Speaking.

Course 2, semester-3

Languages

- 1. A study of language can be problematic. Common thoughts are expressed using the myriad of words the world over. But are the words a real problem or is it the way they are put together?
- 2. What is the reason for young people having their own language called slang?
- 3. In what way can the language divide people?
- 4. What is necessary to do to improve your skills in a foreign language? How important is it to be immersed into lingual environment?

Education

- 1. What do you think is the purpose of going to school? How do you feel about home schooling, distant learning?
- 2. The portrait of an ideal teacher/student. Share your ideas with us.
- 3. Did/do you have any teachers or subjects that you especially like(d)/dislike(d)?
- 4. How often do you take exams? How do you feel about them? Which is more important: exams or continuous assessment?
- 5. Your ideal model of education.

Crime and Punishment.

- 1. How do you feel about capital punishment?
- 2. "An eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth". Do you agree?
- 3. What makes young people commit crimes?
- 4. "Everybody should be given a second chance". Comment on it.
- 5. Should drug peddling be legalized as in Holland?
- 6. "Judge not lest be judged". Your opinion.

Speaking.

Course -2, semester -4.

Mass Media.

- 1. Do you believe mass media forms or reflects public opinion?
- 2. How much of what you read do you believe?
- 3. Your attitude towards reality shows, soap operas, talk shows.
- 4. Your attitude to a profession of a journalist?
- 5. What is the predestination of Mass Media: pander to people's primal interests or educate them?

Environment and conservation.

- 1. How green are you?
- 2. As far as ecological problems are concerned how much depends on us, how much on the government?
- 3. What should we rely upon: nuclear power-stations, thermal power-stations or alternative sources of energy?
- 4. Which ecological problem is the most urgent to solve?
- 5. For/Against Zoos.
- 6. For/ Against nuclear disposal in your region.