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PART 1

Hometown

1. Where do you come from?
2. What do you like about your hometown?
3. Has your hometown changed a lot during the last few years?
4. Do you like the changes in your hometown?
5. Is it a big city or a small place?
6. What are the things you don't like about your hometown?
7. Is there anything needs to be improved in your hometown?
8. What's your favourite place in your hometown?
9. Will you work in your hometown in the future?
10. Which city do you live in now? → How long have you been living there?
11. How often do you go back to your hometown?
12. What's the most beautiful place in your hometown?

Study

1. Do you work or are you a student?
2. What do you study? Do you like it? Is it interesting?
3. What your major is about?
4. What's your favourite subject?
5. Did you choose your major?
6. What things do you do to help you study?
7. How long do you study every week?
8. What do you enjoy most during studying?
9. Where do you usually study?
10. Do you like your school?
11. Is there anything needs to be improved about your school?
12. What do you want to do after graduation?
13. Do you want to do something related to your major in the future?
14. How do you go to school?

15. How did you travel to school when you were young?
16. What do you usually do on the way to school?
17. Will you change your major if you have the chance? → which to?

Work

1. What work do you do?
2. What your work is about?
3. What do you like about your work?
4. How many hour do you work?
5. Do you like what you do now?
6. Do you often work overtime?
7. What you do can help your work?
8. Do you want to change your job?
9. What you do can improve your working ability?
10. How much leisure time do you have every week?
11. Do you want to go to countryside to work?
12. How do you go to work?
13. Will you change the means of transport?
14. Is there anything you would like to change about your work?
15. Why did you choose that job?
16. Do you miss being a student?

Accommodation / area you live

1. Do you live in a house or flat? → Do you like it?
2. Which room you like most?
3. How long you've been living there?
4. Why you live here?
5. Are you satisfied with the place where you're living?
6. Is there any change in the place where you live?
7. What kind of change you would like to have here?
8. What do you like here? / Which part of it you like the most?

9. How is your city?
10. Do you like your city?
11. Do you want to move to another city?
12. Do you enjoy living there?

Smile

1. Do you like to smile and why?
2. How often do you smile?
3. In what occasions do people smile?
4. Why would people smile?
5. Will you smile when you take photos?
6. Can you feel someone's smile is fake?
7. Why would people have fake smiles?
8. When was the last time you heard many people smile?

Perfume

1. Do you like perfumes?
2. What types of perfume do you like?
3. Do you wear perfumes and why?
4. How much money do you spend on perfume?
5. Would you buy expensive perfume?
6. Does perfume have any meaning to you?
7. Will you send perfume as a gift?
8. Have you received perfume as a gift?
9. What's your favourite perfume brand?

Rubbish

1. Have you seen people throw rubbish on the street? How do you feel about it?
2. What would you do to the rubbish on the street?

3. Will you help to clean the rubbish on the street?
4. Why would people throw out rubbish (on the street)?
5. Do people in your country classify rubbish?
6. Have you stopped someone from littering?
7. Will you recycle paper and plastic wastes?
8. Would Chinese people recycle rubbish?
9. What have you done to protect the environment?
10. What's your opinion about keeping the city clean?

Math

1. Do you like math?
2. When did you start to learn math?
3. Do you think math is important?
4. Are girls good at math?
5. Do you often use calculators?
6. Do schools allow students to use calculators?
7. Do you think schools should allow students to use calculators?
8. Some say we don't need math in our life, what do you think?

Street market

1. Is street market very common in your country/city?
2. What they sell on street market?
3. What's the difference between street market and supermarket?
4. Will you go to street market in foreign countries?
5. Why many people enjoy shopping in street markets?
6. Do you prefer shopping malls or street markets?

Visiting relatives

1. Do you often visit your relatives? Why?
2. What would you do during your visiting?

3. When was the last time you visited your relatives?
4. Do you like chatting with your friends or visiting your relatives?
5. Do you like staying with your family or your friends?

Reading

1. Do you like reading? How often?
2. Did you like reading when you were young?
3. What kinds of books do you read?
4. Do you read electronic books?
5. Do you read for fun or for your study/work?

Childhood / outdoor activity

1. Where did you usually go to have fun when you were young?
2. Did you often go to a friend's house to have fun?
3. Did you like to play outside or inside when you were young?
4. Do you often spend time with your parents?
5. Do you like indoor sports or outdoor sports?
6. Should children do more outdoor activities? It is important?
7. What are the benefits of outdoor sports?

Lending & borrowing

1. Have you lent books to others?
2. Have you borrowed books from others?
3. Have you borrowed something from others?
4. Do you mind lending things to others?
5. Will you lend others money?
6. Will you lend your phone to others?

Travelling

1. Do you like travelling?

2. What cities you've travelled to?
3. What kind of cities you'd like to travel to?
4. Do you think it's difficult to travel?
5. Do you want to go to different places to travel?
6. What's the most beautiful place you've been to in your country?
7. Would you like to try new places?
8. Do people in your country like travelling?

