**ENGLISH PROJECT**

**THE SOCIAL NETWORK**

**1. Fact file of the film**

**2. True or False statements? Correct the false ones.**

1. In October 2003, Harvard University student Eduardo Saverin has the idea to create a website.

2. He creates in a few hours a website called "FaceMash.com".

3. On the website female students can interactively choose which of two boys presented at a time is more attractive.

4. Mark is punished with six years of academic probation after the traffic to the site brings down parts of Harvard's computer network.

5. "The Facebook", an online social networking website exclusive to Harvard University students would let people share personal and social information securely.

6. By the spring of 2004, the Facebook grows in popularity, and it expands to other schools in the Northeastern United States.

7. Mark is impressed with Parker since he presented a different vision of Facebook.

8. Although no deals are reached, Parker suggests that they drop "The" from The Facebook to make it simply "Facebook".

**3. Match the sentences with their corresponding character**

Mark Zuckergerb

Erica Albright

Sean Parker

Tyler Winklevoss

Eduardo Saverin

Marylin Delpy

Divya Narenda

1. Drop the "The." Just "Facebook." It's cleaner**.**

2. You know, you really don't need a forensics team to get to the bottom of this. If you guys were the inventors of Facebook, you'd have invented Facebook.

3. If we could just go somewhere for a minute.

4.  I don't want to be rude to my friends.

5. You are probably going to be a very successful computer person. But you're going to go through life thinking that girls don't like you because you're a nerd. And I want you to know, from the bottom of my heart, that that won't be true. It'll be because you're an asshole.

6. The letter says we could face legal action.

7. No, it says I could face legal action.

8. Checking in to see how it's going in Bosnia.

9. Bosnia. They don't have roads, but they have Facebook.

10. You invented something in high school too, right?

11. An app for an MP3 player that recognizes your taste in music.

12. Sir, it's against university rules to steal from another student, plain and simple.

**4. Answer these questions**

1. What do you think about Mark Zuckerberg? Say the positive and the negative aspects!

2. Why does Mark start his social site? What is your opinion?

3. Say the positive and negative consequences that The Facebook has for Mark.

4. Compare the starting and the end of the film.

5. Did you like the film? Give reasons.

  **5. Answer these questions**

1. Do you have social networks accounts, such as Facebook, Orkut, My Space, Linkedin, Twitter? Which ones? Which one is your favourite?

2. Do you have a Facebook account? How often do you check your Facebook account?

3. In your opinion, what makes Facebook different from other social networks?

3. What is your opinion about “friendship” in Facebook?

4. Is there anything you don’t like about Facebook?

5. Do you know anyone who has had a problem on Facebook?