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CARTE A	
Topic	FAMILY / RELATIONSHIPS
Sub-topic	Friendships

Bonne fête les copains ! Bonne fête les copines !



« Bonjour. J'ai une idée à proposer. Pourquoi ne pas inventer une Fête pour l'Amitié comme la Saint-Valentin pour l'amour? Les copains et les copines se donnent des cartes et des cadeaux. Génial, non? »

Béatrice, 16 ans

Questions

- De quoi s'agit-il?
- Que pensez-vous de l'idée de Béatrice?
- Quelles sont les qualités d'un(e) bon(ne) ami(e)?
- Selon vous, est-ce que les ami(e)s sont plus important(e)s que la famille? Pourquoi / pourquoi pas?
- A votre avis, pourquoi est-ce que les ami(e)s se disputent de temps en temps?



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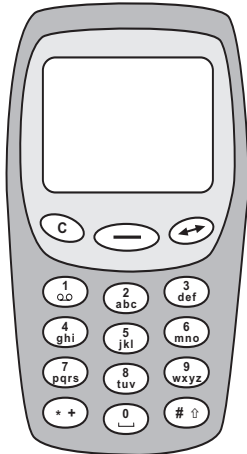
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CARTE B	
Topic	MEDIA
Sub-topic	Communication technology

Est-ce que le portable garantit la sécurité personnelle?



« Les parents pensent que oui. Si l'enfant a un portable, il peut contacter ses parents en cas d'urgence. Pourtant, de plus en plus, les jeunes abusent du portable. Il n'y a pas seulement des points positifs. »

Alain Laforgue, sociologue

Questions

- De quoi s'agit-il?
- Selon vous, quels sont les points négatifs des portables?
- Comment utilisez-vous votre portable?
- A votre avis, est-ce qu'il y a plus d'avantages ou plus d'inconvénients?
- A quel âge peut-on vraiment profiter d'un portable, pensez-vous?



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CARTE C	
Topic	POPULAR CULTURE
Sub-topic	Fashion/trends

Les premières impressions – importantes ou pas?



« Pour moi, l'apparence n'est pas importante. Si je veux porter jean et t-shirt au bureau, c'est mon choix. Si on veut se faire faire des piercings ou des tatouages, c'est la même chose. »

Claude, 17 ans

Questions

- De quoi s'agit-il?
- Que pensez-vous de l'opinion de Claude?
- Que pensez-vous de l'idée de porter un uniforme scolaire?
- Pourquoi est-ce que certains jeunes veulent changer leur apparence?
- A votre avis, est-ce que les jeunes et les adultes ont les mêmes opinions en ce qui concerne l'apparence?



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CARTE D	
Topic	HEALTHY LIVING / LIFESTYLE
Sub-topic	Holidays

Pourquoi avoir de si longues vacances?



« Bonjour. Tout le monde dit que c'est important de se reposer pendant les vacances mais les jeunes sont obligés de trouver un petit boulot pour avoir de l'argent. Donc, on travaille même pendant les vacances et à la rentrée on est toujours fatigué. »

Philippe, 17 ans

Questions

- De quoi s'agit-il?
- Etes-vous d'accord avec Philippe ? Pourquoi / pourquoi pas?
- A votre avis, avez-vous suffisamment de vacances?
- Comment aimez-vous passer les vacances?
- A part l'argent, quels sont les avantages d'avoir un petit boulot pendant les vacances?



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CARTE E	
Topic	FAMILY / RELATIONSHIPS
Sub-topic	Marriage/partnerships

Faut-il être marié pour adopter un enfant?



Un couple marié ou un célibataire – homme ou femme âgé d’au moins 28 ans – peut adopter un enfant.

Ceux qui vivent en couple sans être mariés ne peuvent pas adopter ensemble un enfant, mais individuellement c’est possible.

Questions

- De quoi s’agit-il?
- Que pensez-vous des informations en ce qui concerne l’adoption?
- A votre avis, est-ce que tous les couples peuvent faire de bons parents?
- Que pensez-vous du mariage?
- A votre avis, est-ce que c’est une bonne idée de vivre ensemble avant de se marier? Pourquoi / pourquoi pas?



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CARTE F	
Topic	MEDIA
Sub-topic	Television

Deux opinions sur la télévision:



« La télé existe aujourd’hui seulement pour amuser. Elle a totalement perdu sa valeur éducative. »

Jean-Marc, 16 ans

« Je pense que la télé offre toujours beaucoup de variété. Elle divertit et elle informe en même temps. »

Marie-Pierre, 17 ans



Questions

- De quoi s’agit-il?
- Que pensez-vous des opinions de Jean-Marc et de Marie-Pierre?
- Quel rôle est-ce que la télévision joue dans votre vie?
- Que pensez-vous de la qualité des émissions à la télé?
- A votre avis est-ce que nous avons trop de chaînes de télé?