Social media

1. Do you use social media like Weibo? How often?
2. Is it a good way to make friends via social networking?
3. What are the disadvantages of (spending too much time on) social media?
4. What influence social media has on us?
5. Will you spend more or less time on it in the future?
6. Do you want to study social media science in the future?

Weather

1. What weather do you like?
2. What's the weather like in the place where you live, does it rain a lot?
3. Is the weather changeable in your country?
4. Would you like to move to a place where the weather is totally different from here?
5. Which do you prefer, raining days or sunny days?
6. Do you prefer warm weathers or cold weathers?
7. Which one is a more suitable for studying, hot days or cold days?
8. Do you think weather can influence your emotion?

Time management

1. Do you make plans to arrange your time? How often?

2. Do you like making plans?
3. Is there any difficult when you carry out your plan?
4. Why some people can't organize their time?
5. Are you a well-organized person?
6. Can you manage your time efficiently?
7. Will you be angry if your friends are late?
8. Why do you think being punctual is important?

Watching sky

1. Do you like watching the sky? How often?
2. Which one do you prefer, the sky at daytime or at night?
3. Where can you watch the sky in the place where you live?
4. Is there any class talking about planets or stars at school?
5. Were there any class talking about the sky when you were young?
6. Do you have any knowledge about planets or stars?

Pets

1. Have you raised a pet before?
2. Are there many people who have pets in China?
3. What pets do people usually keep and why?
4. What pets would you like to raise if you decide to have one?
5. Is there any pet you dislike?
6. Is there any disadvantage of keeping a pet?
7. What pet you are afraid of?

Popular Stars

1. Who's your favourite film star?
2. Are international stars popular in your country?
3. Do you want to be a movie star?
4. What kind of stars do you like?

5. Have you even seen stars in your life?

Tea & coffee

1. Which one is more popular in China, tea or coffee?
2. Will you prepare tea or coffee for your visitors?
3. When was the last time you drank tea or coffee?
4. Will you send tea as a gift?

Handwriting

1. Do you often write something?
2. What's the difference between handwriting and typing?
3. Do you like to receive handwritten cards?
4. Do you think your handwriting is easy to read?
5. Do you think you can see the personality of someone from his handwriting?

Sleeping

1. How long do you sleep every day?
2. Do you think your sleep is sufficient?
3. Did you sleep more when you were young?
4. Do you take a nap after lunch?
5. How many sleeping hours do you think is the best?
6. Do you like reading before going to bed? Is it important?
7. Is it helpful to do reading to fall asleep?

Sharing

1. Do you like sharing, why/why not?
2. What do you like and dislike to share?
3. Have your parents told you to share when you were young?
4. Do you think there will be shared cars in the future?

5. What was the thing you shared with others recently?

Crowded place

1. Where in your city is crowded?
2. Would you choose to live in a crowded place?
3. How do you feel if you're in a crowded place?
4. Will you go somewhere less crowded?
5. What was your last experience in a crowded place?
6. Have you had the time when you were in a crowded place but you enjoyed it very much?
7. Why are big cities crowded?

Patience

1. Are you a patient person?
2. Were you patient when you were young?
3. Are you more patient now than in the past?
4. Do you think it's good to have patience?
5. Do you have patience when it comes to working or studying?
6. What kinds of job need patience? Should teachers be patient?
7. Why don't some people have patience?
8. Are you less or more patient when you are angry?
9. How do you feel when others are less patient?
10. Are old people more patient than young people?
11. Have you had the experience of waiting for a long time?

Emails

1. Do you often use emails? How often?
2. Do you often receive emails?
3. What was the email you received recently that made you happy?
4. Is it good to reply emails immediately?

5. Do you prefer sending an email or texting a message?
6. Will you reply all the emails?

Shoes

1. How often do you buy shoes?
2. Do you like buying shoes online, why/why not?
3. Do you prefer fashionable shoes or comfortable ones?
4. Do you have a favourite pair of shoes?

Taking photos

1. Do you like taking photos? Why?
2. What photos do you like to take?
3. Do you prefer to use phones or cameras to take photos?
4. What do you do with the photos you take?
5. Do you want to learn more about taking photos?
6. Do you want to be a photographer in the future?

Drinking water

1. Do you like drinking water? How often?
2. Do you think bottled water is expensive?
3. Which one do you prefer, bottled water or tap water?
4. Have you had the time when you were thirsty but without any water available?

Holidays

1. Are there many holidays in China?
2. What's your favourite holiday / festival?
3. What do you usually do during holidays?
4. Do you think there should be more holidays in China?

PART 2 & 3

PERSON

Foreign language speaker

Describe a person you know who speaks a foreign language well

You should say

- Who the person is
- Which language the person speaks
- How well the person speaks

And how you feel about it

Part 3

1. Do you think a foreign language is important?
2. Do you think children can learn a foreign language faster than adults?
3. Does a foreign language help someone's career?
4. Which one is easier, speaking or writing a foreign language?
5. Do you think people can speak a foreign language perfectly?
6. Will English be the main language in the future?
7. Would people from other countries learn Chinese?
8. Why could some people learn a foreign language quickly?

