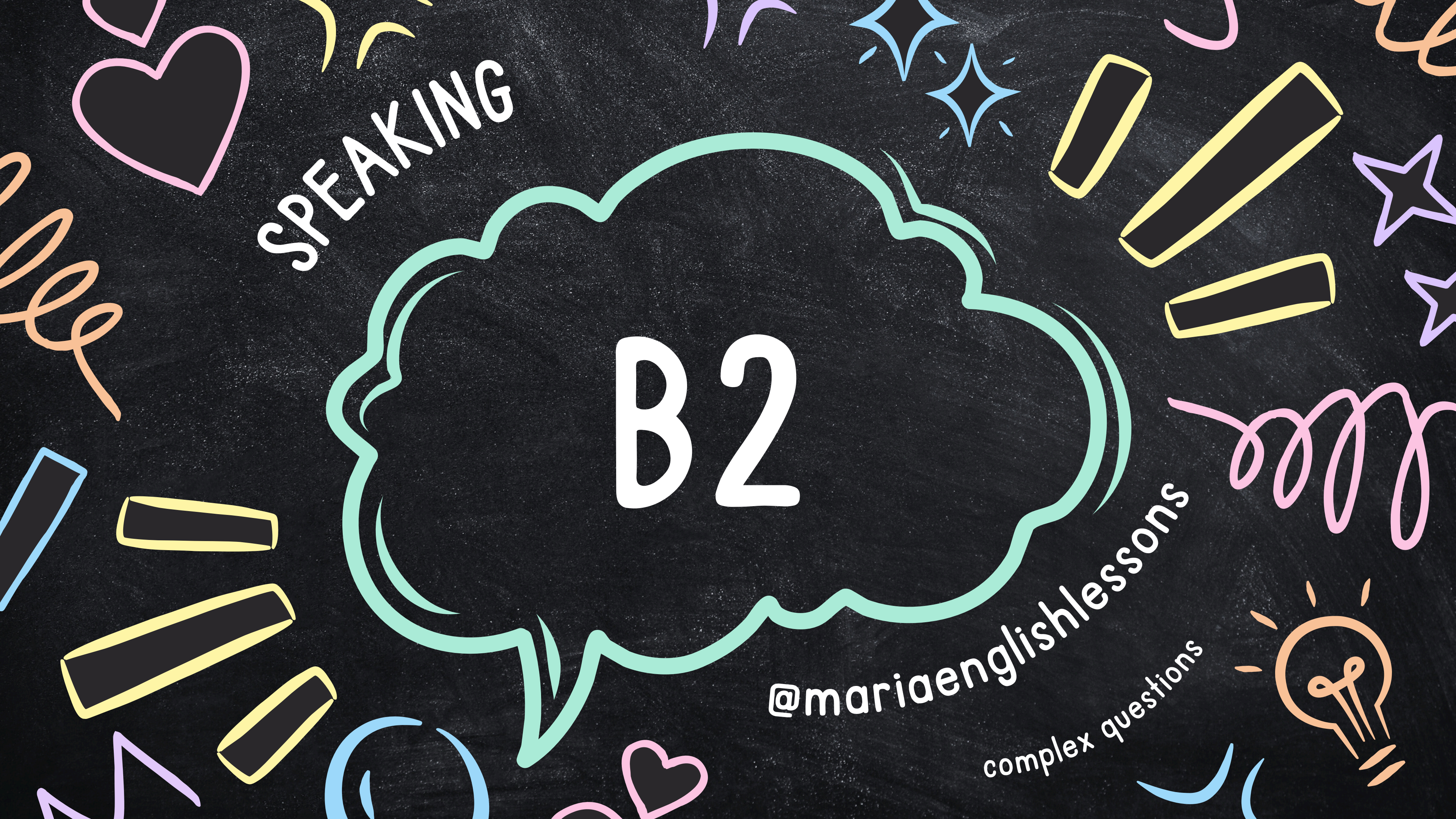


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SPEAKING

PERSONAL GROWTH & LIFESTYLE

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- IF YOU COULD COMPLETELY REDESIGN YOUR DAILY ROUTINE, WHAT CHANGES WOULD MAKE YOU MORE PRODUCTIVE AND HAPPIER?
- WHAT PERSONAL HABIT WOULD YOU MOST LIKE TO DEVELOP, AND HOW WOULD IT CHANGE YOUR LIFE?
- HOW DO YOU DECIDE WHETHER SOMETHING IS WORTH SPENDING MONEY ON, AND WHAT'S AN EXAMPLE OF A DIFFICULT CHOICE YOU MADE?





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- IF YOU HAD UNLIMITED FREE TIME FOR ONE MONTH, HOW WOULD YOU SPEND IT AND WHY?
- IN YOUR OPINION, WHAT IS THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIVING A "SUCCESSFUL" LIFE AND A "MEANINGFUL" ONE?
- WHAT'S A BELIEF YOU USED TO HAVE BUT CHANGED YOUR MIND ABOUT, AND WHAT INFLUENCED THAT CHANGE?
- IF YOU HAD TO DESCRIBE YOURSELF TO SOMEONE WHO COULDN'T MEET YOU IN PERSON, WHAT THREE QUALITIES WOULD YOU EMPHASIZE AND WHY?
- HOW DO YOU HANDLE STRESS WHEN YOU FEEL OVERWHELMED, AND WHAT STRATEGIES DO YOU FIND MOST EFFECTIVE?





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SPEAKING

- EDUCATION & LEARNING
- WHAT SKILLS DO YOU THINK SCHOOLS SHOULD TEACH BUT USUALLY DON'T?
- IF YOU COULD DESIGN THE PERFECT CLASSROOM, WHAT WOULD IT LOOK LIKE, AND HOW WOULD IT IMPROVE LEARNING?
- DO YOU THINK GRADES REFLECT REAL INTELLIGENCE OR ABILITY? WHY OR WHY NOT?
