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1. Describe a street market in your city.**Where is it****What can you buy there****What is it famous for****How you feel about it.**

In this fast-paced world where more and more people are turning to online shopping, open-air markets seem to have lost their popularity. But I come from a city in which such markets are still quite popular. Today, I am going to talk about a well-known bazaar that I love visiting.

Shastri street market is probably one of the most renowned market in my city and it is located in the heart of my city. This market covers more than 1500 shops where at least 10000 people work. Undoubtedly, it is an extremely big, noisy and busy place. You can find hawkers chanting for special discounts all the time.

There are several things to buy such as clothes, foot wears, cheap ornaments, watches, sunglasses, kids wear and fashion products. You can see customers haggling for the best price and shoppers trying their level best to convince customers to buy their products. This market is renowned for clothes. There are also a lot of food vendors in this market and one can eat a variety of snacks like burgers, sandwiches etc. The street food available in this market is really delicious. Although sometimes the food may be unhygienic. This market is also very popular amongst youngsters as they get the latest in fashion at very nominal rates.

I feel that it is a great place to shop at. Everyone is so friendly and welcoming there. Not only the products are of high quality but their prices are very reasonable too. There is plenty of space for people to walk and shop. This matters a lot in my country because some markets can be overcrowded at times, making it almost impossible to move. All the vendors and shopkeepers are very nice and provide goods at reasonable prices. Although very busy, the market has a very nice atmosphere, and I find it a good experience to go there and buy things.

Follow-ups**1. Do you like shopping online or going out for shopping?**

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Well, I am not very fond of online shopping. And the reason behind this is my poor experience. Most of the products which I bought through the internet were defective and duplicate. My credit card information was also misused. So, I always prefer traditional shopping over the internet.

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I love to shop on the internet because online shopping offers many advantages over traditional shopping. First and foremost, some online stores have amazing collections for every age group. Secondly, we can buy anything through the net without going to crowded marketplaces and it's a hassle free process. Thirdly, return policies have made it more attractive.

2. What is the difference between shopping with friends and shopping alone?

It's fun to go shopping with friends. I can ask her/him opinion because She/he knows what suits me but When I go alone, there's no one to chat with and I have to do everything yourself.

3. What are the disadvantages of shopping in a big mall?

One of the primary disadvantages of shopping centers includes over crowd, particularly on ends of the week and occasions. The corridors and crowded stores make shopping very difficult; people often end up forgetting the items they need to buy. Older people with mobility problems may have difficulty passing through the shopping center, due to the breadth of the place. Parking can also be a problem when the mall is very busy.

4. Why people like to buy branded products?

Consumers want comfort, happiness, and satisfaction in their lives, and they get it in part through the products they buy. If the brands they use consistently deliver a positive experience, consumers form an opinion that the brand is trustworthy, which gives them peace of mind when buying. Moreover, Brands offer safety, reduce the risk of disappointment and also provide status.

5. In your opinion are big discounts real or just an advertisement?

Unfortunately, Fake discounts have been gaining momentum from year to year but on time of festivals there are huge discounts on electronic goods and these discounts are real.

2. Describe an argument two of your friends had.

When it happened?

What is was about?

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How it was solved?

How you felt about it?

Nowadays, arguments have become a common part of our daily life. There are several reasons when people argue with each other. Some arguments quite simple and which we usually do with our family members and friends. However, some are very hard to tackle. Here, I would like to talk about when two of my friends argued with each other. I remember It happened when we normally talked about a topic that people are not satisfied with their job and salary. Suddenly topic change into a debate and my two best friends started a hot debate on big salaries versus job satisfaction. Raman and Gagan are my close friends. Raman said that high remuneration is more significant than contentment at the workplace but Gagan had the opposite viewpoint. Both had their own opinion regarding this issue.

As one was saying having a hefty pay scale helps a person to stay delighted. People can easily fulfill their desires. Conversely, when an individual does not have high remuneration, they often feel dissatisfied and distressed which leads to diseases such as depression and heart ailments.

While other was in favor of Job satisfaction plays a very important role in an individual life, when people are happy with their work, they work efficiently and without any force. The atmosphere at the workplace becomes very pleasant, as well as, they achieve their goal with a high success rate since they are in the area of their interest. Both did not agree with each other viewpoints. In fact, they started a strong argument with each other.

But When I told them both factors are important for the survival of humankind. Then they listened to me and understood the matter. So this was an argument between two of my friends.

Follow-ups

1. Do you think arguments are important?

yes, it is important to keep in mind that conflict and arguing can be very beneficial to the health of friendships and romantic relationships. Arguments are crucial in everyone's life because when we argue we learn about what others think.

2. What do family members generally argue about?

Of course, there are numerous reasons why families argue with each other. Firstly, family financial conflict is top of the list, If members of a family feel they have been treated unfairly or not given their fair share. Secondly, Families often argue about topics related to major and even minor events, on issues such as: who is on (and who is left out of) the invite list, who is paying for what, which dates work for everyone, the location of the event, and so on.

3. Is it easier for you to have arguments with your friends or family members?

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Having an argument with a family member is a normal part of life that is bound to happen even in the healthiest of families. Even though it's normal, you may still experience negative feelings such as sadness, hurt, anger, and frustration. On the other hand, sometimes fights are easy to move on from and they can make your friendship stronger and closer.

4. If two people argue, do you think a third person should be involved in the settlement?

Yes, third person involvement is necessary when two-person argued with each other because the third person can easily solve the issue. According to me, sometimes the third person's involvement can bring a quick solution, otherwise, arguments can go on for days.

5. Why do you think people are stubborn and unwilling to change?

One is stubborn mostly because of strong ego and ignorance and not being flexible in one's attitude, not being ready to listen to alternative solutions and he thinks that only he knows what's good (best) for him. For example, when a person feels no one can understand his perspective, and thus no point in explaining it to others.

6. Do you think you are stubborn?

I'm extremely stubborn for example, When I talk to people, and I think they're wrong for example, I try to understand why they think that way and try to convey the message in a way that works with their internal workings. I criticize them with their own views and talk about actions and consequences in that sense.

7. Will you be willing to change?

yes, I want to change myself because I know that a soft-skill person can easily win the heart of other people. I know it would take time but it's not impossible.

3. Describe a natural talent you want to improve.

What it is?

When you discovered it?

How you want to improve it?

And how you feel about it?

In this modern era, Some people have quite unique talents which are difficult to imagine. Well, there are plenty of natural skills that I would love to improve such as Dancing, singing, sports, and many more. I would like to talk about the one skill that is really important for me. It is music that I want to improve at any cost as it is most important for my future goals and career.

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If my memory serves me right, I discovered it when I was in my 10th standard. There was a school competition in my school and my mentor write down my name for the music competition but I did not agree with her. She forced and told me your voice is so melodious and then I said yes. I got participated and I got the first position in a singing competition. So, that time I came to know about my talent.

I want to join music classes to improve my singing because I want to sing at an international level. I want to be perfect in this field. I burn my midnight fuel and will do a lot of practice. Even I set a goal I will practice for at least 1 hour. I will give my 100 percent to become a good singer. In addition to this, you know that nowadays, numerous singing platforms where people can show their hidden talent, and I want to become a part of these shows. I will continue singing at a professional level and I want to earn name and fame through this talent.

