

# School

**Quotations** "Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school."

- Albert Einstein

"The philosophy of the school room in one generation will be the philosophy of government in the next."

- Abraham Lincoln

## Questions

- Did you enjoy going to school when you were a child? When you were a teenager?
- Did you go to a private or public school? Where did you go to school?
- How many years did you go to school? How old were you when you graduated?
- Did your parents move often when you were going to school? If so, was it hard or easy to make new friends?
- Did you have to wear a uniform to school? Did you go to school with boys and girls?
- Do you still stay in touch with your school friends? Do you keep in touch with them through Facebook?
- What was your favourite subject in school? Your least favourite subject in school?
- Do you have fond memories of school? Would you like to forget about your time spent in school?
- Were there certain "cliques" in your school like the "jocks/sports students", the "rich kids", the "punks", the "drug addicts" and "the gangs"?
- Did you learn a foreign language in school? Did you decide what to be when you grew up while in school?
- Did you go to a big school? Where you in a school that put many students of different ages in the same class?
- Do you believe you received a good education? Is this a school you would be proud to send your own children?

**Presentation** Working in groups, pick a subject you least enjoy. Create a presentation of how your will improve the teaching of this subject. Provide examples and share with the rest of your class.