

Discussion Questions

Diplomacy

Student A

1. How interested are you in politics?
2. Would you like to be a diplomat?
3. Do you think countries still need embassies?
4. What purpose do they serve?
5. If you were a diplomat, which country would you like to work in?
6. What do you think is the most important political issue at the moment?
7. What do you think of the “politically correct” issue?
8. Are you always “politically correct?”
9. How many current world leaders can you name?
10. Which countries do you think are difficult to rule?

Student B

1. On a scale from 1 to 5, how diplomatic are you?
2. Name a few positive qualities of a world leader.
3. Why are so few women in politics?
4. Do you think people might pay more attention to female politicians than male ones?
5. Do you think people’s political views change over their lifetime?
6. Why do you think the media pays a lot of attention to politicians' personal lives?
7. In your opinion, how much should governments contribute to university education?
8. What can governments do about poverty?
9. What motivates a person to want to become a world leader?
10. Would you like to be the leader of your country?