Moreover, It also works as a stress-buster activity and I feel energetic whenever I do singing. I forget all the worries while I singing. I really feel singing is a great activity to learn.

Follow-ups

1. Do you think artists with talents should focus on their talents?

Definitely yes, artists should focus on their talents because if they do this they will become more famous and earn name and fame with their talent. Even they will achieve more success in their life.

2. Is it possible for us to know the children who are 3 or 4 years old will become musicians or painters when they grow up?

According to me, children at the age of 3 or 4 are very curious and show their interest in almost everything as they are discovering the world around them. I do not think it is possible to predict what a child will grow up to be in the future at such a young age. It would be very difficult to identify that they will become an artist in the future or not.

3. Do you think parents feel guilty for putting too much pressure on their children?

I believe parents do not feel much guilty for putting their children under pressure because they want the best for their children, which can lead to them pressuring them to do well in their studies. It is well-meant, but it can lead to a student having low self-esteem, panic attacks, or even depression.

4. Why people like to watch talent shows?

Nowadays, more and more people are deal with a hectic schedule and they want peace of mind. So, that's why they prefer to watch talent shows because these shows provide full entertainment to them. Moreover, numerous individuals are fond of talent shows then they love to spend their time on favorite talent shows.

5. Do you think it is more interesting to watch famous people's or ordinary people's show?

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Actually, I believe that renowned people are more fascinating as compared to common masses because famous people are well experienced and have more talent. From well-known people, we get to know the story behind their struggles, hard work, and how they became famous.

4. Describe a law on environmental protection.

What it is?

How do you know this law?

Who benefits from it?

And explain how you feel about this law.

Nowadays, environmental issues are rising day by day at an alarming rate and it has become a huge concern worldwide. Different laws are imposed by the government for the well-being of society. There is already a multitude of laws such as a ban on smoking in public places, wearing a helmet while riding a two-wheeler, and cutting trees. Here, I am going to talk about a law against deforestation.

I came to know about this law from the internet when I was surfing on the internet. Then I read human activities are first and only the cause of environmental pollution of any form.

This law is not only beneficial for people but also good for other creatures. There is no denying fact that the cutting of trees and forests has adversely affected our surroundings. The most known consequence of deforestation is its threat to biodiversity. From mammals to birds, insects, plants, the forest is home to many rare and fragile species. 80% of the Earth's land animals and plants live in forests.

Due to deforestation, numerous animal species are on the endangered list because trees also feed animals with their fruits while providing them with the food and shelter they need to survive.

Moreover, due to the lack of trees, pollution has increased considerably, as trees provide shade and colder temperatures for animals and smaller trees or vegetation which may not survive with the heat of direct sunlight. To tackle these issues, a ban on cutting trees is a wise idea.

However, there are some people who do not obey the rules which is not a good thing so authorities need to put more restrictions. Government should impose heavy penalties for those people who do not obey this rule.

Follow-ups

1. Do you think this law is acceptable to the people?

Yes, I think many people obey this law but there are few reckless people who do not accept this law. According to me, every person must accept this law because it is fruitful for them.

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2. Is there any situation when people disobey the law?

Yes, there are some circumstances when masses disobey the rules. For example, sometimes it is acceptable to break the law when doing so provides for the safety or welfare of self or others.

3. Do people like being a police officer in your country?

Yes, In my country people love to do police jobs because they want to serve the nation. Moreover, Some people do this job because according to them this is a rewarding job.

4. What qualities should a police officer possess?

There are multifarious qualities a police officer should have. Some of the most important qualities that a police officer must possess include, he should be physically fit, critical thinking, problem-solving skills, communication skills, Interpersonal skills, Strong moral character and devotion to community.

5. Why some people prefer to be lawyer?

I think the profession of lawyer is regarded as well paid, and they want to earn a lot of money. In addition to this, some people have keenly interested in this field. some people want to be lawyer to help other people.

6. Should people be penalized when they use mobile phones while driving?

Yes because, Using a mobile phone while driving is very dangerous. Physically holding a handset removes one hand from the controls, making accidents more likely, while dialing is even worse, as it also requires the user to divert their attention away from the road.

5. Describe a town or city where you would like to live in the future?

Where is it?

How do you know about this city?

What it is famous for?

Why you would like to live there?

I originally from India and currently I live in a countryside area. My hometown isI have been living there since my birth. I want to migrate to the renowned city Chandigarh in the future because of the popularity and number of amenities available in the developed cities.

I know about this city from one of my close friends. she lives there for many years. Also, I gained a lot of information about this city from the internet about this city then I come to know that this clean and green city.

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This city is well-known for various things. Firstly, Chandigarh has emerged as the cleanest city in India and it tops Indian states and union territories with the highest per capita income.

secondly, famous for its greenery, civilized people, and soothing atmosphere. Unlike other cities, there is less traffic on roads as the Chandigarh police are very strict about rules, and there is very little pollution. Chandigarh is a tri-city comprising of Panchkula, Mohali, and Chandigarh.

Thirdly, The city is also not very populated. Punjabi food is very famous in Chandigarh. It's well known worldwide that Punjabis are very fond of eating.

Furthermore, there are many places in Chandigarh that add to the beauty of the city. The very famous rock garden made by Nek Chand is the most creative place to visit and see. Nek Chand Ji has turned waste materials into the most beautiful, most amazing art. Sukhna Lake is another famous attraction for many people. Boating in the middle of the lake makes you feel so soothing.

One of the main reasons why I want to live in Chandigarh, there are a lot of job opportunities where I can get the opportunity to work in a multinational company. In this high-paced life, everyone wants to live in a safe and harmonious place for peace of mind that's why I also want to live in this appealing place.

Follow-ups

1. Why do more and more people live in the city?

Three of the top reasons are jobs, education, and lifestyle. Firstly, Where there are more people, there are more jobs. This is the main reason so many people live in big cities. All major and affluent colleges/universities are located in or near a big city. Thirdly, Many individuals live in cities for a convenient life.

2. What are some factors that attract people to settle down in certain places?

There are several factors that affecting people's choice to settle down in another places. Large cities are the places where various educational institutions are established. Moreover, more job opportunities attract the people towards the cities. Some people migrate to another cities to enjoy the facilities available over there and to secure their children's future.

3. What is the difference between the young and old when choosing where to live?

Youngsters prefer to live in big cities because Cities provide so many opportunities for the youths, such as career growth, personal development, and recreation. Youths are full of energy and are eager to accomplish things. Major cities have entertainment hubs, shopping malls, and modern transport systems. On the other hand, most seniors feel an irresistible need to stay connected to their roots. They seek peace and serenity. Rural areas are less polluted than cities, so that's why they prefer countryside areas

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6. Describe a puzzle (jigsaw, crossword, etc) you have played.

What it is like?

How easy or difficult it is?

How long it takes you to solve it?

And how you feel about it?

Solving puzzles is one of the challenging mental activities. Some masses have an ardent habit of playing puzzles. There are different genres of puzzles, such as crossword puzzles, word-search puzzles, number puzzles, relational puzzles, and logic puzzles. I would like to elaborate on one of my favorite puzzle games, word puzzle, Which I began playing in my childhood.