Interesting idea

Describe someone who has interesting ideas or opinions

You should say

- Who the person is
- How you knew the person
- What the idea is

And explain why the idea is interesting

Part 3

1. Do you think children have their opinions?
2. How old do they have their opinions?
3. Do children have same opinions with their parents?
4. Whose ideas worth respect in your country?
5. When should children have their own ideas?
6. Should parents respect kids' ideas or should they say no?
7. Do you think teachers should support children's ideas? Can children say no?
8. What kind of people would influence people's opinions?

Foreign person

Describe a famous foreign person you'd like to meet

You should say

- Who the person is
- How you knew the person
- How the person is famous

And explain why do you want to meet this person

Part 3

1. How to be famous?
2. What do you need if you want to be famous?
3. How can scientists be famous?
4. What are the pros and cons of being famous?
5. Why some celebrities are famous for a long time?
6. What the influence celebrities have on children?
7. How can celebrities affect the whole country?

Singer / band

Describe a singer or a band you like

You should say

- Who the person is
- What kind of music he/she plays
- How you knew the person

And explain why you like him/her/the band

Part 3

1. What the music trend today in China?
2. What type of music is the most popular one in China?
3. What kind of music would be popular in the future?
4. Do you think the most popular singers are the best singers?
5. What kind of music do people in different age groups like?
6. Do you think people would sing for making money?
7. What do you think of the music band nowadays?
8. Do you think women are better at singing than men?
9. What types of singer are more popular in China?
10. Why would some songs very popular while other are not?
11. Do you think singing needs talent or you think anyone can sing?
12. Do you think singers can make lots of money?
13. How can a song be popular?
14. Does music industry prefer to make money or produce good music?
15. Do purples like singing music about animals?

Helpful person

Describe a person who often helps others in his/her spare time

You should say

- Who the person is
- What he helps with
- How often he helps others

And explain why he often helps others

Part 3

1. Is it important to teach children to help others?
2. Who should teach children to help others?
3. Should schools and parents teach children to help others?
4. Is it true that most of the children would help others?
5. Are you willing to help others?
6. When does a child need help?
7. What other professions need to help people?
8. Why should we help others?
9. Do you think people are more likely to help each other compared with the past?
10. What qualities are important for a person?

Intelligent person

Describe an intelligent person

You should say

- Who the person is
- How you knew this person
- What the person did

And explain why you think the person is intelligent

Part 3

1. What qualities should a good teacher have?
2. How can teachers attract students' attention on class?
3. How can teachers make students express more often?
4. How do you think of those people who are talented?
5. Do you want to be talented?
6. Do you think smart people are happy?
7. Some people say smart people are unhappy, what do you think?
8. Why are some children very smart?
9. How to develop children's intelligence?
10. What can school do to develop children's intelligence?
11. Do you think it is easier for intelligent people to make friends?
12. Do you think intelligent people are selfish?
13. How can parents make their children more interested in studying?
14. Who do you think are more important, teachers or parents, in terms of children's education?
15. What kind of work is suitable for people with high intelligence?

Working with

Describe someone you enjoy working/studying with

You should say

- Who the person is
- When and where you work with the person
- How long you've worked with the person

And explain why you enjoy working with the person

Part 3

1. What do you think of teamwork?
2. Do you think it's necessary to work in groups?
3. Apart from different subjects, what else can you learn with your friends in the class?
4. Do you think students should choose their own seats?
5. What are the qualities that a college student has to have?
6. What kind of people would you like to work with?
7. What makes someone a good colleague?
8. Which one is better, good colleagues or a good job?
9. Which one is more important, to improve skills or to gain social recognition?
10. Does the manager have to be friends with the staff?
11. What ability do people need to have to get along well with colleagues?
12. Are students sitting in twos or groups?
13. What can students learn from their desk-mate?

Good-looking person

Describe a person you meet who is beautiful or handsome

You should say

- Who this person is
- Where you met the person
- In what way the person is handsome/beautiful

And explain why do you think the person is handsome/beautiful

Part 3

1. What is the definition of beauty?
2. What do you think of being beautiful naturally and those from plastic surgeries?
3. Would plastic surgeries boost people's confidence?
4. What are the pros and cons of being beautiful?
5. Which is more important, inner beauty or outer beauty?
6. Do you think it is important for people to have a pretty face?
7. Is it good for some brands to use models to promote their products?
8. How can people be more beautiful in terms of clothes matching?
9. Why some shops recruit beautiful people?
10. Do you think beauty is an important standard in terms of recruiting?
11. Can good-looking people increase their sales?
12. Where do you think is the most beautiful place in your country, for example, could be the mountain or the sea?
13. Do people prefer to know an attraction by words or by pictures?
14. Where would people like to go for traveling in China?
15. Can you describe a natural landscape inside a city?
16. There are more and more people who like to be slim? Do you think it is good?

Similar

Describe a person you wanted to be similar to when you were growing up

You should say

- Who the person is
- What relationship you have with the person
- What aspects you want to be similar to the person

And explain why you would like to be similar to the person

Part 3

1. What influence would famous people have on young children?
2. What kind of famous people do kids like?
3. Do you think famous people should possess good qualities?
4. Do you think the ads for kids should be endorsed by famous people?
5. Is there any difference between kids' life now and that in the past?
6. Do you think children's study is difficult nowadays?