- HOW HAS TECHNOLOGY CHANGED THE WAY STUDENTS LEARN, FOR BETTER AND FOR WORSE?
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SPEAKING

- WHAT'S ONE SUBJECT YOU USED TO DISLIKE BUT LATER FOUND VALUABLE, AND HOW DID YOUR PERSPECTIVE CHANGE?
 - IF YOU HAD TO LEARN A COMPLETELY NEW SKILL IN JUST SIX MONTHS, WHICH WOULD YOU CHOOSE, AND HOW WOULD YOU APPROACH IT?
 - DO YOU THINK PEOPLE SHOULD CONTINUE FORMAL EDUCATION THROUGHOUT THEIR WHOLE LIVES? WHY OR WHY NOT?
 - SHOULD SCHOOLS FOCUS MORE ON CREATIVITY AND PROBLEM-SOLVING RATHER THAN MEMORIZATION?
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SPEAKING

WORK & FUTURE

- IF YOU COULD CREATE YOUR DREAM JOB, WHAT WOULD IT INVOLVE, AND WHY WOULD IT SUIT YOU?
- HOW DO YOU IMAGINE THE WORKPLACE WILL CHANGE IN THE NEXT 20 YEARS?
- DO YOU THINK JOB SATISFACTION OR SALARY IS MORE IMPORTANT? WHY?
- WHAT ARE THE MAIN CHALLENGES OF WORKING WITH PEOPLE FROM DIFFERENT CULTURES?
- IF ROBOTS REPLACED MOST JOBS, HOW SHOULD SOCIETY ADAPT?



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SPEAKING

- WOULD YOU RATHER WORK FOR A LARGE CORPORATION OR A SMALL STARTUP, AND WHAT ARE THE PROS AND CONS OF EACH?
- DO YOU THINK EVERYONE SHOULD BE REQUIRED TO DO SOME KIND OF COMMUNITY SERVICE AS PART OF THEIR CAREER?
- HOW DO YOU THINK ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE WILL AFFECT YOUR CAREER CHOICES IN THE FUTURE?





