## NAMES AND PERSONALITY

## NAMES

- Are you happy with your name? Why (not)?
- Does your name have a meaning? If so, what does it mean?
- Do you have a middle name? What is it?
- Do you have a nickname? If so, what is it and how did you get it?
- If you could change your name would you? What would it be? Why?
- U2's lead singer, Bono, called his daughter Memphis Eve and Gwyneth Paltrow's daughter is called Apple. Do you know any "normal people" with unique baby names? What about you, do you prefer giving your child a more traditional name or a unique name?
- In some countries, when women marry they take their husband's last name? What do you think of this?

## PERSONALITY

- What kind of people do you usually get along with?
- What kinds of personality traits do you hate?
- Is your personality more similar to your mother's or father's?
- Do you think we are born with our personalities, or do we develop them because of what happens to us?
- Do you tend to fall in love with good looks or with a great personality?
- Does one person's character affect the personalities of the surrounding people? Are you influenced by anybody you know?
- Does birth order affect personality? What qualities do a first-born child, a last-born and an only child have?



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