Interesting old person

Describe an interesting old person (you met)

You should say

- Who the person is
- When and where you met the person
- How you met the person

And explain why you think the person is interesting

Part 3

1. Do you think young people like to spend time with old people?
2. Can old people and young people be friends? Is it common in your country?
3. Can old people and young people share the same hobbies?
4. What skills will old people teach young people?
5. Why some people have no interest in others?
6. What skills will young people teach old people?
7. What would happen if we show interests in others?

PLACE

Historical building

Describe a historical building (you've been to and want to know more)

You should say

- Where it is
- What it looks like
- What it was used for

And explain why you want to know more about it

Part 3

1. Is there any historical building in your hometown?
2. Do you think historical buildings should be protected?
3. Would people agree that the government should spend money on protecting the environment?
4. Do Chinese people like to visit historical places?
5. Do children like to go to historical places?
6. Do Chinese people like to visit foreign historical places?
7. What are the differences between historical buildings and modern buildings?
8. What needs to be considered when designing public places?
9. Should people pay the entrance fee of public places or should the government do so?

Park

Describe a park/garden that you enjoy visiting

You should say

- Where it is
- When you visit it
- What the park is like

And explain why you like visiting it

Part 3

1. What are the advantages of parks and gardens in a city?
2. Do you think the parks in your city is enough?
3. Why would people grow flowers as a hobby?
4. Do you think it's difficult to grow flowers?
5. Why would some people grow vegetables instead of flowers?
6. Should people help clean public gardens?
7. What the government can do to make people protect public garden?
8. Which age groups like to go to parks?
9. Do you think it's possible to grow vegetable in the future?
10. Do young people go to parks very often? Where do they visit?

EVENT

Encouragement

Describe someone (a friend) who encouraged you to achieve a goal

You should say

- Who the person is
- What he/she encouraged you
- How the person encouraged you

And explain why this encouragement helped you achieve the goal

Part 3

1. How is goal important to teenagers?
2. What motivates teenagers to learn?
3. How to make teenagers learn more?
4. Who do you think can affect children's goal more, parents or teachers?
5. How should children be encouraged?
6. How to make children interested in something they don't like?

Call

Describe a time when you heard a stranger talking on the phone in public

You should say

- When and where it was
- What the call was about
- What you were doing

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Some people like talking on the cellphone loudly on public transport, what do you think of this?
2. What are the bad effects of talking on phone in the public?
3. Do you think it's good to talk loudly on buses?
4. Do you think law can forbid people talk loudly?
5. What's the difference between the two situations, one is that you are on a train and a man is talking loudly on his phone and the other is you are on a train and two men are chatting?

Meal

Describe a time when you invited your family or friends to have a meal

You should say

- When it was
- Where you had the meal
- Who made the meal

And explain why you invited them

Part 3

1. Is it in a restaurant or at home?
2. Does Chinese people often eat in the restaurant?
3. Why do people nowadays eat more in the restaurants instead of at home?
4. Which is more expensive, eating at restaurant or at home?
5. Why would many people order take-away from restaurant?
6. Do you think people would go to restaurant instead of cooking at home?
7. What are the differences between the foods in special events and those common ones

Internet

Describe something you solved with the help of the Internet

You should say

- When it was
- What you solved
- How long it cost

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. What effect does the internet have to people and society?
2. What effect the internet has to school?
3. Would internet make school libraries disappear?
4. What internet can do in the future?
5. Do you think surfing on the internet is a waste of time?
6. What can you do with internet?
7. Would people study via the internet?
8. Are there many people who waste time on the internet?
9. How can we do thing via the internet?
10. How can students use internet to study?
11. What do people do with internet when they are free?

Extremely early

Describe a time when you got up extremely early

You should say

- When it was
- What you did
- Why you got up so early

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Why would people stay up late?
2. Is it really difficult to get up early?
3. Many young people like staying up late, what do you think it?
4. Which one do you think it better, staying up late to work or getting up early to work?
5. Why do old people often need to take breaks?
6. Do you think old people get up earlier than young people?
7. What are the benefits of getting up early?

Incorrect info

Describe a time when you had an incorrect piece of information

You should say

- When it was
- Where you got it
- How you knew it was incorrect

And what did you do with it

Part 3

1. What kinds of job need information exchange very often?
2. What kinds of people like to give suggestions to others?
3. What kinds of people can keep your secrets?
4. Do people trust the information online?
5. How can we tell whether the information is correct or not?
6. What's the difference between the information given by phone and email?
7. What's the benefit of using emails?

Advice

Describe a piece of advice you gave to others

You should say

- What advice it was
- Who you gave to
- Did he accept it

And what about the result

Part 3

1. What advice should be given to young people?
2. What skills do you need when you give others suggestions?
3. Should parents support children's decisions?
4. Should parents give suggestions?
5. What general advice would parents give to children (about 4-5 years old)?
6. Should parents decide what friends you make?
7. Should the advice given by doctors or professors be told in a different way?

