

SPEAKING EXAM PROCEDURES

INTRO – WARM-UP At this stage the interlocutor greets the candidates and asks one or two personal questions as a warm-up. This part is not assessed. A typical conversation is shown below.

Interlocutor: Hello. My name is..... What is your full name? And, can you spell your (family) name for me, please?

Candidate: (Spells (family) name)

Interlocutor: Can you show me your ID card please?

Candidate: (Shows his/her ID card/ passport with a picture of himself/herself to the camera)

Interlocutor: Thank you. Where are you from?

Candidate: (Responds)

Interlocutor: How was your summer holiday?

Candidate: (Responds)

PART 1 (2 MINUTES)

Interlocutor: Now, Part One. In this part, you are going to answer some personal questions.

(Each candidate is asked one of the questions in Part 1. They can be asked some follow-up questions to be encouraged to speak more.)

PART 2 (3-4 MINUTES)

Interlocutor: Now, Part Two. In this part, you are going to express your opinion about a statement for 2-3 minutes. You'll have 1 minute to think about and organize your ideas.

(Each candidate is given a statement and time (1 min) to think about his/her topic. Choose the topics from the list in order.)

Interlocutor: That is the end of the speaking exam. Thank you.