

# Great Entrepreneurs

## Discussion

How did you spend this holiday?

There are some Covid-19 cases in my city. I stayed in the city. I went to a park.

Is the situation with the virus still serious?

It's getting better.

A lot of students told me that couldn't travel because of the virus.

When is China going to be completely open?

It will maybe happen next year.

I can visit Thailand next year.

I heard that in this month, you will have presidential elections.

Is that true?

One student told me on 16th October.

Are you going to vote?

No, I am not.

Why not?

Only members of party can vote.

You can't choose.

Elections work differently in Europe and the USA. We all vote for candidates.

In the USA you have two parties: liberals(democrats) and conservatives(republicans).

In my country, in Serbia, there is not limit. We can 100 parties.

I am not happy with our system in Serbia, because vote of a person who doesn't know anything, is same as a vote of a smart person.

Since everyone has a vote a person who knows nothing about politics, can choose. I don't think this is good.

I think smart and knowledgeable people should make decisions.

Do you know where democracy came from?

It came from ancient Greece.

Ancient Greece is the oldest European civilization.

Only free citizens had a right to vote, slaves couldn't vote.

Slaves were actually a majority.

Luckily these days, none of the countries supports slavery.

What is an entrepreneur?

It's a person who owns a company.

Would you like to be an entrepreneur?

It's a difficult job.

Why is so difficult about being an entrepreneur?

You need to have enough money, professional knowledge, and accept the adventure(risk taker).

Why people choose to be entrepreneurs if it's so difficult?

If you are successful you will get a lot of respect and money.

It's raining cats and dogs. (It rains heavily)

Does China encourage entrepreneurs?

Government policies usually change, so it's hard to be an entrepreneur.

Jack Ma emigrated to a European country like Switzerland, I think.

## **Vocabulary**

### **Useful Words**

1. pronouns(noun):useful expression, sentences, that offer an advice, or teach common knowledge.
2. majority(noun):the largest number of people.
3. minority(noun):a small group of people.
4. presidential(adj.):related to a president.
5. election(noun):process of choosing someone or something.
6. democracy(noun):a system in which all people have a right to vote on important decisions.
7. slave(noun):a person who is owned by another person.