# Conversation prompt cards

To support your spontaneous conversation discussing local areas, consider using questions and phrases on these prompt cards.

## Questions

Questions you may use:

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| Japanese | English |
| まちはどこですか。 | Where is your town? |
| まちになにがありますか。 | What is in your town? |
| ほかには？ | Anything else? |
| [Name of place]はどんなところですか。 | What kind of place is [name of place]? |
| [Noun]がすきですか。 | Do you like [noun]? |
| [Noun]はどうですか。 | What’s [noun] like? |
| [Noun]はいちばんすきですか。 | Is [noun] your favourite? |
| どうしてですか。 | Why? |

## Sentence starters

Sentence starters you may use:

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| Japanese | English |
| じつは\_\_\_ | In fact … |
| だいたい\_\_\_ | Generally speaking … |
| でも\_\_\_ | But … |
| ところが\_\_\_ | However, … |
| もちろん\_\_\_ | Of course … |
| だから\_\_\_ | That’s why … |

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