It is a word game that consists of the letters of words placed in a grid, which usually has a rectangular or square shape. The objective of this puzzle is to find and mark all the words hidden inside the box.

It's a mind-challenging game, it should be able to think deeply in order to create some of the words. It is a great game, which helps me boost my vocabulary skills. I learn new words and I love the variety of words used. It is tough to find words quickly as you go ahead, but those words are actually common.

Nowadays, I don't have enough time to play this puzzle but, in my childhood, it was very challenging and after spending 30 minutes on it I was not completely done. It took me about 1 hour to solve it. In those days and I had solved it with great enthusiasm to see my interest developing my father bought me a word puzzle book with hundreds of puzzles that my sister and I used to solve every evening.

This game forced us to use our brain more and more and unlike other puzzles, a person never gets bored of playing this game.

I would say, that is advantageous for every individual to engage themselves in one sort of puzzle game or other to enhance their mental sharpness and to rejuvenate themselves mentally.

In fact, other than kids, puzzles have been known to be beneficial to just about any group of people regardless of age, status in life, gender, or nationality.

Follow-ups

1. Why do parents let their children play puzzles?

Parents want their children mentally and physically strong because, with the help of puzzles, children learn physical skills, cognitive skills, and emotional skills. Moreover, puzzles keep their minds active and working and beneficial for their overall development.

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2. What kind of puzzles improve people's intelligence?

In the present scenario, there are several kinds of puzzles available which enhance all age groups' intelligence. Most popular puzzles among kids' crosswords, jigsaw, and Sudoku. These all games are very beneficial for child development.

3. Why are detective stories attractive to people?

I think detective stories are so popular because it enables people to use their imagination and solve the mystery. Humans have the natural drive to solve problems and detective movies let them do that.

4. Which do you think is better? A detective movie or its original novel?

I think original novels are much better. Novels don't have any time limitations and have more depth. On the other hand, movies need to capture the entire novel in a few hours and some important parts get left out. Also, novels are mentally stimulating and engage the imagination more than movies.

7. Describe a live sports match that you have watched.

What is was?

when you watched it?

What it was like?

And how you felt about it?

Nowadays, there has been a positive trend that sport has gained popularity in society. It is true that playing sports will bring many health and physical benefits. Here, I am going to talk about when I watched a live cricket match.

I never saw a live match before but last year I hardly got a chance. A match was played between our locality boys and other locality boys. It was the first match and it was a cricket match. It was played in our locality ground. To be honest, I am a die-hard fan of cricket.

Before taking our seats, we took some drinks and popcorn. Fortunately, we got seats in first-line and I looked closely at all my favorite players.

Match started at 10 am and both the teams came then the toss was done and won by our locality boys. The crowd was full of excitement and hooting for their favorite's teams. They gave a marvelous start, on the first ball they made 6 runs by sixer. Gradually match became interesting and in 50 overs they got 180 runs. The fielding was not quick and it was a blessing for us. But the climax came, other teams came, they were good at batting. Moreover, our locality boys were popular for spin bowling. In 50 overs, they could get only 130 runs.

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Our locality boys won by 50 runs. It was an awesome match. They got a trophy and 5000 cash prizes. This match gave name and fame to our locality. It was a great victory.

It was quite entertaining and valuable for me. As the players were remarkably skillful, I was able to learn a lot from them to improve my own skills. In fact, it is the most unforgettable match that I have ever-lively watched. I will definitely watch another match in the near future.

Follow-ups

1. Do you prefer to watch live sports or watch it on TV?

Some people prefer to stay home watching the event on televisions while others like to feel the excitement of watching an event live. In my opinion, watching a favorite sport on television is more convenient and economical than watching it in the stadium. whereas on television, I can watch a number of action replays.

2. Why do some people like to watch live sports?

People feel excited when they watch a live sporting event. For instance, watching other supporters in the stadium cheering their teams makes the experience all the more exciting. It makes people feel as if they themselves were playing the game.

3. What kind of sports do Indian people like to watch?

There are several kinds of sports that are popular in India. Indian people love to watch various sports like hockey, football but Cricket is by far the most popular sport in India. It is almost treated as a religion. Cricketers are the biggest superstars in India. This game is not only popular in India but also popular all over the world.

4. Do you think competition is good for students?

Competition is not only good for the kids, competition is essential to growth and survival at all levels of life, ever since there has been life. Competition leads to new, better ideas, resulting in better distribution of better resources to more people. Moreover, A sense of competition clearly provokes children to do more effort, thus it hones their skills and intellect.

8. Describe an article on health you read in magazine or on the internet.

What it was?

Where you read it?

When you read it?

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And how you felt about it?

Well, I am an avid reader. I enjoy reading the newspaper and articles on different topics. Here I would talk about a health article which I have read recently on the Internet.

Actually, last Sunday I was inspecting Facebook to discover new posts from my friends. So, on that day, I came across a link to a health-related article. The title of the article was "Health is wealth".

The author mentioned various things about health. He explained that nowadays people tend to eat fast food rather than cooking fresh meals at home. Unlike living conditions have increased the contraction of people to various diseases like obesity, diabetes, heart attacks, hypertension, etc. Due to technological advancements, people have exchanged the available time for exercise with browsing the internet, watching television, and checking their accounts on social media websites. They also prefer to drive than to walk, use washing machines than clean their clothes manually.

The writer also recommended some remedies for a healthy lifestyle. Firstly, a balanced diet is one of the best ways to stay healthy. It includes proteins, vitamins, and minerals in equal proportion. So, this diet has multifarious benefits and it also maintains the body weight. Secondly, a good walk can reduce the cholesterol level and it increases the efficiency of heart and lungs as well as reduces blood pressure. Thirdly, unlike a machine, the body needs rest at regular intervals. A minimum of six to seven hours of sleep is necessary for the body to function optimally.

After reading the whole article, I realized that health is wealth because if we are not healthy then all our wealth, fame and power can bring no enjoyment. Keeping fit and healthy is indeed not an option but a necessity.

Follow-ups

1. Why is it that different people want to see different magazines?

Different people like to read different magazines because their interests are different. Those who love sports read sports magazines, such as Sports Today; those who like fashion, read fashion magazines, such as Vogue; those interested in film celebrities, read magazines like Stardust and Film Fare. But two types of magazines are more popular in India such as sports and fashion.

2. What type of magazines do teens prefer to read?

I guess boys like to read sports magazines because I think teenagers are big fans of cricket. On the other hand, Girls mostly prefer to read fashion-related magazines and stories of famous celebrities.

3. What is the distinction between information on TV and information in magazines?

The amount of content and how sensitive they can make these are two major differences. However, over the broadcast on TV people may miss certain details. One big advantage of TV is that you remained updated within every minute but magazines provide the last 15 days of information.

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4. Do people like to read news from the internet?

Absolutely, people prefer to use the internet for reading news online especially through their mobile applications. They are already using the internet to a much larger extent than they check for weather updates, news updates, and watch talk shows online on their computers or mobiles.

