**Speaking Part 1 questions
(MAY-AUGUST 2019)**THE SUPERHEROS SPECIAL

Topic #1 : Work and studies
1. Do you work or are you a student?

2. What work do you do? What subjects are you studying?
3. Why did you choose this job?/ Why did you choose to study that subject?
4. Do you like your job?
5. What was your dream job when you were young?
6. Have you changed your mind on your dream job?
7. What do you like about your job?
8. What do you dislike about it?

Topic #2 : Hometown
1. Please describe your hometown.
2. What is your town well-known for?
3. Do you like your hometown?
4. Is that big city or a small place?
5. How long have you been living there?
6. Do you think you will continue living there for a long time?
7. How has your town changed over the last 20 years?

Topic #3: Country
1. Tell me a little about your country
2. Which part of your country do you come from?
3. Where is your country located?
4. Tell me about main industries in your country
5. What are some of the good things and some of the bad things about you living country?

Topic #4 : Home
1. Can you describe the place you live?
2. What kind of housing accommodation do you live in?
3. What do you like about your flat?
4. Which room does your family spend most of the time in?
5. What can you see from windows where you live?
6. Do you prefer living in a house or flat?
Topic #5 : Borrowing and lending things
1. Have you ever borrowed books from others?
2. Have you ever borrowed money from others?
3. Do you like to lend things to others?
4. How do you feel when people don’t return things they borrowed from you?

Topic #6: Buses and taxi
1. How often do you take a taxi?
2. When was the last time you took a taxi?

3. Do you like travelling by taxi?
4. Are taxis expensive where you live?
5. How often do you take the bus?
6. What do you do when you are on the bus?
7. How good is the bus service where you live?

Topic #7 : Coffee and tea
1. Are tea and coffee popular in your country?
2. Do you like tea and coffee?
3. Do you often drink tea and coffee?
4. Do you usually offer tea or coffee when you have guests?

Topic #8: Crowded places
1. How often do you go to crowded places?
2. Do you like crowded places?
3. What places do you think are often crowded?
4. When was the last time you were in a crowded place?
5. How do you feel when you are in a crowded place?

Topic #9: Driving
1. Do you know how to drive?
2. Do you drive a car?
3. What do you think which one is easier to drive, car or bus?

Topic #10: Emails and letters
1. Do you write many letters?
2. How often do you write letters or emails?
3. Do you prefer to write letters by hand or using a computer?
4. What are the differences between letters and emails?
5. What do you usually write about?
6. Is it hard to think of what to write?
7. What kind of letter or email do you think is the hardest to write?
8. How do you feel when you receive a letter or email?
9. What kinds of emails or letters do you receive that make you happy?
10. Do you think people will still write letters in the future?
11. Do you think emails will replace letters one day?
12. Do you prefer to get letters and cards or emails on your birthday?

Topic #11: Handwriting
1. Do you usually write by hand or write using a computer?
2. Nowadays, how do most people write things?
3. Do you think handwriting is important?
4. Do you think computers might one day replace handwriting?
5. When do children begin to write in your country?
6. How did you learn to write?
7. How can children today improve their handwriting?
8. What impression does a person’s handwriting have on other people?
9. Did you like writing things when you were a child?

Topic #12: Maths
1. When did you start learning math?
2. Do you like math?
3. Who taught you math?
4. Is math difficult for you to learn?
5. Do you like to use a calculator?

Topic #13: Movie stars
1. Do you want to be a movie star?
2. Have you ever seen a movie star in real life?

Topic #14: Perfumes
1. Do you give other people perfumes as a gift?
2. Have you ever bought a perfume as a gift?
3. What kinds of perfume do you like?
4. How much do you spend on perfumes?
5. Do you have a lot of perfumes?
6. Do you wear a perfume?
7. Do you have a favorite brand of perfume?
Topic #15: Pets
1. Do you keep a pet?
2. What is your favorite animal?
3. Do you like watching animals in the zoo?

4. Is it important to let children know about animals?

Topic #16: Patience
1. Do you think patience is important?
2. Are you patient?

