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Student #1 will choose one topic (randomly). Each student will do some research and prepare a 5 minute presentation on their topic and be graded according to the rubric above. At the end of each presentation, all students will complete a brief evaluation form (~1 minute).

**20 Topics for presentations**

1. Why do people learn a foreign language? Support your answer.

2. Should every person have a Facebook/Instagram/Snapchat…? Support your answer.

3. What are good ways to stay healthy? Support your answer.

4. What are the advantages of studying in another country? Support your answer.

5. What are the disadvantages of studying in another country? Support your answer.

6. Is it better to live on campus or off campus? Support your answer.

7. What is better: online shopping or shopping in stores? Support your answer.

8. What do you think the world will look like in 100 years? Support your answer.

9. What was the best invention ever made? Describe how it makes the world better. Support

your answer.

10. Smoking in Public: Good or bad? Support your answer.

11. Why should people travel? Support your answer.

12. Do people need friends in their lives? Support your answer.

13. What are the major differences between life in the USA and life in your country? Support your answer.

14. Is it better to cook at home or to eat out in a restaurant? Support your answer.

15. Why do people want to get educated? Support your answer.

16. Should smartphones and tablets be allowed in the classroom? Why or why not?

17. What are three problems in your country or in the U.S.? Support your answer.

18. What are three things that are good about the U.S.? Support your answer.

19. What are three things that are bad about living in Daytona Beach? Support your answer.

20. Should people be allowed to travel anywhere in the world without a visa? Support your answer.

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