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- SOCIETY & CULTURE
- DO YOU THINK TRADITIONS SHOULD ALWAYS BE PRESERVED, EVEN IF THEY DON'T MATCH MODERN VALUES?
- HOW DOES SOCIAL MEDIA INFLUENCE THE WAY PEOPLE FORM THEIR IDENTITY TODAY?
- IF YOU COULD IMPROVE ONE THING ABOUT YOUR COMMUNITY, WHAT WOULD IT BE AND HOW?
- DO YOU THINK PEOPLE TODAY ARE MORE INDIVIDUALISTIC OR MORE COMMUNITY-ORIENTED THAN IN THE PAST? WHY?



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- WHAT'S ONE CULTURAL PRACTICE FROM ANOTHER COUNTRY THAT YOU ADMIRE, AND WOULD IT WORK IN YOUR CULTURE?
 - HOW IMPORTANT IS IT TO LEARN ABOUT HISTORY TO UNDERSTAND MODERN SOCIETY?
 - WHAT ROLE SHOULD ART PLAY IN PUBLIC SPACES, AND HOW DOES IT AFFECT PEOPLE'S LIVES?
 - DO YOU THINK GLOBALIZATION STRENGTHENS OR WEAKENS CULTURAL DIVERSITY? WHY?
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SPEAKING

- ENVIRONMENT & TECHNOLOGY
- IF YOUR CITY HAD TO CUT TRAFFIC BY HALF, WHAT PRACTICAL SOLUTIONS WOULD YOU SUGGEST?
- WHAT SHOULD BE DONE WITH COUNTRIES OR COMPANIES THAT CAUSE THE MOST POLLUTION?
- DO YOU THINK INDIVIDUALS CAN MAKE A REAL DIFFERENCE IN PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT, OR DOES IT REQUIRE GOVERNMENT ACTION?
- WHAT ARE THE BIGGEST RISKS OF RELYING TOO HEAVILY ON TECHNOLOGY?
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- IF YOU COULD INVENT ONE NEW DEVICE TO SOLVE A WORLD PROBLEM, WHAT WOULD IT BE AND HOW WOULD IT WORK?
 - DO YOU THINK RENEWABLE ENERGY CAN FULLY REPLACE FOSSIL FUELS IN THE NEAR FUTURE? WHY OR WHY NOT?
 - HOW HAS THE INTERNET CHANGED THE WAY WE THINK AND MAKE DECISIONS?
 - SHOULD GOVERNMENTS LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF PERSONAL DATA COMPANIES CAN COLLECT, EVEN IF IT MAKES LIFE LESS CONVENIENT?
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SPEAKING

- ETHICS & CRITICAL THINKING
- SHOULD FREEDOM OF SPEECH HAVE ANY LIMITS? IF SO, WHERE SHOULD THE LINE BE DRAWN?
- IS IT MORE IMPORTANT TO PROTECT PRIVACY OR ENSURE SECURITY? WHY?
- DO YOU BELIEVE PEOPLE ARE NATURALLY MORE SELFISH OR COOPERATIVE? GIVE EXAMPLES.
- SHOULD COUNTRIES BE REQUIRED TO HELP REFUGEES, EVEN IF THEIR OWN CITIZENS DISAGREE?





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SPEAKING

- WHAT'S MORE DANGEROUS: IGNORANCE OR INDIFFERENCE? WHY?
- DO YOU THINK IT'S ETHICAL TO USE ANIMALS FOR SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH IF IT SAVES HUMAN LIVES?
- IF YOU HAD THE CHANCE TO DECIDE HOW WEALTH SHOULD BE DISTRIBUTED IN YOUR COUNTRY, WHAT SYSTEM WOULD YOU CREATE?
- SHOULD VOTING BE COMPULSORY IN EVERY DEMOCRACY? WHY OR WHY NOT?

