

SPEAKING

This test will have 3 parts.

1. The interviewer will initiate a conversation with you.
2. You will give a presentation.
3. The examiner will give you a card with three quotes on the same topic. You will reflect on the quotes giving your personal opinion.

You now have 10 minutes to prepare the presentation.

Somebody will take you to the test room when it is your turn.

Part I: Warm-up

The candidate has a **one-minute** conversation with the examiner.



Good afternoon. My name is Jane and this is my colleague, Joe. So you are...

I'm Eleni.



Eleni, why are you learning English?

As a matter of fact, I don't think I could name a particular aim, it's just that I absolutely love this language. My father is an English teacher and a passionate one at that, so I have been surrounded by English ever since I can remember.



Have you had the opportunity to use English in real-life situations?

It may sound weird but I have never had the chance to use English in real-life situations, apart from giving directions to some tourists. Still, I don't feel at a disadvantage, as I have a very good teacher and we...



Thank you.

Part 2: Presentation

In the preparation room the candidate has ten minutes to choose one of two questions and prepare a **two-minute** formal presentation, based on his or her personal experience and knowledge.



In this part of the test, you are going to give the presentation you prepared earlier. So, Eleni, which question have you decided to talk about?

I've chosen 1b, that is: How has the family model changed over time in your country?



Good. You may use your notes but please do not read aloud from them. You may start when you are ready, and I will stop you after about **2 minutes**. You have 30 seconds to look through the information and your notes.



I'd like to talk about how the concept of family has been transformed in Hungary over the last decades. First, I will mention some reasons that have shaped social norms, then I will describe...



Presentation continues for 2 minutes.

Part 3: Perspectives

The candidate gets a card with three quotes on the same topic and has one minute to read the quotes. The task is to reflect on the quotes in maximum 3 minutes.



For the final part of the test, you are going to talk about a topic I will give you. Imagine that you are discussing "Memories" with your class. Please look at the topic card and read the quotations. Which of the three quotations do you agree with? Give your reasons. You have one minute to prepare and **3 minutes** to give your opinion. When you are ready, please start.

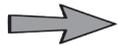
Topic: Memories

Which of the following quotations do you agree with? Give your reasons.

"The most beautiful things are not associated with money; they are memories and moments. If you don't celebrate those, they can pass you by." (Alek Wek)

"Memories of our lives, of our works and our deeds will continue in others." (Rosa Parks)

"Repetition doesn't create memories. New experiences do." (Brian Chesky)



1 minute preparation time



I suppose we all have strong views about the importance of memories, this is why I find it relatively easy to evaluate these quotes. It is the second one that appeals to me most, whereas I vehemently disagree with the other two. The first statement seems to me far from the truth...



The candidate speaks for 3 minutes.



Thank you.
That is the end of the test. Good-bye!