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| <b>rise-rose-risen; sun rise</b>   | [raɪz- roʊz - rɪzn] [sʌn] |
| Have you ever watched the sun rise?<br>What makes you rise early in the morning?<br>Do you think early risers have an advantage?                           |                           |
| <b>this</b>  | [ðɪs]                     |
| What do you think about this topic?<br>How would you describe this moment in one word?<br>Do you like this season of the year?                             |                           |
| <b>undergo-underwent-undergone</b>   | [ˌʌndər'ɡoʊ -             |
| Have you ever had to undergo a big change?<br>Do you know anyone who underwent a major transformation?<br>How do you feel about undergoing new challenges? |                           |
| <b>boat</b>  | [boʊt]                    |
| Have you ever traveled by boat?<br>Would you rather live on a boat or on land?<br>What's the biggest boat you've ever seen?                                |                           |
| <b>disc, disk; diskette</b>  | [dɪsk ] [dɪs'ket]         |
| Have you ever used a diskette?<br>Do you remember when CDs or discs were more popular?<br>Do you prefer digital storage or physical discs?                 |                           |
| <b>associate</b>   | [ə'soʊʃieɪt]              |
| Do you associate any smells with certain memories?<br>Do you have close associates at work?<br>What colors do you associate with happiness?                |                           |
| <b>nearly</b>  | ['nɪrli]                  |
| Is there something you nearly achieved but missed?<br>Do you nearly always follow the same routine?<br>Have you nearly finished any major goals?           |                           |



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| <b>doctor</b>  |  | [ˈdɑːktər]                 |
| <p>Have you ever wanted to be a doctor?<br/>         How often do you visit the doctor?<br/>         What qualities do you think a good doctor should have?</p>  |  |                            |
| <b>nowhere</b>   |  | [ˈnoʊwər]                  |
| <p>Have you ever been somewhere that felt like nowhere?<br/>         Do you enjoy quiet, nowhere-like places?<br/>         Can you imagine living in the middle of nowhere?</p>                                |  |                            |
| <b>picture</b>   |  | [ˈpɪktʃər]                 |
| <p>Do you enjoy taking pictures?<br/>         Do you have a favorite picture from your childhood?<br/>         What picture do you have as your phone's background?</p>  |  |                            |
| <b>row, line; row</b>  |  | [rəʊ] [laɪn] [rəʊ]         |
| <p>Do you prefer sitting in the front or back row at events?<br/>         Have you ever rowed a boat?<br/>         Have you been in a row with someone recently?</p>   |  |                            |
| <b>unfortunate; unfortunately</b>  |  | [ʌnˈfɔːrtʃənət]            |
| <p>Have you ever had an unfortunate experience while traveling?<br/>         Do you think some people are just unfortunate?<br/>         What's the most unfortunate thing that happened to you this week?</p> |  |                            |
| <b>clever</b>  |  | [ˈklevər]                  |
| <p>Who is the most clever person you know?<br/>         Do you think cleverness is more important than hard work?<br/>         What's a clever solution you've come up with recently?</p>                      |  |                            |
| <b>estate; real estate</b>   |  | [ɪˈsteɪt] [ˈriːəl ɪˈsteɪt] |
| <p>Are you interested in real estate?<br/>         Do you know anyone who works in real estate?<br/>         Would you ever invest in an estate or a property?</p>   |  |                            |
| <b>obedient; obey</b>  |  | [oʊˈbiːdiənt] [oʊˈbeɪ]     |
| <p>Were you an obedient child?<br/>         Do you think being obedient is always a good thing?<br/>         What rules do you find difficult to obey?</p>   |  |                            |

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| <b>escalator</b>   |  | [ˈeskəleɪtər]  |
| <p>Do you prefer using escalators or stairs?<br/>         Have you ever been on an escalator that stopped suddenly?<br/>         What's the longest escalator you've ever been on?</p>                               |  |                |
| <b>incorrect</b>   |  | [ˌɪnkə'rekt]   |
| <p>Have you ever been told your answer was incorrect, but you believed it was right?<br/>         How do you handle being wrong?<br/>         Do you think it's okay to make mistakes or be incorrect sometimes?</p> |  |                |
| <b>pick; pick up</b>   |  | [pɪk] [pɪk ʌp] |
| <p>Do you often pick up souvenirs when you travel?<br/>         What's the heaviest thing you've ever had to lift?<br/>         How do you choose what to pick up when shopping?</p>                                 |  |                |
| <b>rule</b>  |  | [ru:l]         |
| <p>Do you think you would be good at making rules?<br/>         Are there any rules you don't agree with?<br/>         Do you prefer to follow the rules or bend them?</p>   |  |                |
| <b>thief, pl. thieves; theft</b>   |  | [θi:f] [θeft]  |
| <p>Have you ever experienced theft?<br/>         What would you do if you caught a thief?<br/>         Do you think people can change after being a thief?</p>   |  |                |
| <b>comment</b>   |  | [ˈkɑ:ment]     |
| <p>Do you like reading comments online?<br/>         How do you feel about people commenting on your work?<br/>         Do you prefer to keep your comments to yourself or share them?</p>                           |  |                |
| <b>building</b>  |  | [ˈbɪldɪŋ]      |
| <p>What's your favorite building in your city?<br/>         Would you like to live in a tall building?<br/>         Have you ever visited a famous building?</p>   |  |                |
| <b>same; the same</b>  |  | [seɪm]         |
| <p>Do you and your friends have the same taste in music?<br/>         What do you usually do at the same time every day?<br/>         Have you ever wanted to do the same job as someone else?</p>                   |  |                |

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| <b>shampoo</b>   |  | [ˈʃæmˈpuː]              |
| Do you have a favorite shampoo brand?<br>How often do you shampoo your hair?<br>Have you ever tried making your own shampoo?   |  |                         |
| <b>embarrass; embarrassing</b>   |  | [ɪmˈberəs]              |
| What's the most embarrassing thing that has happened to you?<br>Do you get embarrassed easily?<br>How do you handle an embarrassing situation?   |  |                         |
| <b>forward; forwarder</b>  |  | [ˈfɔːrwɜːd] [ˈfɔːwədər] |
| Do you look forward to the future?<br>Have you ever needed to forward an important email?<br>Do you consider yourself an advanced learner?   |  |                         |
| <b>girlfriend</b>  |  | [ˈgɜːrlfrend]           |
| Do you think it's important to have a close girlfriend or friend?<br>What qualities do you think make a good girlfriend?<br>Have you ever given advice to a friend about their girlfriend? |  |                         |
| <b>inner</b>   |  | [ˈɪnər]                 |
| Do you believe everyone has an inner voice?<br>How often do you reflect on your inner thoughts?<br>Do you focus more on your inner or outer well-being?                                    |  |                         |
| <b>performance; perform</b>  |  | [pəˈfɔːrməns]           |
| Have you ever been to a live performance?<br>Do you think you perform well under pressure?<br>What kind of performances do you enjoy watching?   |  |                         |
| <b>remove</b>  |  | [rɪˈmuːv]               |
| Do you find it hard to remove stains?<br>Have you ever had to remove someone from a group?<br>What's something you wish you could remove from your daily routine?                          |  |                         |

