

# TOPICS DISCUSSION

# DESERTS



## Student 'A'

- *Discuss the questions below with your partner.*

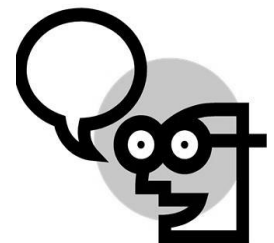
1. Are there any deserts in the country where you now live?
2. Have you ever visited a desert?
3. Do you think there will be more deserts in the future, or fewer deserts? Why?
4. Where does sand come from? What makes sand?
5. What kinds of animals live in deserts?
6. Which would you prefer: living in a very hot country – or in a very cold country? Why?
7. What stories (in books or movies) do you know about that happen in deserts?
8. What kinds of clothes are best to wear in a desert?
9. What are three good things about living in a desert?
10. Would you like to live in a desert? Why? / Why not?



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## Student 'B'

- *Discuss the questions below with your partner.*

1. Can you name any deserts in the world? Where are they?
2. Would you like to visit a desert? Why? / Why not?
3. Would you like to ride a camel? Why? / Why not?
4. What kinds of plants live in deserts?
5. Why are deserts so dry? Why doesn't it rain much in deserts?
6. Which would you prefer: living in a desert – or living in a jungle? Why?
7. What is the difference between a desert and a dessert?
8. How long can people survive (live) without water?
9. What are three bad things about living in a desert?
10. Would you like to live in a desert? Why? / Why not?