Child

Describe a time when a child made you laugh

You should say

- Who the child was
- When that happened
- What he did

And explain why you laughed

Part 3

1. What can you do to make children laugh?
2. What do you think a good or a bad childhood is like?
3. Do you think childhood is the best period of life?
4. Is it important for teachers to teach happily?
5. Do you think it is important for parents to be strict?
6. How old do you think is suitable to be a parent?
7. Are there many teenager parents?
8. What qualities should a good parent have?
9. Should the government, hospital and school train parents?

Broken vehicle

Describe a travel when the vehicle (bus, car etc.) was broken down

You should say

- When it was
- Where it happened
- Who you were with

And what the effects were

Part 3

1. What means of transport do Chinese people often take?
2. Why there are more and more private cars?
3. Now there are more and more cars, what effect it might have / pros and cons?
4. What are the benefits of private transports?
5. What improvements of public transports should be made?
6. What benefits does CHR bring to people in China?
7. Who like traveling more, young people or old people?
8. It is true that there are less and less private cars in cities?
9. Why would rich people buy luxury cars?
10. Do you think there will be more and more metro lines?

Unusual vacation

Describe an unusual vacation you had

You should say

- When it was
- Where you went
- Whom you had it with

And explain why it was unusual

Part 3

1. Where do Chinese people visit frequently?
2. Is it cheaper to travel to another country?
3. What do people do during a long vacation?
4. Do you think you have enough vacation?
5. Why people have less holidays?
6. What are the most popular cities for people to travel?
7. Do you think tourism could bring benefits to local economy?
8. Do you think tourism in China has already reached the peak or needs further development?

Happy time

Describe a happy time you had with your friends

You should say

- When it was
- Whom you were with
- What you did

And explain why you were happy

Part 3

1. Which one is more important, spending time with family members or with friends?
2. Do most people spend with their friends in your country?
3. Do the people in your country like staying with big groups or small ones?
4. Why are people willing to spend time with their friends?
5. What are the differences between spending time with parents and friends?
6. Do you think it's better to have one true friend or many regular friends?
7. What if you break up with your only friend?
8. What skills can you get when you're with your friends?
9. According to some researches, people are social animals, what do you think of it?
10. Has modern technology changed interpersonal relationship?

Had to change

Describe a time when you had to change your plan

You should say

- When it was
- How you changed your plan
- Why you changed it

And how you feel about it

Part 3

1. What are the benefits when young people make their plans about their career?
2. What plans would older people make?
3. Do you need to let your friends know when you've changed your plan?
4. Why do old people not like changing their plans?
5. How to suggest others change their plans and doing something else?
6. Do Chinese people like changing their plans?
7. Do old people like changing their plans?
8. What kind of people like changing their plans?
9. What are the reasons for changing their plans?
10. What are the pros and cons of changing a plan?
11. When do people usually change their mind?
12. How do you explain to your friends when you have to change the plan because of your personal reasons?
13. Are those people who always change their mind being emotional?

Proud

Describe a time when you were proud of your friend's success

You should say

- Who the person is
- When it was
- How you felt

And explain why do you think it is important

Part 3

1. How can students be successful at school?
2. What are the qualities you should have in working?
3. How to evaluate whether a student is good or bad in university?
4. What should school reward to the students who behaved very well?
5. Which one do you think it more important, science subjects like physics and chemistry or art subjects like music and painting?
6. Why would people think science subjects are more important than art subjects?
7. Which one do you think is more important, theory or practice?
8. Why would people need rewards?
9. What kind of people will be successful?
10. Do you think success is important?
11. What kind of people are successful in society?
12. Is getting a high grade the only standard of being successful?
13. Do you think it is fair to judge a person only by whether he/she is successful or not?

Complete truth

Describe a time when someone didn't tell you the complete truth

You should say

- When it happened
- What happened
- Who the person is

And explain why the person didn't tell you everything

Part 3

1. Do you think people have to lie?
2. In what situations would people tell white lies?
3. Do you think modern technology has enough impact on solving crimes?
4. Why some witnesses don't tell the truth sometimes?
5. If the modern technology has big impact on crime issues, why we still need witnesses?
6. Is it serious to tell a small lie?
7. Do you think it is important to teach children not to tell lies?
8. Who are more likely to tell lies, children or old people?
9. Besides parenting, is there any other way to teach children not to tell lies?
10. Some say that people who like telling lies should have good memories. Is it right?

Younger

Describe a time when you taught/showed a younger person something new

You should say

- What it was
- Who you taught
- Why you taught the person

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. What should children learn before they going to school?
2. What skills should people learn before going to college?
3. Is being motivated important when learning something new?
4. Do you think cooking is a skill that people have to learn?
5. Generally speaking, what skill do young people need to learn?
6. Is it different for the skill that people need to learn in schools and those in the society?
7. What are the skills you can learn from parents and teachers, and what is the difference?
8. How can people be motivated to learn a new skill?

