Here's a list of discussion questions designed for an adult ESL class assignment where students make recommendations or share warnings about activities, restaurants, or services in Chicago. These questions can guide peer interviews or small group discussions, encouraging vocabulary use around opinions, experiences, and local knowledge:

## **General Warm-up Questions**

- 1. What's one fun place you've visited in Chicago?
- 2. Have you tried any new restaurants or activities since moving here?
- 3. What do you like to do on weekends in the city?

## **Recommendation Questions**

- 4. What is your favorite restaurant in Chicago? Why?
- 5. Can you recommend a good place for [insert theme: pizza / international food / desserts / a date / family time]?
- 6. Is there an activity or attraction in Chicago that you think everyone should try?
- 7. Have you ever found a hidden gem or secret spot in the city?
- 8. What's a service (like a hair salon, mechanic, or dentist) you've had a great experience with?

## **Warning Questions**

- 9. Have you ever had a bad experience at a restaurant or service place? What happened?
- 10. Is there any place or activity in Chicago that you wouldn't recommend to others? Why not?
- 11. What's something tourists or new residents should be careful about?

12. Are there any places that look good online but were disappointing in real life	12. Are there ar	ny places that	look good online	but were disap	pointing in real life?
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## Follow-up/Detail Questions

- 13. How did you find out about this place?
- 14. What did you order/do there?
- 15. How was the customer service?
- 16. How much did it cost? Was it worth it?
- 17. Would you go back again or tell a friend to go?

Let me know if you want these in a simpler or more advanced level, or if you'd like a worksheet or speaking frame to go with it!