NewsConversation

Student A

① How often do you read (or watch) the news?

② Do you ever read a newspaper?

③ Do you prefer local, national or global news?

④ What is a recent national news story?

⑤ What is some recent news at your neighborhood or school?

⑥ What kind of personality should a good news reporter have?

⑦ Can you trust all the news you see in the media?

⑧ Who pays more attention to the news, mom or dad?

⑨ How will we get news in the future?

⑩ Write & ask your own "news" question: _____?

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Other ways to say **I think…** • In my opinion… • I believe… • I would say… • As far as I'm concerned…	Other ways to say **I disagree…** • I don't think so. • No way! • I totally disagree. • I beg to differ. • Not sure I agree with you.
To show **surprise**: • Really?!? • Seriously? • For real?	To say "**I don't know**": • I'm not sure • That's a tough question… • That's a hard question…

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Student B

① How do you get your news?

② Does your family watch the TV news every day?

③ What is a recent world news story?

④ What is a recent local news story?

⑤ Would you rather be a TV news anchor or a newspaper journalist?

⑥ Have you ever been on TV or in the newspaper?

⑦ Are there any famous news personalities in your country?

⑧ What is some "good news" you've heard recently? Bad news?

⑨ Would you rather spend an hour watching news or an hour reading news?

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