

block	[blɑ:k]
<p>Have you ever had a mental block while trying to solve a problem? How did you overcome it? What would you do if you found a road blocked on your way to an important event? Do you think it's easy to block out distractions when you need to focus?</p>	
customs; customs officer	['kʌstəmz] ['kʌstəmz]
<p>Have you ever had an interesting experience with a customs officer while traveling? Do you think customs checks are necessary, or could they be more relaxed? What are some customs in your country that might surprise visitors?</p>	
fast; fasting	[fæst] [fæstɪŋ]
<p>Have you ever tried fasting for health or religious reasons? How was the experience? Do you think fasting is beneficial, or can it be harmful? How do you feel when you have to fast for a long time before a medical test?</p>	
literature; literary	['lɪtərətʃər] ['lɪtəreri]
<p>What's your favorite piece of literature, and why do you like it? Have you ever attended a literary event, like a book reading or poetry night? Do you think it's important to study literature in school? Why or why not?</p>	
result	[rɪ'zʌlt]
<p>Have you ever been surprised by the result of a test or project? How do you usually react when the result doesn't match your expectations? What's a result you're particularly proud of achieving?</p>	
sorry	['sɔ:ri]
<p>Do you find it easy or difficult to say "sorry" when you've made a mistake? When was the last time someone said sorry to you? How did it make you feel? How often do you find yourself saying sorry, even when it's not necessary?</p>	
town	[taʊn]
<p>What do you like most about the town you live in? Have you ever thought about moving to a different town? Why or why not? Do you prefer living in a town or in the countryside?</p>	



wash; wash up; washer		[wɑ:ʃ] [wɑ:ʃ ʌp]
<p>How often do you wash up after meals, and do you enjoy it? Have you ever had a washing machine break down? How did you manage? What do you usually do while waiting for your laundry to finish washing?</p>		
fat; low-fat		[fæt] [ləʊ-fæt]
<p>Do you pay attention to whether your food is low-fat, or do you not worry about it? What are your thoughts on the idea that some fats are actually healthy? Have you ever tried a low-fat diet? How did it affect you?</p>		
especially		[ɪˈspeʃəli]
<p>Is there a time of year you especially look forward to? Why? Do you find any subjects in school especially challenging? What food do you especially enjoy, and could eat every day?</p>		
play		[pleɪ]
<p>What was the last game you played, and did you enjoy it? Have you ever been to a play at a theater? What was it about? How important do you think play is for children's development?</p>		
moment		[ˈmoʊmənt]
<p>Can you think of a moment that changed your life? What do you do to enjoy the moment when you're feeling stressed? Have you ever wished you could freeze a moment in time? When was that?</p>		
off		[ɑ:f]
<p>Do you prefer to keep your phone on or off during important meetings? When was the last time you took a day off, and how did you spend it? How do you feel when something you're looking forward to gets called off?</p>		
state		[steɪt]
<p>Which state of mind helps you be the most productive? Have you ever traveled to another state or region? What was it like? How do you think the state of the world affects your day-to-day life?</p>		
license		[ˈlaɪsəns]
<p>Do you think getting a driver's license is easier or harder today than in the past? Have you ever lost a license or important document? What did you do? Would you consider getting a license for a new skill or hobby? Which one?</p>		

avoid		[ə'vɔɪd]
<p>Is there anything you try to avoid doing because it makes you uncomfortable? How do you avoid distractions when you need to focus on something important? Have you ever avoided a difficult conversation? How did it turn out?</p>		
method		['meθəd]
<p>What method do you use to stay organized in your daily life? Have you ever learned a new method for doing something that made it easier? Do you think the method you use for studying is effective, or would you like to try a new one?</p>		
ourselves		[,aʊr'selvz]
<p>How can we challenge ourselves to achieve our goals? Do you think it's important to take time for ourselves during a busy week? How do we sometimes deceive ourselves into thinking something is easier than it really is?</p>		
way		[weɪ]
<p>What's the best way to start your day off on the right foot? Have you ever found a way to solve a problem that others couldn't? What's the most scenic way to travel in your country?</p>		
vision		['vɪʒən]
<p>How important do you think having a clear vision is for achieving success? Have you ever had a vision of what your future might look like? How do you think your vision of the world has changed over the years?</p>		
luck		[lʌk]
<p>Do you believe in luck, or do you think we make our own luck? Have you ever had a day where you felt like everything was just good luck? What's the luckiest thing that's ever happened to you?</p>		
initial; initially		[ɪ'nɪʃəl] [ɪ'nɪʃəli]
<p>What were your initial thoughts when you started learning English? Have you ever felt nervous initially, but then became more confident? How did you initially get interested in your favorite hobby?</p>		
husband		['hʌzbənd]
<p>How do you think a good husband should support his partner? What qualities do you think are important for someone to be a good husband? If you were to give advice to a newly married husband, what would it be?</p>		

guest	[gest]
<p>How do you usually prepare when you're expecting guests at your home? Have you ever been a guest at a special event? What was it like? What makes a guest feel welcome in your home?</p>	
drive-drove-driven	[draɪv-droʊv-'drɪvən]
<p>When was the first time you drove a car, and how did it feel? What motivates you to drive yourself toward your goals? Have you ever been driven by a strong passion to accomplish something?</p>	
currency	[ˈkʌrənsi]
<p>How often do you need to exchange currency when traveling? Do you think digital currency will replace paper money in the future? What's the most interesting currency you've ever used?</p>	
blue	[blu:]
<p>How do you feel when the sky is bright blue on a sunny day? Do you have a favorite blue object or piece of clothing? Have you ever felt a bit blue for no particular reason? What did you do to feel better?</p>	
cancel	[ˈkænsəl]
<p>How do you usually react when an event you were looking forward to gets canceled? Have you ever had to cancel plans at the last minute? How did you handle it? What's the most frustrating thing about canceling a subscription or service?</p>	
mail	[meɪl]
<p>Do you prefer to receive important documents by mail or electronically? How often do you send mail, and what kind of mail do you usually send? Have you ever lost something important in the mail? What did you do?</p>	
whenever, anytime	[wen'evər] ['enɪtaɪm]
<p>Do you feel comfortable reaching out to friends whenever you need support? What's something you could do anytime, and it would always make you happy? How do you stay ready to help someone whenever they might need it?</p>	