5. Do people still buy magazines in your country?

Yes, People still buy magazines to access information that is specifically tailored for their interests, class, or age group. They also read magazines because they contain the fine details of an event, a personality, or phenomenon.

6. Do you think people today are healthier than those in the past?

According to my opinion, the old generation was more healthy but going by the statistics the longevity of human beings has increased multi fold in the last generations as there was less pollution, stress, lifestyle related diseases. But people used to die for want of treatments, medicines which weren't available for many diseases in the earlier days. Thanks to modern medicine the life of humans is increasing but can't say anything about the quality of life.

9. Describe a plan in your life that is not related to your work or study

What is about?

Why you made this plan?

What you need to do first?

And explain how you feel it is successful?

I am a very organized person, so every day I make plans related to my study or work. Here I would like to talk about a plan that is not related to my study or work. I want to travel in the future. I want to visit other countries of the world and gain first-hand knowledge and experience. required. Other places will give me an opportunity to take a break from the mundane routine and to find some peace in the hectic life.

Well, I am a passionate traveler and love to explore new places. Honestly, I have this plan for a very long and this plan was hidden in my mind since my childhood. Gradually, the plan started spreading its wings in the mind. And now I dream to travel across the world.

To meet my desire, I would need some specific things. The most important point about traveling is time. I need to manage enough time to spend out of my country. In fact, people cannot move out of their own states owing to time deficiency. Secondly, I would need a sufficient amount of money. Without a complete budget and arranging the

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money, it would be insane to move out to see the world around. Traveling with a companion is better and has some positive impacts. Hence, I also may need a companion for me.

In reality, it would be hard for me to fulfill the plan. There would be lots of obstacles and I would have to face and resolve them in order to fulfill the plan I have. Determination and goodwill along with prudent decisions would be required. But I will try my best to organize everything.

Follow-ups

1. Do you think it is important for a person to have a career plan?

A career plan is important as it can help people to manage the direction of their career, the job skills and knowledge they may need, how they get them, and how they can secure their dream job. Developing a career plan can make major objectives that seem impossible become much more manageable.

2. How do most people plan their future education and their future career?

Most of the masses get advice from their elders regarding their further study and future career because they think elders have more experience and they suggest them a right path, which is beneficial for their future.

3. Do you think it's important to include the factor of one's salary in a career plan?

Yes, salary is the most important thing in everyone's job. It is important to live in this competitive world, where things are very expensive, and it will help to fulfill the needs and live a luxurious life. One does not choose a career that is not well paid.

4. Do you think planning is important or is it a waste of time?

Planning is a sort of timetable. We know time table and schedule have a lot of importance in our lives and both are key parts of planning. If we have no plans about life then definitely our life is useless. So, planning is very crucial for everyone. According to my thinking if someone has no plans then definitely have no future.

5. Should parents set goals for their children?

I am not sure setting goals for children is right but I think parents should direct children to set their goals. Moreover, parents and children should discuss the goals together so the parent knows what activities to expose the child to that would allow them to learn more about their goal.

6. When do young children start to set goals for themselves?

It depends on the child and his/her parent's roles. Some start very young like learning to tie their shoes, learning to feed themselves. In addition to this, parents should help them to set goals. They will learn a sense of accomplishment when they will achieve their goals. It motivates them to do better.

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when and where it was?

why you were not allowed to use your phone?

How you felt about it?

In this day and time life without smartphones is unimaginable as all are very much attached to their phones that these have become an extension of all. But, today, I would like to talk about a time when I was not allowed to use my mobile phone.

It was about a couple of years ago, It was a time when I went to give my competitive exam. Due to the traffic problem, I reached the center just on time and I went to the class directly and sat according to the roll no. Without reading instructions. When I reached there, the teacher had gone somewhere. She got back to the class after 5 min. With question papers.

she asked the class that isn't there anyone who has a mobile? Suddenly after hearing this question, I told to the teacher that I have a mobile. The teacher became a little bit angry because taking off the mobile outside from the class was given in instruction paper. I felt ashamed and handed the mobile to the teacher.

I felt so odd to haven't had my mobile with me. I became sad after knowing that I have to keep my mobile far from me till the exam ends which took a time of 3 hours. It was so difficult for me to spend this huge time without a mobile.

I completed my exam within 2 hours then I asked the teacher about my cell phone but she told me you will get your mobile phone after the exam. I needed my mobile because I wanted to tell the location of the exam center to my parents But the exam rules were so strict so I couldn't do anything. These 3 hours seemed like more than a century for me. I spent 3 hours sadly and got my mobile. Then I called my parents and realize that living without a mobile phone does not remain possible nowadays.

So this was the situation when I was not allowed to use my cell phone.

Follow-ups**1. What is the impact of cell phone?**

Nowadays, the mobile phone plays a major role in our lives, which brings many benefits to us but also contains some drawbacks. Mobiles have drastically improved communication. Now we can connect to anyone around the world very easily and in just a few seconds. However, on the other hand, with the increasing use of mobiles, people have become more digital and less social.

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2. What is the smartphone used the most for?

The most common use of a smartphone is for messaging, and people do this for both business and leisure purposes. phone calls are not common these days, and instead, people tend to prefer sending messages to people. Of course, web browsing is another primary use of a modern-day smartphone and this can serve many purposes, such as online shopping, reading the news, looking up facts while having a conversation, and research for work or study.

3. What is your opinion about selfies?

I think selfies are among the greatest trends of our age. People today are not camera-shy, and with the debut of front-facing cameras on smartphones, they're taking selfies for each event and at each place they visit.

11. Describe a piece of local news that people are interested in cue card

What it was about

Where you saw/heard it

Who was involved

And explain why people were interested in it

News has always played an important role in people's lives and it is not surprising. I would like to talk about a piece of interesting and captivating local news that I read in a newspaper. It would be more than 2 years ago, I assume, when I read this news in a local newspaper called 'The Tribune'.

the local administration announced that a sports complex would come up in our area soon. This initiative was a joint effort of local administration and sports companies. The administration is doing it for the welfare of local people. People were joyful after knowing about this development

The reason for their joy was that our area has everything like a shopping mall, a railway station, a sophisticated public transport system. Apart from this for education, there are renowned schools, colleges, and universities. And for entertainment, we have a multiplex and an amusement park. But despite these facilities, people were unhappy.

The reason for their resentment was that there is no good place for children and youngsters to play. Moreover, for the elderly population, there is less space to do the walk. So, this news came out as a blessing for all the residents. Because a sports complex would create a positive environment in the town. First of all, it would produce sports talent. My town has a large number of talented sportspersons. But in the absence of facilities, they are unable to do

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justice to their talent. Therefore, this new sports complex would help them to train in a better way. Furthermore, the older generation would get a place to meet their friends. So, is the piece of local news that I found interesting.

Follow-ups

1. Do people read the newspaper where you live?

In my city, especially elders reading newspapers everyday morning and this habit is now part of their routines. But if I talk about in today's contemporary era most of the news is taken by people via the internet but still, some people love to read newspapers.

2. Do people prefer local or international news?

People love to read international and domestic news as they are always keen on keeping up to date with events wherever they are. They keep up with international news as they have many friends and family living in different countries around the world and they travel frequently. They read domestic news for obvious reasons to keep abreast of what is happening locally and how that might affect them or people they know.

