***Advanced Speaking Question Bank***

My dear students.

Each student has to be able to speak out his/her thoughts about the following hypothetical and triggering questions:

1. What does life mean to you?
2. Is there any purpose that you are living for?
3. Who is your role model?
4. Is there anything you regret about in your life?
5. What is your dream job and why?
6. What country is your dream country to live in?
7. If you had one day left in your life, what would you do?
8. Can you live a week without all technology?
9. If you were in an island for a week alone, what survival skills would you use to continue living?
10. Is creativity a talent or an experience?
11. How do you define leadership?
12. What are some techniques or strategies of making yourself loved by others?
13. Does money buy happiness? How and why?
14. What was the worst nightmare that you have ever seen in your life?
15. What is your strongest weakness?
16. If you were a millionaire, what would you do with the money?
17. How do you define ‘anxiety’ or ‘trauma’?
18. How do you define successful parenting? Give examples.
19. If you had the chance to go back to the past, what change(s) you would make in your life?
20. What determines happiness for a human being?
21. What movie that you have watched is unforgettable?
22. What is your motto or slogan in your life?
23. Are you a food lover?
24. What can you cook properly?
25. What teacher in your life has inspired you for something?
26. Are you talented in a specific thing?
27. Will we have a better world to live in the next 50 years?
28. What are the factors behind environmental pollution?
29. What makes you angry or annoyed?
30. Is there any wish you want to fulfil in your life?

Please be informed that the questions are facilities to provoke discussion and other follow-up questions. I am telling you the questions in advance so that you will be prepared for them. I may choose five of these questions to address to you and you are supposed to answer them on basis of your information, experience and perspectives. Remember that ‘yes-no’ answers alone or short answers are inconvenient. And the following criteria are taken into consideration for marking:

1. Fluency.
2. Grammar accuracy.
3. Pronunciation.
4. Clarity of ideas
5. Richness of information
6. Confidence
7. Accent.

Shortcoming in each of the above-mentioned points leads to weak marks. From now on, be prepared.

Best regards,

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