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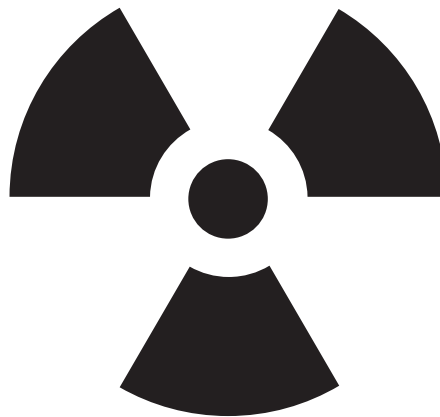
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KARTE A	
Topic	ENVIRONMENT
Sub-topic	Energy

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## Schluss mit Atomstrom?

### Meinung 1

Atomkraftwerke stellen ein zu hohes Risiko dar. Wir müssen auf Kernenergie verzichten und andere, sichere Energieformen benutzen.

### Meinung 2

Unser Energiebedarf wird auch in Zukunft weiter ansteigen. Strom aus Kernkraftwerken ist effizient und umweltfreundlich, deshalb brauchen wir Atomenergie auch in der Zukunft.



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<b>KARTE B</b>	
Topic	<b>THE MULTICULTURAL SOCIETY</b>
Sub-topic	<b>Immigration</b>

- Look at the card and read the two opinions in the speech bubbles.
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## Offene Tür für Einwanderer?

### Meinung 1

Immigranten sind fast immer eine Belastung für unser Land. Zu viele Ausländer wohnen jetzt bei uns und weitere Zuwanderung muss gestoppt werden.

### Meinung 2

Zuwanderung aus anderen Ländern ist für unsere Gesellschaft in vieler Hinsicht vorteilhaft. Immigranten sind uns auch in Zukunft willkommen.



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KARTE C	
Topic	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL ISSUES
Sub-topic	Law and order

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## Der überwachte Bürger

### Meinung 1

Überwachungskameras sind eine wichtige Hilfe bei der Bekämpfung der Kriminalität. Sie geben uns ein Gefühl der Sicherheit.

### Meinung 2

Es gibt viel zu viele Überwachungskameras. Wir haben als Bürger das Recht, nicht immer und überall beobachtet zu werden.



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KARTE D	
Topic	<b>ENVIRONMENT</b>
Sub-topic	<b>Pollution</b>

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## Billig fliegen oder nicht?

### Meinung 1

Flugzeuge schaden der Umwelt, deshalb muss der Flugverkehr stark reduziert werden. Vor allem sollte es keine Billigflüge mehr geben.

### Meinung 2

Billige Flugreisen sind für viele Menschen von großem Nutzen. Umweltverschmutzung kommt nicht nur von Flugzeugen.





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<b>KARTE E</b>	
Topic	<b>THE MULTICULTURAL SOCIETY</b>
Sub-topic	<b>Integration</b>

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## Sprachkurse – Pflicht oder Wahl?

### Meinung 1

Erfolgreiche Integration ist nur möglich, wenn man die Sprache des Gastlandes spricht. Einwanderer ohne Sprachkenntnisse müssen deshalb gezwungen werden, einen Sprachkurs zu besuchen.

### Meinung 2

Natürlich sollen Immigranten die Möglichkeit haben, die Sprache des Gastlandes zu lernen. Die Teilnahme an Sprachkursen darf aber kein Zwang sein, sondern muss freiwillig geschehen.



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KARTE F	
Topic	CONTEMPORARY SOCIAL ISSUES
Sub-topic	Wealth and poverty

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## Unmoralische Ausbeutung oder ein Weg aus der Armut?

### Meinung 1

In asiatischen und afrikanischen Ländern arbeiten viele Menschen in Sweatshops unter inhumanen Bedingungen und für minimale Bezahlung. Produkte aus solcher Herstellung sollten wir nicht kaufen.

### Meinung 2

Arme Länder sind vom Export ihrer Waren in Industrieländer abhängig. Ein Boykott würde den Menschen dort sehr schaden.