3. Do you think it's important to have a national identity?

Yes, national identity is of huge importance. Because it motivates people to know about the nation they live in and work towards the upliftment of their nation. Moreover, for nations that have turned independent, it prompts the individuals to gain knowledge regarding the contributions made by their forefathers, and it educates them to work with those values.

4. How can people develop their national identity?

As per my opinion, there are numerous methods through which individuals could nurture their national identity. Firstly, they should wear traditional attires of their country. Apart from this, wherever possible, they must hoist the flag of their nation.

12. Describe a tall building in your city you like or dislike.

Where it is?

What it looks like?

And explain why you like or dislike it?

Well, I have seen countless buildings with unique designs contemporary as well as conventional but here I would like to talk about an amazing and delightful building that I saw recently. And the building is North country mall which is in Mohali.

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The architectural design of the building is fascinating. The outer of the entire building is made of glass. The sunlight reflection on the building is wonderful. The tower-like shape is able to arrest attention from everyone while the central heating control system provides comfort to the visitors.

The building is a shopping mall, and this is the largest one in the surrounding area. A wide number of shops are available there. The lower levels have all the major brands, where people can enjoy their shopping just under one roof and buy anything they want like Clothes, Foot wears to any other Household items, and on the upper levels there are Cinemas, Food Courts and many more for the Entertainment of the visitors, and to access these all-different levels, there are lots of escalators as well as elevators, so that people could comfortably access different floors, not of this building. The collection of local and imported products will equally astonish visitors and shop lovers.

Well, I like the building for its stunning outlook and facilities. But it hurts me to think that a large portion of the natural environment was damaged during the construction of this large building. So I have mixed feelings about this building. I love it for its look and facilities but I also hate it for the fact that a large portion of the natural environment was damaged to construct it.

Follow-ups

1. What are the advantages and disadvantages of living in tall buildings?

I think the main advantage of living in sky-scraper buildings is that these are much more convenient for residents to live which offers a wide range of goods and services. On the other hand, high-rise building gives some of problems associated with security and safety of citizens. Not only this, the condition of a high building can be also highly dangerous, especially in areas prone to earthquakes.

2. Do you think there will be more tall buildings in the future?

I think in the future it would be a luxury to live in single-storey or double storey houses and tall buildings would be common place because population of human around the world is increasing significantly and this trend predicted will continue for several years later. As a consequence, there will high demand to the world for constructing high-rise building in order to meet the needs of the citizens for shelter and workplace.

3. Why aren't there many tall buildings in the countryside?

The prominent reason is the availability of land. As there is a lot of vacant land available in countryside regions so there is no need of tall buildings. Moreover, people in the countryside love to live in big or open dwellings rather than apartments. These kinds of houses offer a very safe and secure environment for residents.

4. Why do some people like to live in tall buildings nowadays?

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In this contemporary era, inflation is rising day by day due to this phenomenon many masses prefer to live in tall buildings because these skyscraper buildings are available at reasonable prices as compared to single story houses. Moreover, tall buildings offer certain rest from the noise from the streets below.

13. Describe an occasion when many people were smiling.

When it happened?

Who you were with?

What happened?

And explain why many people were smiling?

Due to our busy and modern lifestyle, it is indeed rare to have time and laughter together with friends and family. We cannot manage enough time for ourselves due to the hefty schedule we follow. It was about a couple of years ago when one of my cousins was getting married.

All of our family members, friends, relatives, and many other distinguished guests had come to attend the marriage ceremony. It was also attended by a number of little children. However, having the most fun at that marriage ceremony was a "gang of children" who seemed to be "fearless".

Immediately after arriving at my cousin's place, they made sure that they were announcing their "loud presence" everywhere by opening the "gift boxes", playing with the flowers of wedding decoration, and running to the kitchen, among many other things. Sometimes, they could also be seen "posing" for pictures to the wedding photographer.

Anyway, after finishing the formal activities of the wedding ceremony and enjoying the delicious food, there finally came time for watching wedding videos. And, the videos were being played on a big screen through the use of a projector so that everybody was able to enjoy them.

The guests got busy watching the videos and enjoying some light snacks also at the same time. Then, suddenly, everybody burst into laughter, and it had continued for about a minute. By the way, I think, it was one of the most natural and "contagious" laughter, I had ever heard in my life.

Every smile is having its own agenda behind the smile. So, this was the occasion when I saw most of the people keep a smile on their faces.

Follow-ups

1. Why do people smile?

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People have a plethora of reasons for smiling like some people smile when they think about their old memories. Sometimes they pass a casual smile in their professional place and sometimes smile while watching comedy shows.

2. When do people smile?

People usually smile when they attend an occasion; they keep a smile on their faces. Moreover, there is another number of situations when people smile such as when masses get to hear a bit of good news, they receive a 'Thank you from someone and they love to eat is prepared by their mother/spouse/ friend.

3. What's the difference between a fake smile and a genuine smile?

When people do a fake smile, they do not feel exactly what they pretend inside out. On the other hand, a genuine smile is when a person actually wants to smile in front of anyone.

4. Why do people smile when they take photos?

People usually smile when they take pictures. There is the reason behind that when they saw that picture in the near future that can remember those moments in a good mood.

5. Who smiles more, men or women?

According to my opinion, it depends upon person to person. Some people love to laugh, and some people are sophisticate, so they usually smile less.

6. Do you think people should control their moods?

In my opinion, people should express their mood in front of everyone so that they can show their real side in front of everyone. People should not try too hard to control their emotions. If people control their emotions all the time or most of the time, they will become like a robot). If they do not show their emotion, no one wants to be a friend of someone who has no emotion.

14. Describe a time you saw something interesting on social media

When it was

Where you saw it

What you saw

And explain why you think it was interesting

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Social media is a tool that is becoming quite popular these days because of its user-friendly features. Social media platforms like Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and more are giving people a chance to connect with each other across distances.

Last year I watched an interesting video on a social networking website by the name of Instagram. The video was about a balanced diet is "the key" to maintaining a healthy lifestyle.

According to the presenter of the video, having a balanced diet means eating a wide variety of foods in the right proportions, and consuming the right amount of food and drink to achieve and maintain healthy body weight.

I saw that he mainly focused on a healthy lifestyle. He said that a combination of a sober and prudent living style with the soundness of body and mind. Both physical and psychological well-being is important in order to have a healthy lifestyle. Moreover,

Obesity, for instance, is rare among people who have good eating habits.

In this video he showed that, Scientific research has proven that more than 30 percent of health-related complexities could be avoided by having a good eating habit. This was what made their video more fascinated to me.

At the end of the video, he explained the importance of life. He said that there is no doubt, the modern era is highly competitive and we are so busy these days than the past generations. However, this does not mean that we should not be aware of our health. We have got only one chance to live and some easy-to-follow rules like following a balanced diet, regular exercise, maintaining personal hygiene, etc. can make a huge difference. After watching this video, I started regular exercise and I shared the link with my friends.

Follow-ups

1. Why do people like to use social media?

As per my opinion, the primary reason why individuals use the services of social media is to remain in contact with their near and dear ones. The other prominent reason is to keep themselves updated with the current news and happenings across the globe. Apart from this, social media is a reliable medium to spend leisure time.

