



Terrific Topics To Talk About - Part Two!

> Helping us get started

Let's hear from everyone here today with each of you offering a short chat about any topic you like!

For example, something new or different you or your family did recently, a funny thing that happened when you were shopping, perhaps a new place you visited, maybe you finally found something you had lost ...

Any topic will help us in our English conversations!

> Another game of pick a card!

We played this on 13th August and it was good fun! Topics written on small cards are placed face-down on the table.

A student selects one card and speaks about that topic.

If you don't like the topic on the card you selected, you can put the card back on the table (face-down) and choose another one.

We didn't get through all of the topic cards last time and new question cards have been added, so there are lots of different topics to choose from!

Terrific Topics To Talk About - Question Cards	
Talk about what you would eat in one day - breakfast, lunch and dinner, and in-between snacks.	Talk about a nice place you have visited around Melbourne.
Discuss what activities your average week includes, for example, such things as preparing meals, doing laundry, shopping, childcare etc.	Discuss what types of transport you have used in Melbourne and in your home town: trains, trams, buses, cars, bicycles, motorcycles, taxis and Uber.
Describe where you live - the type of house, number of rooms, the garden etc.	Discuss the programs you enjoy on television.
Discuss the food you have enjoyed in Australia that is not from your home country.	Have you changed the types of food you eat since coming to Australia?
If you had the time and money, what other city or town in Australia would you like to visit? And why?	Discuss what you expected Australian life was going to be and how it actually worked out.
If you were given \$100 to donate (give away) to someone or an organisation who would it be? And why?	Talk about the best moments of your life.
Talk about how you use the internet and what web sites you regularly visit.	Discuss a recent happy get-together with family or friends.

How do you get the news from your home country? For example, internet, mobile phone, television, newspapers, Facebook etc.	Describe what you do on Saturday afternoons.
Share with the group the time that you felt pleased with yourself, and why.	Talk about where you get your hair cut.
A family member, or a friend, is thinking about moving to Australia from your home country. They ask you what sort of things they need to know about making a new life in Australia.	Tell the group about a recent outing, celebration or meeting with a family member or friend. What did you do and where did you go?
Do you have, or have you had, a pet in the past? If you don't have one now, what sort of animal would you like to own and why?	If someone gave you a free plane ticket to any place in Australia, where would you go, and why?
What board or table games are played in your home country? (For example Chess, Checkers, Go, Backgammon, Mahjong, Snakes and Ladders, Ludo and various Card Games.)	

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