lives? What are the advantages and disadvantages of setting rules for children? When do children begin to have their own ideas? Why are there more and more differences between children and their parents?

8. Describe a foreign celebrity you want to meet in person

You should say: Who this person is How you knew about this person What this person does And explain why you want to meet this person Part 3 What are the advantages and disadvantages of becoming a celebrity? What influences can famous people have on society? How can people become famous? Why can some celebrities stay famous for a long time while some cannot?

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9. Describe a singer you like

You should say: Who your favourite singer is What his/her personality is What kind of style his/her music belongs to And explain why he/she is your favourite singer Part 3 Do people learn to sing nowadays? Do you think the most popular singer is the best one? What kind of music is popular in China now and what kind will be in the future? What kind of music do people like at different ages?