

# CONVERSATION CLUB

## STEREOTYPES: BEING A GOOD WIFE AND A GOOD HUSBAND

**Objective:** Improve conversation skills and vocabulary

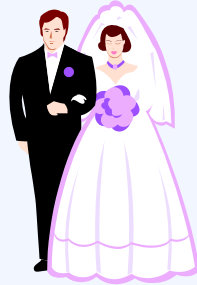
**Materials:** Use the sheets and flashcards provided

### Procedure

1. Introduce yourself and ask the students to introduce themselves to each other.
2. Briefly introduce today's topic: being a good wife and a good husband
3. Hand out the flashcards to the students and let them read each of them asking if they agree or disagree with the written statements
4. Ask them to answer to the questions on the workshop sheet.

5. Let them talk imagining a conversation between a husband and wife who are trying to work out how to share the housework.
6. Let them act out another conversation between a couple who want to make a list of good points for husbands and wives.

# Workshop



1. Do you agree with any of these ideas? Which one do you think are right or wrong?
2. How would you feel about these points of view if you were a husband or wife?
3. Is it right that all women should stay at home and be mothers, do the cooking etc.? What do you think?
4. Would there be any changes if the wife went out to work everyday?
5. Why should a wife want her husband to look after children at the weekend?
6. Should a husband do the housework? How should a married couple share the work at home?

## Being a good wife



Keep the house clean and tidy



Don't spend more than you are allowed on house-keeping



Always support him in his arguments



Always be nicely dressed even when you're doing housework



Be a good mother

## *Being a good husband*



Don't answer back when nagged



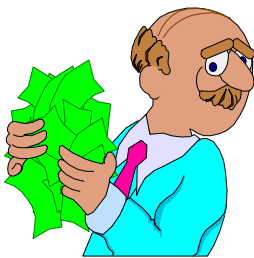
Be clean about the house – no dirty



Enjoy doing the housework



Look after kids all weekend



Earn a lot of money and give it all to your



Get up early and cook for your wife