



Respond to a Question and Interaction

Duration: 6 minutes

Examiner: In this part of the Test, I will ask each of you to respond to a question. You may use the ideas given below the question and/or use your own ideas to answer the question. Your partner will be asked to comment on what you have said and express his/her point of view as well.

-  *The Examiner must choose a question related to what each Candidate talked about in Section 2 of the Test.*
-  *The Examiner tells each Candidate to look at the chosen question and the points below it. When the Candidate has finished talking about the question, the Examiner asks the other Candidate to comment and express his/her point of view.*

1. It is virtually impossible to eat healthy food nowadays.

- fast pace of life
- too many ads for junk food
- extensive use of chemical pesticides

2. Schools should offer career guidance programmes to their students.

- expose students to the career options available today
- help students understand their strengths and weaknesses
- assist students to make a career choice related to their interests

3. Learning about other cultures is important.

- broadens our minds
- helps us overcome stereotypes
- teaches respect for other people's traditions

4. It might sometimes be difficult to ask for help.

- fear of rejection
- wanting to appear strong
- avoiding burdening others

5. An online booking system comes with several disadvantages.

- reduces face-to-face interaction
- relies on an Internet connection
- puts personal data at risk

Examiner: Thank you. This is the end of the Test.