

TELEVISION DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

- 1) What images spring to mind when you hear the word 'television'?
- 2) What are the good things and bad things about television?
- 3) What would life be like without television?
- 4) How much television do you watch every day?
- 5) Are you happy with the programmes on TV?
- 6) Does television kill conversation in your family?
- 7) Does violence on television make young people more violent?
- 8) How will television change over the next few decades?
- 9) Someone said: "If it weren't for the fact that the TV set and the refrigerator are so far apart, some of us wouldn't get any exercise at all." Do you think this is true
- 10) Someone once said: "I wish there were a knob on the TV to turn up the intelligence." Do you think so too?

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STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

- 1) What are your earliest memories of television?
- 2) Is television important?
- 3) How would society be different if TV had never been invented?
- 4) What could you do for three hours without watching television?
- 5) What is there too much of on television?
- 6) How long can you sit watching TV?
- 7) What do you think of television shows from other countries?
- 8) Would you like a television in every room of your house?
- 9) Frank Lloyd Wright said: "Television is chewing gum for the eyes." What did he mean. Do you think so too?
- 10) Donna Gephart said: "Today, watching television often means fighting, violence and foul language - and that's just deciding who gets to hold the remote control." Do you think so too?

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