2. What kind of things are popular on social media?

Numerous things are famous on social media. However, the most prominent activity is to upload photographs and videos. Moreover, individuals update the current news and happenings they find worthwhile to share. These days, corporates too have realized the importance of using the services of social media. They advertise their products and services to improve brand awareness.

3. What are the advantages and disadvantages of using social media?

The primary plus point of utilizing the services of social media is that through it, it is comfortable to find information, give details, and converse. Moreover, it allows us to widen our friend circle and remain in touch with our near and

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dear ones in an easy manner. On the contrary, the major pitfall is that our privacy gets compromised, and we often get fake information.

4. What do you think about making friends on social networking sites?

Making friends through the medium of social media is not at all a worthwhile proposition because it's extremely comfortable for individuals to create a fake identity on this platform.

15. Describe an art or craft activity that you had at school.

What you made?

How you made it?

What it looked like?

And how felt about the activity?

School days were fun and I miss those days very much. However, there was another thing, that I really liked about my elementary school, which was the periodic art and craft activities. Today, I would like to describe one such activity that I did as a young elementary school student. There was a school competition in my school and our teacher asked us to make thread painting during the weekend.

Since I'd never made a thread painting before, I'd thought it would be a tough task. But it turned out that with the help of my mother, making a painting was actually just a piece of cake.

Well, to be frank, my memory fails me and I cannot recall the exact date when I attended the craft activity but I am sure it must be at the high school. I made a thread painting with the help of a needle and wool and it was on a cloth. I bought everything ready-made from the market. On the piece of cloth, I traced all the village scenes. On the one side, there was a well, ladies were getting water from it. On the other side, farmers were doing work in the field.

It seemed to be arduous work as it took 4 to 5 days to finish it but finally, it turned out to be quite rewarding. I got first prize and Our hard work paid off. And my teacher was also very satisfied with my work and praised me. I felt that this kind of art and craft ideas encouraged me to use the imagination to create my own entertainment.

Follow-ups

1. What kinds of traditional handicrafts are there in your country?

India is a diverse country. There are many traditional products in India. We have earthen pots, ceramic pottery of Jaipur, puppets of Rajasthan, phulkari embroidery of Punjab, hand-knotted carpets of Srinagar, and many more.

2. What are the benefits of making handicrafts?

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Arts and crafts usually require kids to use both hands in a certain manner, which can help them develop fine motor skills and bilateral coordination. Moreover, it makes them more creative and productive as well as helps them develop other skills.

3. Why do some people think it is difficult to understand art?

Some people say so because art is interpreted differently by different people. Secondly, everyone has his or her own interests. Some may like classical music, whereas others may enjoy folk music. According to my opinion, different people have different interests so that's why some masses don't like art.

4. What can we do to make young people pay more attention to traditional art?

We can organize youth festivals on traditional art. When young people will compete in these, their interest will be aroused. In addition to this, teachers can also stimulate their interest by showing them such art through audio-visual aids.

5. Do you think it's important to cultivate an appreciation of art in children?

Yes, talking about art with children provides them with a forum for developing their literacy and communication skills. They develop their imagination and become more creative.

6. Do you think art should be included in school curriculums? Why?

All forms of art, including sketching or dancing, require and train the perseverance and focus of a child, making them absolutely essential in enhancing his or her cognitive development. Art and craft must be an integral part of a school's ethos whereby a lot of topics and concepts are learned through art forms.

16. Describe a company where you live that employs a lot of people.

What it does?

How many people it employs?

What kind of people work there?

How you feel about it?

I think big companies are the backbone for the economy of a city. There are diverse industries in my city, like manufacturing factories. I would like to tell you about a Textile Manufacturing Company it employs 4000 people as it has various departments like HR Department, account Department, Development Department, and product management Department.

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This textile industry is primarily concerned with the production of yarn, and cloth, as well as the subsequent design or manufacturing of clothing and their distribution. The raw materials, used in the company can be natural or synthetic, depending on the demands and requirements of the customers.

It has to employ this many employees it has a good work culture like they organize family outing award ceremony and sports events. Hence, it is always nice to work in such companies that is what their employees tell in the feedback I feel that this company should expand their services more and more to cater as many people as possible from the city they should also open branches of this company so that many people can join

I think they mostly hire people who are talented and productive I mean they don't the only lookout for the certificates or the examinations a candidate has passed they also look at the talents and skills the candidate is having one of my friends is currently working in that company.

He told me the other day that he was hired based on his willingness to learn and grow; he was not hired because of his experience or certificates, which stands this company apart from all other companies in the city, and I really feel proud about this company.

Follow-ups

1. Is it easy to find a job in India?

If you are talented and willing to work, it is not a tough job to find a job in India, but it also depends on your location. I mean in big cities there are more opportunities. Still, the candidate has to bear with higher rents. The cost of living is generally high in big cities in small cities; on the other hand, there are fewer opportunities, and the cost of living is comparatively low.

2. What should the government do if there is unemployment?

Well, government plays a huge role in improving the country's employment; if there is unemployment, the government can take many steps. Still, mainly the government should encourage youth to start their own business so that they can employ many people in their local town or city step by step putting these efforts youth feel confident about opening startups or starting a factory that will ultimately push the economy of the country.

3. Is high salary is important?

Yes, I think a high salary is important, but there is another perspective of looking at this question is job satisfaction. I think job satisfaction outweighs the advantages of a high salary because if one is following his passion and he's getting job satisfaction, then the high salary will ultimately follow.

4. Is it ok to do a job you like with a low salary?

As I mentioned earlier, following passion should be the main factor while choosing the job because when one follows the passion and he works sincerely, he will ultimately get all the monetary advantages.

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5. Are there many big companies in your country?

In various sectors, there are many huge companies in my country like; India is a fast-developing country. There are many Indian companies, which are very big such as Tata, Mahindra, Godrej, Reliance, Videocon, and so on., so I think there are many huge companies in my country.

6. How can a small company grow big?

I think that there are two main factors which affect the growth of the company; the first point is customer service if any company is serving the best to its customers, then it is the best thing second thing the company should also focus on nurturing its employees and employ skilled workers.

7. Should big companies be punished more seriously if they break the law?

No, because there is no denying this conviction that the law is equal for all, so whether a company is big or small, the same process of punishment should be followed but if they commit a mistake intentionally, they should be punished more.

17. Describe a quiet place you like to spend your time in.

Where it is?

How you knew it?

How often you go there?

What you do there?

And explain why you like the place?

It is important to spend time in quiet places in the fast-paced life of today. There are a few quiet places around us that we can visit for a few relaxing moments of peace. I would like to talk about a park where I go quite often and I find great comfort in the silence the spot has to offer.

The park is not far from my home. It is only a 10-minute walk from my home. It is well-known for its peaceful ambiance. Being a nature lover, every day I visit this garden.

Every morning I go for a morning walk in the garden and I also do some physical activities and as I am having an ardent habit of writing, the area somehow enhances my creativity to the point where thoughts flow freely and clearly in my mind. I really like going to this location with my writing pad all alone, and write whatever I feel like for hours on end.