3. What is your attitude to waiting?
4. Did you use to be more patient or less patient than you are now?
5. Do you think being patient is an important part of being polite?
6. Have you ever lost your patience?
7. What do you become impatient about?

Topic #17: Photos
1. Do you like photographs?
2. Do you like to take photos?
3. What do you like to photograph?
4. Why do you think some people do not like taking photos?
5. How do you keep your photos?
6. Do you ever delete or, if on paper, throw away any of your photos?
7. How did you become interested in photography?

8. Would you like to work as a professional photographer?

Topic #18: Playing
1. Is it important for children to play outdoors?
2. Do you usually play indoors or outdoors?
3. How often did you play at your friend’s house?
4. Where did you like to play as a child?

Topic #19: Public holidays
1. What public holidays do you have in your country?
2. Which public holidays do you like the most?
3. Do people in your country celebrate Christmas?
4. Do you like public holidays?
5. Do you think public holidays are important?
6. Do you think there should be more public holidays?
7.What did you do during the last public holiday?
Topic #20: Reading
1. Do you like reading?
2. What books do you like to read?
3. What book did you recently read?
4. What did you learn from it?
5. What was your favorite book as a child?
6. Should reading be a compulsory activity for children at school?
7. Why do parents make children read books at an early age?

Topic #21: Rubbish
1. Why do people litter in public places?
2. How do you feel when you see rubbish in the streets?
3. Do you always try to recycle things like paper and plastic?
4. Would you like to help other people to keep your town or city tidy?

Topic #22: Sharing things
1. Do you like to share things?
2. When you were a child, did your parents encourage you to share things with others?
3. Have you ever shared anything with anyone?
4. What do you think of shared vehicles?
5. Is there anything you don’t want to share?

Topic #23: Sky
1. Do you like to watch the sky?
2. What is the sky like at night in your hometown?
3. Do you like to watch stars?
4. Have you ever taken a course about stars?
5. Is it important to study stars?
6. What is your favorite star?

Topic #24: Sleep
1. Do you think sleep is important?
2. Do you go to sleep early or stay up late?
3. How do you feel in the morning after that?
4. How many hours do you sleep at night?
5. Is it necessary to take a nap every day?
6. Do old people sleep a lot?
7. Do you always have a good sleep?
8. Can you sleep well if you are in a noisy environment?
9. How can we fight sleep difficulties?

Topic #25: Smiling
1. Do you like to smile?
2. When do people smile at others?
3. Do you smile when people take pictures of you?
4. Can you recognize a fake smile?
5. When was the last time you saw people smiling?

Topic #26: Social networks
1. What kind of social networking sites do you like to use?
2. What kind of people do you like to be friends with on those websites?
3. What kind of chatting apps or software do people in your country like to use?
4. Are you a social person?
5. Is it easy to find real friends on a social networking website?

Topic#27: Street markets
1. Do many people go to street markets in your country?
2. Do you like going to street markets?
3. What do people usually buy at street markets?
4. What is the difference between street markets and supermarkets?
5. Are there any street markets in your country?

Topic #28: Time management
1. Are you good at organizing time?
2. How do you usually organize time?
3. Do you make plans every day?
4. What is the latest plan that you made?
5. What is the hardest part about making plans?

Topic #29: Travelling to work
1. What is the most popular means of transport in your country?
2. Is driving to work popular in your country?
3. Do you prefer public or private transport?
4. Are there any traffic problems in your country?
5. How would you improve transport in your town or area?
6. How would you reduce traffic problems in your country?
7. Who do you think public transport could be improved?
Topic #30: Travelling
1. Do you like travelling?
2. Do you like travelling long distances?
3. In which season do you prefer to travel?
4. Would you say your country is a good place for tourists to visit?
5. Do you often travel by plane?
6. Would you like to travel long distances more often in the future?
7. What is the most impressive travel in your life?
8. What was the first travel in your life?
9. Where do you plan to travel next?

Topic #31: Visiting relatives
1. Do you often visit your relatives?
2. What do you do when you visit your relatives?
3. When was the last time you visited them?
4. Why do people visit their relatives?

Topic #32: Weather
1. Do you like hot weather?
2. What do you do in how weather?
3. Would you like to visit a hot country?
4. Do you like wet weather?