

## **THE MEDIA QUESTIONS**

- 1. What do you understand by the phrase “the media”? Name different types of media.**
- 2. Where do most people in your country get their news?**
- 3. Where do you usually get the news from? Why do you choose that medium?**
- 4. Do you regularly read any magazines? What kinds of topics do they cover?**
- 5. Do you often read a newspaper? Why/ Why not?**
- 6. In which kinds of circumstances do you usually listen to the radio? Would you like to listen more often? Why/ Why not?ving the same day again and again.**
- 7. Does the media in your country report the whole truth, mostly truth, or mostly lies?**
- 8. How has the internet changed the news in your country?**
- 9. Who has the most control over the media in your country?**
- 10. How does the media help create a healthy society?**
- 11. Should the media just report the facts, or should the media interpret the facts?**
- 12. Can you think of a politician who used the media in a successful way/to their advantage?**
- 13. How about a politician who was destroyed by the media?**
- 14. How has the media changed in your country during recent years?**
- 15. What is the most fair and balanced media outlet in your country?**
- 16. How much do you think the government should get involved in making sure the media are well balanced?**
- 17. Do large media organizations have too much influence?**
- 18. Should the media show graphic violence? Why or why not?**
- 19. Do you think your government is doing enough to protect children from sexual and violent images?**
- 20. How important are newspapers? What is their future in the age of the internet?**
- 21. How reliable are newspapers, television news and the Internet as news sources, what do you think?**

- 22. Are the news sources we have becoming better or worse? What about the content of an average newspaper or television channel?**
- 23. What are the advantages and disadvantages of people getting the news from the internet?**
- 24. What can be done to make the media better quality in your country?**
- 25. What could be the consequences of the decline of newspapers?**
- 26. What is the future for newspapers?**
- 27. What is the most important medium for people in your country? What about people your age?**
- 28. When will the Internet become the most important medium?**
- 29. If you could design a form of communication media, what would it be and what topics would you cover?**