

Sample lesson plan for *Get Ready for IELTS Speaking Review 1*

Student preparation for this class: Have students complete Review 1 (20 mins).

Teacher preparation: Photocopy Language development Spot check 1 hand out, one for each student and one for yourself. (5 mins)

Focus: Exercises 1 & 2 revise family words and adjectives to describe people; Exercise 3 revises possessive adjectives; Exercises 4–7 revise words for free time activities; Exercise 8 revises words to describe special occasions; Exercise 9 practises connecting ideas and Exercise 10 revises the past simple.

Spot check 1 (25 mins)

To check the learners' recall of vocabulary and language from Units 1-3, have them prepare and give short talks describing an interesting place.

1. Ask learners to work in pairs.
2. Tell them that they will have 5 minutes to describe an interesting place that they know well. Ask them to talk about their visit(s) to this place. They need to describe the people that went with them to this place, the people they met there, the activities that they did there, the special occasions that happen(ed) there, etc.
3. Write the different headings from the hand out on the board. Tell the learners that they will need to use as many words as possible for each heading and ask them for an example of each.
4. Give them 5 minutes to make notes and plan their talks.
5. Give them the hand out. Their partner listens and writes down the words they hear from each category.
6. Have feedback on the words and phrases that they used. Check which pair managed to get the most words and congratulate them.

