topical conversations

Education

Do you enjoy studying? If so what do you like about it?

What courses are you currently studying? Why are you studying them?

Did you enjoy your school years? Why or why not?

Do you consider yourself to be an academic person?

Do you prefer arts and humanities based subjects or mathematics and the sciences?

In your opinion how important is education to success in life?

Does a good education usually lead to a good job in your country?

Do you know anyone who has been successful in their careers without a proper education?

Do you know anyone who is highly qualified but has found it hard to get a job?

Do you think school and university courses are too theoretical? Should young people be learning more practical, 'real world' skills such as personal finance and household management?

What age do you think teenagers should be allowed to drop out of school?

Would you consider working in the higher education field as an academic?