

Part 1 (2 minutes) Warm-up questions

Test-takers are asked 3-4 questions about themselves.

Habits

B1

- What is your daily routine?
- What are your study habits?

B2

- What good habits would you like to develop?
- Which bad habit would you like to change? Why?

C1

- To what extent have your habits changed over time?
- To what extent do other people's bad habits get on your nerves?
- How have your parents influenced the habits you've acquired?

Part 2 (2-3 minutes) Interview

Test-takers are asked 3-5 questions on a specific topic.

Family

B1

- How big is your family?
- What do you like doing with your family?
- Tell me about a member of your family.

B2

- What are the advantages of being an only child?
- What are the advantages of having brothers and sisters?
- What have you learnt from your parents?

C1

- "Blood makes you family, loyalty makes you friends?". What's your opinion?
- In what ways have family structures changed over the years?
- How will the role of the family change in the future?

Part 3 (3-5 minutes) Sustained monologue (opinion)

In part 3 of the speaking test, test-takers are asked to give a structured monologue on a topic. They have about 8 minutes to take notes. In their four-minute monologue, test-takers should give their opinion with relevant examples from their own experience or observations.

In the speaking test, test-takers can refer to their notes but cannot read them word for word.

STEREOTYPES

“It’s not a stereotype if it’s always true”.

You should consider the following:

- examples of national stereotypes
- stereotypes vs. reality
- possible consequences of stereotyping