I adore(love) the place for some specific reasons. The park is one of the most impressive sites in the state. The golf course is adorable and boating is another interesting activity here. Another reason is that this place makes me feel close to nature. While doing a walk over here, I feel as if I am in the lap of nature.

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Besides, the park contains some other amenities like clean and well-managed toilets, and the space for kids, etc. is also notable. A large number of trees are available in the park and anyone can take shelter under the tree shades with nice sitting arrangements.

I would recommend anyone from my area to have some quality and tranquil time in this park. There is a lot to explore and enjoy.

Follow-ups

1. Is it hard to find quiet places in cities?

It is very difficult to find quiet places in the fast-paced life of today because due to the population explosion these places converted into dwellings. Moreover, the number of vehicles on the roads has increased considerably. Therefore, finding a quiet place in urban areas is a herculean task.

2. Why is it quieter in the countryside?

The prominent reason is the availability of land. As there is a lot of vacant land available in the countryside as well as there is no pollution. Moreover, there is a lot of greenery and a lack of traffic due to these reasons' village life is more peaceful.

3. Why do people go to quiet places?

People like to spend time in quiet places because sometimes they want to be with themselves, then they go to temples or quiet places, and feel relieved of their stress.

4. Compared with young people, do old people prefer to live in quiet places?

Older people prefer peace and quiet 'because they cannot filter out distractions' Older people prefer peace and quiet because they love to spend more time in a serene environment as compared to youngsters.

5. Why do some people not like quiet places?

Some people especially youngsters do not like quiet places because they want fun and frolic all around them. They want activity and noise all around them. Therefore, they find it hard to spend time in a calm environment.

18. Describe a time when you helped a friend

When it was?

How you helped him/her?

Why you helped him/her?

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How did you feel about it?

Well, we all need help at some point in time in our lives. I also received help much time and help others too. When we help others, it makes us delightful and polite, also shows our behavior towards others. Today, I like to talk about a time when I helped my bosom friend. I remember an incident when I was in 10th standard. I helped my needy friend who was my class fellow.

I assisted her because she was too much worried that she would fail in English subject this time if she did not improve her performance. As a best friend, it was my duty to help her.

I started devoting two hours every day with her. While teaching her, I realized that she was hardworking. She used to put her 100 % in studies by learning with determination, dedication, and discipline. But her efforts were not converting to fruitful results. After a week, I realized that her English basics were unclear. For one week, I taught her basic grammar rules.

She had burnt midnight oil during this one week and gave her best. The process of learning the basics of English as a teenager is a bit boring, but I made it interesting for her. After that, her performance started improving, and she started getting good scores in the mock tests. She did three months of rigorous practice under my guidance. Although she was nervous while taking the exam, she passed it with 85%.

To be honest, I felt happy at that moment that feeling was extremely different which I never felt before. I realized that some things can give more happiness than eating chocolates. I felt myself on the ninth cloud by happiness.

Follow-ups

1. How do people usually help each other?

People usually help each other by providing support to each other during happy as well as tough times. The support could be either monetary or non-monetary. Like providing money, goods, or services to your near and dear ones in case of a requirement.

2. How is online help different from real-life help?

In this era of digitalization, there is not much of a difference between online and real-life help. Because in case you want to offer your services personally by going to the person's place then real-life help is the only option. Otherwise, the benefits served from both options are more or less the same.

3. Should school be responsible for teaching students how to cooperate?

I think the onus of teaching the students how to cooperate should be on the schools, parents, and society. Because students spend around eight hours in the school, the rest of the time they spend with their family or in the company of their near and dear ones.

4. What are the differences between help from friends and help from family?

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The help from family is more prompt and regular because our family is emotionally attached to us. Whereas, help from friends is also available in case of a need, but that is not as speedy as help from the family.

5. Should parents teach helping others to their children?

Yes, because the habit of helping others is important to lead a happy and fruitful life. Moreover, learning this habit in childhood from parents help the kids to inculcate this practice in their routine. Hence, when they grow up in life, they turn out to be responsible citizens.

6. How do you encourage children to help others?

Children follow the examples set by their parents and teachers. Therefore, to motivate the children to help others, parents and teachers must join hands and help the underprivileged people. Upon seeing them helping others, Children too would develop this habit.

7. What is the most important way for a country to help foreigners who are visiting the country?

The central focus of a foreigner while visiting another country is on safety. Therefore, all the citizens should offer unabated support to foreigners. Moreover, we must help them to gain knowledge about our culture. This way we can make great relationships with foreign tourists.

19. Describe a leisure activity near/on the sea that you want to try.

What it is?

What you need to prepare?

How easy or difficult it is?

And explain why you want to try it?

There are a plethora of recreational activities that one can do on the sea. To be honest, I am not a huge fan of sea sight activities and I have never indulged in leisure activity on the sea. But If I had to choose one then it would be scuba diving. Nowadays, scuba diving becomes a leisure activity in many countries. It is a sport in which people dive into the sea with an oxygen tank, mask, special mask, and breathing equipment.

No doubt, scuba diving is an extremely dangerous activity and it needs proper training and guidance. I do need specific preparations to do this activity. So, I need to join the training center and I know it will take a bit of time to learn because it is not an easy activity, one should know how to swim in deep water. I want to try this activity full of training.

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I have heard from many individuals that the experience of deep water is amazing where one can explore a myriad of sea creatures and colors, as well as people, forget their troubles because each dive make them thrive and it's the best activity in the world.

Furthermore, I want to do this activity for various reason, such as explore new water animals, nature's beauty in the deep-sea as well as I will not only click pictures of marines but also upload on social sites and I also want to build

strength and cardiovascular fitness because this activity provides all over body workout. This leisure activity will give me an opportunity to re-energize myself and be with nature and so I wish to do it. Definitely, I will try in the future and it would be exhilarating to go out.

Follow-ups

1. What are the advantages and disadvantages of vacations on the seaside?

Seaside vacations offer many benefits. However, the main advantage is the beautiful sights and the chance to try on some water sports. On the other hand, people can get heat strokes and bad tans if they spend too much time in the sun. Additionally, there may be accidents like drowning, etc.

2. Why do children like the sea better than adults?

Children love doing water sports. Children can have fun and play around in the water without getting hurt. Moreover, Small children enjoy the sensation of sand between their toes and fingers, and water against their feet.

3. What types of job positions can be found on or near the sea?

People can find various jobs like swimming instructors, lifeguards, fishing etc. Moreover, people can also find work at seaside restaurants as there are many seafood restaurants on the seashore. Moreover, even individuals can get jobs in hotels.

20. Describe a time when you shared something with others.

What you shared?

Who you shared with?

And explain how you felt about sharing it?

We all have a lot of things that we share with others at a certain point in time. Sharing is a very good habit that shows emotion and cares for others. It not only helps people but also creates a bond between individuals.

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I remember one such incident when I shared my meal with another girl who forgot to bring her meal on that day. I saw her sitting idle during the lunch hour and inquired about taking the meal. She smiled and told me that she forgot to bring her lunch. Therefore, I shared my meal.

