Preliminary English Test Speaking Test

Part 1 (2-3 minutes)

	Phase 1 Examiner	
A/B	Good morning / afternoon / evening. Can I have your mark sheets, please?	
	(Hand over the mark sheets to the Assessor.)	
A/B	I'm	
A	Now, what's your name? Thank you.	
В	And what's your name? Thank you.	
		Back-up prompts
В	Candidate B, what's your surname? How do you spell it?	How do you write your family / second name?
	Thank you.	
A	And, Candidate A, what's your surname? How do you spell it?	How do you write your family / second name?
	Thank you.	
	(Ask the following questions. Use candidates' names throughout. Ask Candidate A first.)	
	Where do you live / come from?	Do you live in?

<u>Adult students</u>
Do you work or are you a student in ...? What do you do / study?

<u>School-age students</u> Do you study English at school? Do you like it?

Thank you.

(Repeat for Candidate B.)

Have you got a job? What job do you do? / What subject(s) do you study?

Do you have English lessons?

Phase 2 **Examiner**

(Select one or more questions from the list to ask each candidate. Use candidates' names throughout. Ask Candidate B first.)

Back-up prompts

Do you enjoy studying English? Why (not)? Do you like studying English?

Do you think that English will be useful for you in Will you use English in the future? the future?

What did you do yesterday evening / last

Did you do anything yesterday evening / weekend? last weekend? What?

What do you enjoy doing in your free time? What do you like to do in your free time?

Thank you.

(Introduction to Part 2)

In the next part, you are going to talk to each other.

Speaking Test (History trip)

Part 2 (2-3 minutes)

Examiner Say to both candidates:

I'm going to describe a situation to you.

A teacher wants to get his students more interested in history, so he is going to take them on a class trip. Talk together about the different places they could visit and say which the students would find most interesting.

Here is a picture with some ideas to help you.

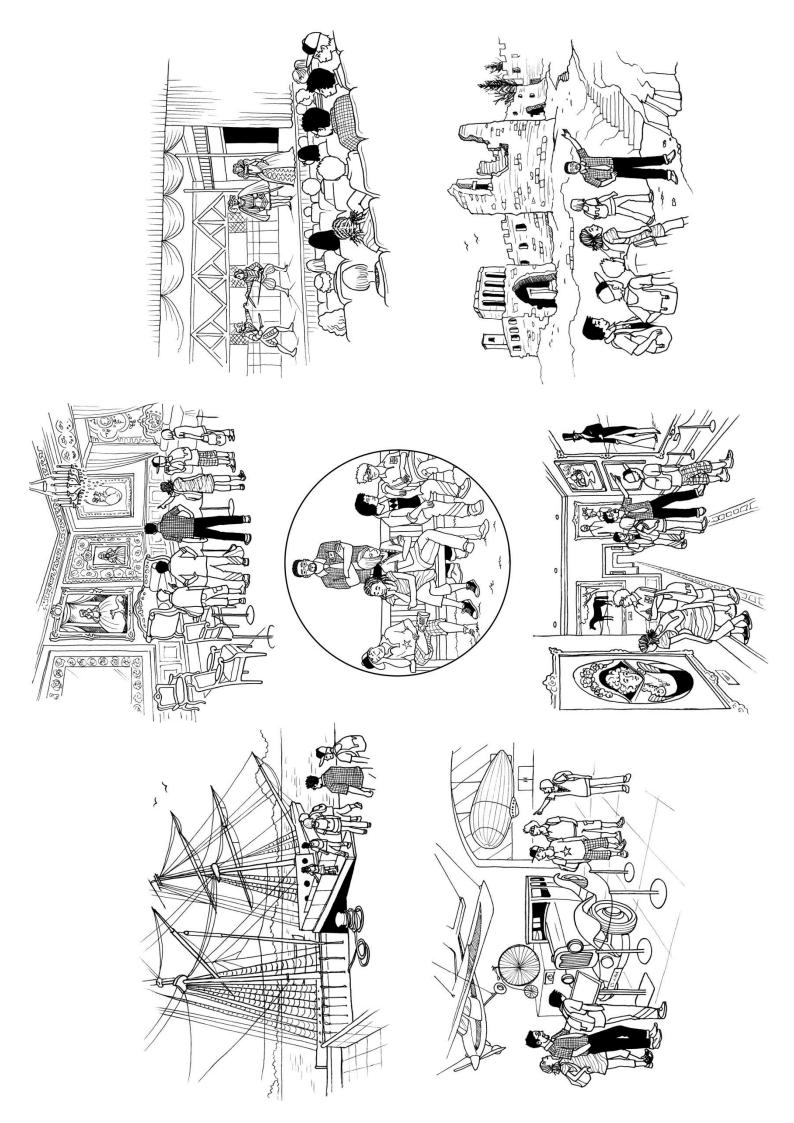
Ask both candidates to look at picture * on page * of the Student's Book and repeat the frame.

I'll say that again.

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All right? Talk together.

Allow the candidates enough time to complete the task without intervention. Prompt only if necessary.



Speaking Test Having fun with friends

Part 3 (3 minutes)

Examiner

Say to both candidates:

Now, I'd like each of you to talk on your own about something. I'm going to give each of you a photograph of friends having fun together.

Candidate A, here is your photograph. (Ask candidate A to look at photo B on page * of the student's book.) Please show it to Candidate B, but I'd like you to talk about it. Candidate B, you just listen. I'll give you your photograph in a moment.

Candidate A, please tell us what you can see in your photograph.

(Candidate A)

Approximately one minute

If there is a need to intervene, prompts rather than direct questions should be used.

Ask Candidate A to close his/her book.

Examiner

Now, Candidate B, here is your photograph. It also shows friends having fun together. (Ask Candidate B to look at photo A on page * of the student's book.) Please show it to Candidate A and tell us what you can see in the photograph.

(Candidate B)

Approximately one minute

Ask the candidates to close their books before moving to Part 4.

Part 4 (3 minutes)

Examiner

Say to both candidates:

Your photographs showed friends having fun together. Now I'd like you to talk together about when you have fun with your friends and what you and your friends enjoy doing together.

Allow the candidates enough time to complete the task without intervention. Prompt only if necessary.

Thank you. That's the end of the test.

Talk about when you have fun with your friends

Back-up Prompts

- 2. Talk about what you and your friends enjoy doing together.
- 3. Talk about the places you and your friends enjoy going to.
- 4. Talk about things you like doing on your own.

Parts 3 & 4 should take about 6 minutes together. (1)

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Speaking Test - parts 3 & 4

