# Conversation: Inventions

Choose two questions to talk about from each section.

## Everyday Inventions

1. What is one everyday invention you could not live without? Why?
2. In your opinion, what is the most useful invention in your kitchen?
3. If you had to choose between keeping your smartphone or keeping your car, which would you pick?
4. What do you think is the best invention for keeping in touch with family and friends?
5. What is an invention that you think actually *wastes* people's time?

## Looking Back: Impact & History

1. How did people manage everyday life before the invention of the internet? How about GPS / map apps?
2. What invention do you think has changed the world the most in the last 100 years?
3. Can you think of an invention that was created for a good reason but ended up causing problems?
4. How has the invention of online shopping changed the way you and your family buy things?
5. If you could go back in time and meet any inventor, who would it be and what would you ask them?

## Looking Forward: The Future & Technology

1. What is an invention from a science fiction movie that you wish was real today?
2. Do you think robots will completely replace human workers in some jobs soon? Which ones?
3. How do you feel about the rapid development of Artificial Intelligence (AI) tools?Does it make you excited or worried?
4. What is a medical invention that you hope scientists will create in your lifetime?
5. Do you think flying cars will ever become a common way for normal people to travel?