## topical conversations

## **Family**

Describe your family. How do each of your family members look? What are their personalities like?

How important is family to you? Is your family more important than your friends?

Would you describe your family as close?

How much time do you spend with your family and what do you usually do together?

Who are you closest to in your family? Why?

Do you think being an only child is better than having siblings? Why?

If you have siblings how often do you see them? Do you have a good relationship?

Are there any members in your family you don't get along with? If so why?

Do you often see your wider family (for example your cousins, aunts and uncles)?

Have you ever seen a family whose members have very different appearances?

How has family life changed in your country over the past fifty years?

Do you think the family unit is breaking down in your society?

Do families get much financial support from the government where you live?