



Free Talking

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Pick

& Talk 1

Speaking Ch.Lab

Unit.1 Learning English



Pick & Talk

1. How long have you been studying English? How old were you when you first learned English?
2. Is English an easy or difficult language to learn? Why do you study English?
3. What level of English would satisfy you? What learning goals do you have?
4. When it comes to English, what are your strengths and weaknesses? Choose from vocabulary, grammar, pronunciation, reading, listening, writing. Which do you most want to improve? Why?
5. Is it important to learn slang or swearwords in English? Why or why not?
6. What is your favorite word in English? Why do you like it?
7. How do/did you feel about English at school? How is/was it taught?
8. Many languages have adopted English loanwords. Which words has your language borrowed from English?
9. Are there any words from your native language that are commonly used by native English speakers? What are they?
10. Have you taken any standardized English tests such as TOEIC, TOEFL, OPIC or IELTS? Did studying for these tests help you to improve your English?
11. English is widely spoken as a second language around the world. Why is this?
12. Will another language replace English as the major global language? If so, how long will it take? Which language will be the next global language?

Related Expression

Can't make head nor tail of sth: to not be able to understand something



Pick & Talk

1. Do you have a best friend? How many real good friends do you have? Describe them.
2. Why do people need friends? What can happen if a person has no friends?
3. What is your idea of a good/bad friend?
4. What do you like to do when you hang out with friends?
5. What is the best way to meet new friends?
6. Do you think sites like Facebook, Instagram are good for friendships or do they stop people from becoming close?
7. What do you do when there is a conflict between you and your friend?
8. Do you prefer having a lot of friends or just a few close ones?
9. Do you think a man and a woman can really be "just friends"?
10. Do you think that most people are naturally able to get along with others or is it a skill which needs to be learnt?
11. In some cultures, friendship networks are important for doing business and getting jobs. How about in your culture?
12. Has the concept of "friendship" changed in the modern age?

Related Expression

Fair-weather friend: somebody who is only a friend when it is pleasant for them, and stops being a friend when you are in trouble

Unit.3 Shopping



Pick & Talk

1. Do you enjoy shopping? For what kinds of things?
2. Do you prefer shopping online or in person? Do you think online shopping will replace shopping in reality?
3. Have you ever spent too much? What did you buy? How did you feel afterwards?
4. How do you feel about sales people following you and helping you when you shop?
5. What makes a pleasant shopping experience?
6. What is your opinion of branded goods?
7. Are you a bargain hunter? Do you get excited about sales and discounts? When are the best sales in your country?
8. Have you ever returned something you bought? Why did you return it? Did you get a refund?
9. Do you know anyone who is addicted to shopping? Are you addicted to shopping?
10. Have you ever bought any counterfeit products like fake designer bags, clothing, or jewelry?
11. Who does the grocery shopping in your household? How often do they do it?
12. Shoplifting is when someone takes something from a shop without paying. How common is this crime in your country? How do shops try to prevent shoplifting?

Related Expression

Window shopping: the activity of spending time looking at the goods on sale in shop windows without intending to buy any of them