Usually, the lunch break in the university begins at 12.45 pm. But most of the time our classes end by 12.30 pm. On that day I had to attend a class at 2.30 pm. So, I brought the meal to have during lunch. In fact, the class was supposed to be held in the morning but the teacher – on the previous day, informed the class that he will take the class in the afternoon as he is unable to manage time in the morning for some other academic business. Accordingly, we all were prepared for the class. But she forgot about the class and made the mistake.

I know Simran from the very first day and she is now a close mate to me. So, I know about her struggling conditions. She left her home for some unavoidable reasons and with her ambition, she wants to grow. This is really a matter of pride and everyone cannot do so. It requires strong determination. I know that she might have forgotten to bring the lunch and if I do not share mine with her, I think she could not manage time before supper to take her meal. I felt a sense of relief by helping her. It was really a great mental satisfaction for me.

Follow-ups

1. Do you like to share?

Yes, sharing things with others is a good feeling. I think especially if you have a lot of something and someone doesn't have much or any then it's a wonderful thing to be able to share something with them, even if it's just some food or a smile.

2. What are the consequences if children don't like to share?

I think it might be difficult for children to make new friends if they are hesitant to share. When children grow up, they might face even bigger problems. For example, when they are working in a company and they are asked to share their responsibilities with others. If they fail to do so, they might even lose their jobs.

3. How do you feel about sharing accommodations with others on campus?

I am an extrovert person and I love sharing things with others. I share my room with my friend. I remember when I was on my university campus, I shared my room with other students. I would love to share accommodation with people with the same mindset.

4. How could parents and teachers teach young children to share?

Parents and teachers can both share valuable insights into a child's personality. Teachers can pass on information about how the child copes with a classroom environment and additional strengths and skills which they have uncovered through various activities.

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5. Do people in your country (or, you) prefer to share public transport or do they (you) prefer to use private transport?

Well, it depends on person to person because different individuals have different opinions. Those who can afford it, like to use their own private transport. Others prefer public transport. It also depends on the availability and comfort of public transport.

21. Describe your favorite movie.

When and where you saw it?

What type of film it was?

What the film was about?

And explain why it is your favourite film?

I love to watch movies in my leisure hours and have watched a wide number of movies. There are some movies that we watch and forget while some others have an everlasting effect on our lives.

I would like to talk about my favorite movie, 3 idiots. It is a Bollywood movie directed and produced by a well-known Indian director, Raj Kumar Hirani. one of my favorite artists, Aamir Khan is cast in it, I was extremely eager to watch this film. The film was absolutely a masterpiece and I had several reasons to like it.

The film is focused on three college friends from a prestigious institution in India. The movie revolves around the different cultural backgrounds who have different goals in life but they end up in an engineering institution. Thus, talking about how Asian parents force the dreams on their children. One of them has a unique approach towards life and is blessed with a super technical mind. On the other hand, his friends were not that brilliant and were not interested in a particular field.

This movie was released in 2009 so it's been quite a long time but it still remains on the top of my all-time favorite movies. The film is beautifully crafted and has some exciting twists. It gained pretty good recognition among audiences worldwide.

This is my favorite movie as it has many messages to deliver on friendship, success, and the education system of our nation. The movie highlights a friendship bonding among three college friends. It also teaches about following our passion instead of worrying about grades in order to be accomplished in life. This is one movie, which I can watch again and again.

Follow-ups

1. Do you think (watching) films have (has) any educational benefits?

Absolutely. In many high school and college courses, movies, whether documentary or narrative, are shown to teach students about periods of history, social issues, or philosophical ideas. Movies are a great resource for visual learners because they enable them to understand concepts without the barriers that hinder learning.

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2. In what ways are documentary films and films only for entertainment different?

Feature films are mainly made to entertain the audience, whereas documentaries are meant to inform, to confront people with reality, and sometimes to promote a point of view. Feature films are mostly fiction, and sometimes total fantasy. They may be based on real events or people, but the director and screenwriter do add some drama to it. Documentaries are usually low-budget, whereas feature films can cost Million.

3. Why do you think documentary films are not so popular?

Documentaries are not so popular, because they don't have big name actors and actresses, and also are low budget. So, people are not fascinated by them.

4. Do different age groups like the same kinds of films?

No, children like animation and cartoon movies, Young editors like action movies and sports movies, elderly people like historical movies and family movies.

5. How are movies and real life different?

The cinema is all about fantasy. We like to escape from reality. Fantasy is much more fun. Real life is very different from movies. Movies are mainly based on fiction, and even if they are based on real life, some element of drama is added to them.

6. Do men and women like to watch the same kinds of films?

It Depends. As far as i know, most men like some war movies, science fictions and most women like romances and some films with handsome leading man. But these differences among genders are fast disappearing.

22 Describe a time you got lost in a place you did not know about.

When did it happen?

Who was with you?

What did you do?

How you felt about it?

Well, I am a travel freak person and I like to visit different places around the country as well as the world. I always visit different places.

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Well, I am fond of traveling and I always try to explore new places in my country. And talking about getting lost, I don't get lost usually, But I vividly remember I, once, got lost at an unknown place, but the scenario was funny and weird at the same time.

Actually, my bosom friend shifted to a new house and he invited my whole family for the house warming party. Where I met my school-time friends.

In the evening, I started playing hide and seek with them. It was my favorite childhood game. -We even used to play this game at a friend's old house but we were familiar with every NOOK AND CORNER.

On the other hand, even my friend did not clearly know the directions to his new house. Even though we were playing at a place which was near the new house, in the process of hiding in the game, I didn't realize when I went to the unfamiliar place.

I was just hiding there quietly. When even after 10 minutes no one was able to seek me, I decided to have a peek at others. Only then I realized that I might have lost touch with my friends. As I was young at that time, I got so scared and started crying. Many people from the neighborhood gathered there and started enquiring about me. On seeing strangers, I got more scared. Luckily, I saw my friend's father coming towards me. He was there to find me because kids were not able to locate me for 10 minutes. When I reached home, I got to know that I was just two blocks away from my friend's home. Now whenever we recall that incident, we have a hearty laugh.

Follow-ups

1. Do you often get lost?

No, I do not often get lost. I use Google maps whenever I go to a new place. But sometimes Google Maps mixed up the streets and took me to the wrong street. As I am a really sensitive person, I find it scary to get lost in a place you don't know about.

2. Is map-reading skill important?

Map reading and map drawing are important skills to learn in geography. Maps also help us to know distances so that we know how far away one thing is from another. We need to be able to estimate distances on maps because all maps show the earth or regions within it as a much smaller size than their real size.

3. Are some people good at map-reading than others?

Well, everyone has a different ability. One study suggested that men are better at reading maps than women. Brain scans had shown that men have more connections between the left and right hemispheres of their brains, which is associated with spatial ability.

4. Why some people like traveling to other places?

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Traveling is tremendously fun and exciting, but it has one unique benefit that keeps people going: travel is the single best self-development tool. Moreover, some people love traveling, and they are always interested in new places and their culture; that is why they travel from one place to another.

5. Should they find information about the place before going there?

Yes, when people are traveling to another country, they need to know the necessary information. This is because different countries have different beliefs, culture and rules and regulations. If they are doing research, they will know what is expected of them. For example, they check the weather of that place and then pack clothes accordingly.