No time

Describe something you want to do but you don't have time to do it

You should say

- What it is
- Why you want to do it
- Why you don't have time for it

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Do you often feel that time isn't enough?
2. What do you think the relationship between people aging and leisure time?
3. Do you think leisure time is a waste to old people?
4. Since people are getting busier, how do they deal with working time and leisure time?
5. Do you think time management is important?
6. Do you think it is necessary to make timetables?
7. Do you think most people can manage time well?
8. Do you think successful people are better in managing time than others?
9. What are the things that young people and old people do in their free time?
10. How to manage time?

Sudden change

Describe a time when you changed your plan suddenly

You should say

- When the change was
- Why you made the change
- How you changed it

And explain why you made it suddenly

Part 3

1. Is it good to change your plan suddenly?
2. Do you think it's good to plan very early?
3. Which one is more important, the plan given by your parents or by your teacher?
4. When do you think young people should decide their career?
5. Will you tell someone if you decide to change the plan?
6. Will children make plans about their future?
7. Is there any computer technique for making plans?
8. What plans would people usually make?
9. What influence does technology development bring to the plans?
10. What things need to be considered in term of development of a city?
11. Do you think the development of a city should be led by the citizen?

Bad service

Describe a time when you received a bad service in a restaurant or a shop

You should say

- When it was
- Where it was
- What happened

And how you felt about the service

Part 3

1. Do you often receive bad service?
2. Do you think complain is useful?
3. Do you think training before working is important?
4. What can be bad service?
5. Where can people receive bad service?
6. Why would some people tend to be silent when they receive bad service?
7. What kind of people should be more responsible for service?
8. What can employer do to improve their service?

Free day

Describe a free day off work or study you had

You should say

- When it was
- How you spent it
- Why you had a free day

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. What do people do during weekends?
2. Is it important to have a free day?
3. What's the difference between the free time activity young people and old people do?
4. What's the difference between the free time activity male and female do?
5. Does the technology affect people's free time?
6. Does free time influence family relationship?
7. What if parents don't have enough time to spend with their children?
8. Will robots give people more free time?
9. Do you think people now have less free time and why?
10. Who like eating outside, boys or girls?
11. Will there be more free time in the future?
12. What is the impact of people who work far away from home on family members?

Party

Describe a party you went to

You should say

- Whose party it was
- When and where it was
- Why you went there and what you did

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Do you usually go to parties?
2. Do Chinese people often throw parties?
3. Do Chinese people throw more parties now than in the past?
4. What customs do you have in traditional Chinese weddings?
5. Do you think young people spend more and more money on weddings?
6. Apart from Spring Festival, what is Chinese people's favourite festival?
7. Do you think it is good for people to spend a long time in a party?
8. Do you think it's okay to spend a lot of time on a wedding?
9. Do you think it's okay for parents to throw a big party for their kids?
10. Do you think it is good to spend a lot of money on activities?
11. Do you think there are more and more people who like to throw parties?
12. Why do some people spend a lot for something like wedding?

Decision

Describe a decision you made with the help of your friends

You should say

- What the decision was
- Who helped you
- How the person helped you

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Do you think parents should make decisions for children?
2. Should parents or teachers set the goal for children?
3. Have you ever sought for help?
4. Why do some people have to ask friends to make decisions?
5. Who can you ask from, besides friends?
6. Why do some people make decisions quickly/slowly?
7. Why do people ask others to get the same answer as expected?
8. What if the answer is different from what they expected?
9. Should we trust the advice given by strangers for making decisions?
10. Who would like to make bad decisions, men or women?
11. Who will be helpful when making decisions in your country?
12. Do you think it is advisable listening to others' advice when making decisions?
13. When young people are making decisions, should they listen to some advice?

OBJECT

Prize

Describe a prize you'd like to get

You should say

- What the prize is about
- How you knew it
- What you need to do to get it

And explain why you want to get it

Part 3

1. What prizes are for students at school?
2. Are those prizes beneficial for students?
3. Is it good to set prizes at school?
4. Do you think competition is good?
5. What rewards can parents give to their kids?
6. Would parents push their children too hard to get prize?
7. How do Chinese companies reward employees?
8. Do you think rewarding is good for a company's development?

Souvenir

Describe a special thing you took from a tourist attraction

You should say

- What it is
- When you brought it
- Where you brought it from

And what you did when you took it home

Part 3

1. What kind things could be souvenirs?
2. Why would local people sell souvenirs?
3. What are the advantages and disadvantages of travelling with a camera?
4. Many people would upload their travelling pictures on social media, what do you think of that?
5. What souvenir people would buy?
6. Does it help local people if tourist buy some souvenirs?
7. What are the advantages and disadvantages of professional camera and the camera on the cellphone?
8. How to avoid your professional camera being stolen?

Favourite clothes

Describe the clothes (an item of clothing) you like wearing

You should say

- Where you bought it
- How often you wear it
- What it looks like

And explains why you like wearing it

Part 3

1. What are the differences between young people's clothing style and old people's clothing style?
2. When should we dress formally?
3. Why people wear formal clothes in weddings?
4. Do you think students should wear school uniforms?
5. What are the benefits of wearing school uniform?
6. Are there many different styles of clothes?

