### A. Conversation Questions

1. Do you like movies? Where do you usually see movies?

2. Which types (genres) of movies do you enjoy most? Why? (genres = horror, drama, comedy, etc.)

3. What is your favorite movie? How many times have you seen it? Say something about the movie.

4. What do you think are the qualities of a good movie? (e.g. famous actor, good sound effects, etc.)

5. Do you have any favorite actors/actresses? If yes, what do you like about them?


7. Name a few movies that you disliked. Why did you dislike them?
Can you think of some books that have been adapted into movies? Did the adaptations work?

What movie would you suggest a tourist visiting Japan to watch? Why?

Do you think movies influence society? Why or why not?

### A. Comment on the following quotes

1. We need families to start taking more responsibility in understanding which movie is good for their Children and which movie is not. -Jet Li (1963), Chinese actor and martial artist

2. You know what your problem is? It's that you haven't seen enough movies all of life's riddles are answered in the movies. -Steve Martin (1945), comedian

3. People don't read any more. It's a sad state of affairs. Reading's the only thing that allows you to use your imagination. When you watch films it's someone else's vision, isn't it? - Lemmy Kilmister

4. It's funny how the colors of the real world only seem really real when you watch them on a screen. -Anthony Burgess, A Clockwork Orange

5. No good movie is too long and no bad movie is short enough. -Roger Ebert

6. Every great film should seem new every time you see it. -Roger Ebert

7. When a movie character is really working, we become that character. That's what the movies offer: Escapism into lives other than our own. -Roger Ebert

8. "Movies can and do have tremendous influence in shaping young lives in the realm of entertainment towards the ideals and objectives of normal adulthood." -Walt Disney

9. "Film making is a chance to live many lifetimes." -Robert Altman

10. "The sound and music are 50% of the entertainment in a movie." -George Lucas