

TRANSPLANTS DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

- 1) What comes to mind when you hear the word 'transplant'?
- 2) What would you think if you needed a transplant?
- 3) Would you ever consider having a face transplant?
- 4) Will you donate your organs to medicine so they can be transplanted after you die?
- 5) Do you think people are different after a heart transplant?
- 6) Do you think people would be less human if they had the organ of an animal transplanted into their body?
- 7) Do you think scientists will be able to transplant any human organ in the future?
- 8) How would someone change after a brain transplant?
- 9) If you needed a brain transplant, whose brain would you like?
- 10) Barry Switzer joked about his son: "It was like a heart transplant. We tried to implant college in him but his head rejected it." What does this mean? Do you think it's funny?

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STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

- 1) Do you think there'll ever be such things as personality transplants?
- 2) Why do you think hair transplants rarely work?
- 3) Do you think transplants are a bit like playing Frankenstein?
- 4) Would you ever say no to an organ transplant?
- 5) Would you agree to hospitals using your DNA to grow spare organs for later use in your life?
- 6) Would you accept a transplant organ from someone you hated?
- 7) Is donating an organ for transplant the greatest gift you can give?
- 8) What do you think of the idea of skill, talent and ability transplants?
- 9) Could transplants one day change humans and make a new species?
- 10) Pioneering heart surgeon Dr. Christian Barnard said: "It is infinitely better to transplant a heart than to bury it so it can be devoured by worms." Do you agree?

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