Didn't use

Describe something you bought but didn't use very often

You should say

- What it is
- Where you bought it
- Why you bought it

And explain why you don't use it very often

Part 3

1. Do people in China like shopping?
2. What's the difference between big shopping malls and small ones?
3. Do women like shopping more than men?
4. Why people like to buy something they don't even need?
5. What's the difference between shopping in the past and now?
6. Is quality more important than price?
7. Do you think there are many advertisements in China?
8. Do people think ads are very noisy?
9. Why would people like to go to malls for shopping?
10. Why Chinese people care more about the quality of the product?
11. Are you an impulse purchaser?
12. Can you think of something which can be recycled?
13. How do people do recycling in your country?
14. Will you consider over-packaging and the pollution it brings?
15. Do people need to consider environmental protection?
16. Why is it important to promote environmental protection?
17. What are the pros and cons of shopping in big malls?
18. Are goods in big shopping malls more expensive?

Something you've found

Describe something you've found that someone lost

You should say

- What it was
- When and where you found it
- How you returned it back

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Why people lost things?
2. How to help people lose things less often?
3. What skills can parents teach to their kids when the kids found something that others lost?
4. When living alone, people would forget where they've put something at home, how can you help with this?
5. Have you ever lost anything?
6. How should parents educate their kids when they've found something?
7. Do you think it is good to collect things?
8. What do you think are the reasons for people to collect things?
9. Do you think collecting things is for memorising something?
10. What kind of people like to collect things in the past?
11. How did people collect things in the past?
12. Do you think the existence of the museum is necessary?

Special food

Describe a type of food that people eat during special events

You should say

- Which one it is
- How it is cooked
- Whether you like it or not

And explain why people eat it

Part 3

1. Why do people plant vegetables?
2. Are old people willing to try new food?
3. Why would Chinese people love dumplings?
4. What's the difference between dumplings and mooncakes?
5. Do you think food is important when it comes to family gathering?
6. What food are popular in China?
7. Do you think people should have meals together?
8. Is it good for a family to have every meal together?
9. Will there be more and more people growing their own food in the future?
10. How food is important for a party?
11. Why do people from different parts prefer eating different foods?
12. What do Chinese people eat during festivals?

DESCRIPTION

Quiz program

Describe a quiz program or a game show on TV

You should say

- What the program is
- Who can you see in the show
- How often you watch it

And how you feel about it

Part 3

1. What do children like to play nowadays?
2. Do you think competition is important in games?
3. What types of TV programs do people like to watch?
4. What kind of people like to watch TV?
5. What types of games do people like to play nowadays?
6. What are the differences between the games people play now and those they played in the past?

Water sport

Describe a water sport you'd like to try in the future

You should say

- What it is
- Where will you do it
- How will you do it

And explain why you want to try it

Part 3

1. What kinds of water sports are popular in your country?
2. Do you think everyone should learn swimming?
3. Do you think it's important for children to learn swimming?
4. Why would some people can't swim yet still want to go somewhere near water?
5. Why some people like sea or ocean?
6. Is it popular to throw parties on the boat?
7. Would people gradually live near water in the future?
8. Are water transports better than those on the land?
9. Do you agree that most people are willing to stay in the place near water?
10. Would people choose to take water transports in the future?
11. Why would people develop water transports?

Advertisement

Describe an advertisement that you remember well

You should say

- What it is about
- Where you saw it
- What happened in the ad

And explain why it's so memorable

Part 3

1. Where do you usually see ads?
2. Some people don't like ads, what do you think of this?
3. It is safe for drivers to look at the ads?
4. Why would some people feel annoyed with ads?
5. Does advertising have an impact on people's desire to buy?
6. What's the importance of music in advertising?
7. Should the ads target for children be different?

New facility

Describe a newly built public facility (cinema, sports centre ...) in your area

You should say

- What the facility is
- When it was built
- What people can do in there

And what effect it has

Part 3

1. Do the people in your city have a sense of community?
2. Which one do you think it more important, sense of community or national pride?
3. Do you think people in big cities have a sense of community?
4. Many people think new facilities are better than old ones, why?
5. Do we have to have facilities particularly for women?
6. Do you think the new facility is good or bad for the local people?
7. Do people often go to facilities like parks or gardens?
8. What's the difference between the facilities in cities and those in towns?
9. Do you think the government should pay for public facilities?
10. What kind of facilities do old people and young people like?
11. What are the facilities people don't go to very often?
12. Are public facilities getting better and better?
13. What's the most important facility in a shopping mall?
14. What are public facilities used for?

Ideal house

Describe a perfect house you'd like to have

You should say

- Where the house would be
- What are the special features
- Who you would like to live with

And explain why it is perfect

Part 3

1. What's the difference between apartment and house?
2. What are the difficulties of living in the city centre?
3. It is bad for children to live in countryside?
4. Where do Chinese people live, a house or a flat?
5. Is it good to live in an old flat?
6. What's the difference between city and countryside?
7. What's the difference between the cities in the past and cities now?

Historical period

Describe a historical period that you want to know more

You should say

- Which one it is
- How you knew it
- What you know about that period

And explain why you want to know more about it

Part 3

1. Should children learn history?
2. How can children learn history?
3. What are the differences between learning history from textbooks and films?
4. Are the events from movies or documentaries true and accurate?
5. Do you think it's important to learn history?
6. Why wouldn't some leaders care about history?
7. Why don't some people like history?
8. Why would people feel learning history is boring?
9. Some say learning history is meaningless, what do you think?
10. In what way can people learn history?
11. What are the differences between studying history in primary school and in high school?
12. How should school teach history? What about parents?

Good news

Describe a piece of good news you've recently heard from TV or internet

You should say

- What it was
- When you heard it
- Where you heard it

And explain why you think it is good

Part 3

1. What kind of people would pay attention to news?
2. What kind of news will people be interested in?
3. Is everyone interested in economy?
4. Should teacher develop students' interests in economy?
5. What's the difference between the news old people watch and that young people watch?
6. Is it necessary to teach children to watch news?
7. What kind of people don't watch news?
8. Do you think children should read news?
9. Which age group like to read news best?
10. Why do people like talking about bad news?
11. Will newspaper disappear in the future?
12. How can we get rid of the impact of fake news?
13. Is it important to keep reading up-to-date news?
14. Are people getting more and more information?

Outdoor sports

Describe an outdoor sport you have played for the first time

You should say

- What it was
- When you played it
- Where you played it

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. What are the pros and cons of outdoor sports?
2. What are the benefits of indoor sports?
3. What are the most common teamwork sports?
4. Why do some people like extreme sports?
5. Do you think study and sport are equally important for high school students?
6. Are there many opportunities to play outdoor sports in your country?
7. Are there any sports that make people and nature closer?

Keep healthy

Describe something you do to keep healthy

You should say

- What it is
- When you started it
- Whether you enjoyed it

And explain why it helps you keep healthy

Part 3

1. Apart from physical activities, what else can you do to keep healthy?
2. How can people be healthier?
3. Is there a lot of media promoting being healthy?
4. What do you want to say to those who don't do exercise?
5. What's your opinion about smoking?
6. Why there are more male smokers than female smokers?
7. Do you think schools should teach students to cook?
8. How can people know the information about balanced diet?
9. Who should promote the importance of being healthy?
10. What activities are beneficial for health?
11. How balanced diet affects people's health?
12. How do you think doctors should help people solve health problems?
13. Some people say they don't have time to keep healthy, what do you think?
14. Are people nowadays healthier than they used to be?
15. Will people become much healthier in the future?
16. Do you think people can get to more knowledge about being healthy?
17. Is healthy education important for kids?

Routine

Describe something you regularly do which helps with your work or study

You should say

- What it is
- When you would do it
- Where you would do it

And explain why it helps

Part 3

1. Do you have friends who have the same routine with you?
2. What routine do people around you have?
3. What kind of people should have routine?
4. Should parents make routines for kids?
5. What kinds of job need to follow routine?
6. What daily routine do people have?
7. Is there anyone who doesn't have a daily routine?
8. Do you think Chinese parents allow their kids to do what they want to do in the free time?
9. It is good for kids/employees to keep a routine?

Grandparents' work

Describe one of your grandparents' job

You should say

- What the job was
- How you knew it
- Has he/she changed the job

And whether you want to do it or not

Part 3

1. What jobs can be difficult?
2. Do you like difficult jobs or easy ones?
3. Do you think people who take difficult jobs should have high salaries?
4. How do you feel about farmers' work?
5. Would artificial intelligent replace most people's work?
6. Do you think AI is beneficial for the development of human?
7. Is working in another country a difficult job?
8. Is cleaner a difficult job? Is the salary high?
9. Is it good for the company to train employees to improve their skills?

Skill

Describe a practical skill (driving, painting, making clothes) you learnt

You should say

- What the skill is
- How you learnt it
- How long it took you to learn

And do you have any difficulties in learning it

Part 3

1. What's the most important practical skill in modern society?
2. Which one is more important, cooking or driving a car?
3. What kind of job requires practical skills?
4. What is more important for learn a new skill, your body like hands or your memory?
5. Do you like learning new skills?
6. What practical skills should people learn?
7. What skills can you use at home?
8. What skill can you use at work?
9. Do Chinese students learn practical skills at school?
10. Why do we need to learn new skills as a hobby?
11. Why don't some people like leaning a new skill?
12. What skills may take a long time to learn?
13. Why would people spend a long time to learn one skill?
14. Do people feel happy when they learn a new skill?
15. Why are some people unwilling to learn new skills?
16. Do you think it would take a long time to learn a new language?

Subject

Describe a subject you didn't like but like now

You should say

- What the subject was
- Why you didn't like it
- Why you like it now

And how you felt about it

Part 3

1. Do you think learning many subjects with wider knowledge at a time is better or learning one subject deeper at a time is better?
2. What kind of job can you learn many things?
3. What's your opinion about the way we get information?
4. Do you think watching TV is a good way to get information?
5. Which one do you think is more important, a good teacher or your interests?
6. Do children need a fun studying environment?
7. What subject are you interested in now?
8. Do you think the teacher should be interesting when giving classes?
9. What do you need to do to make the class more interesting?
10. Do you think learning many subjects is beneficial to your work?