

TOEIC Review Lessons, Speaking 6 Student's copy

Part 1: Describing a photograph

Test Contents of Question 1

Task	Description	Evaluation Criteria
Describe a picture	This part will check how well the student can describe a picture in English.	 pronunciation Intonation and stress grammar vocabulary cohesion words number; Average Level: 50~60 High Level: 70~80

(In the actual TOEIC speaking test, the student has 30 seconds to prepare and then another 45 seconds to describe.)

The main activity of this part will go on according to the following order.

a. Explanation for the basic Steps how to describe a picture.

b. Leading to describe according to the Steps below.

- Step 1. Make a rough guess.
- Step 2. Describe from the back to the foreground, and from the left to the right.
- Step 3. Describe details on objects.
- Step 4. Imagine with the based information in the picture.
- c. Making an actual try to describe the picture for 45 seconds.

Examine the picture in details referring to the basic steps that we use to describe a picture.



Part 2: Respond to a written request

Test Contents of Question 2

Task	Description	Evaluation Criteria	
Respond to a request	This part will check how well a student can respond to an e-mail.	This part is originally a writing section. But due to the limitations of Telephone English Lessons, this part has been slightly modified.	
		The evaluation criteria is as followed: - Quality and variety of sentences. - Pronunciation, intonation and stress. - Grammar, vocabulary and cohesion. - Relevance and completeness of content.	

(In the actual TOEIC writing test, the student has 10 minutes to answer to a given e-mail.)

From : Amanda Parish (aubreal@aubreal.com) To : Tiger Woods Residents (tigworesidents@aubreal.com)

Subject : Tiger Woods Renovation Project Sent : 11:34 am. March 3

Tiger Woods Residents,

This is a reminder that this coming August 8, we will start renovating some of our apartments. As you know, your lease ends this coming August 3. Those who wish to renew their lease will need to sign by the end of April. If you have any questions, please send an e-mail to this address. Amanda Parish

Auburn Realty

(Directions: Respond to the e-mail as if you are a resident of Tiger Woods. In your e-mail, provide THREE suggestions for tour locations.)

From: Mary Belk (<u>mbelk@orange.com</u>)
To: Daiki Nakamura (<u>dnakamura@orange.com</u>)
Subject: New Interns
Sent: 2:14 pm. December 12

Daiki,

As you know, the yearly training program is coming up, and we need two interns to work as coordinators. Gender or age doesn't matter as long as they are fluent in English. I am aware of the fact that you interviewed several applicants two days ago and was wondering if there were any we could use. Please send me a list of a few people that you feel are adequate, with their names, ages, and brief descriptions.

Mary

(Directions: Respond to the e-mail as if you are Daiki. In your e-mail, give ONE suggestion and TWO questions on the business training program.)

Part 3: Expressing an opinion

Some people think that same-sex marriage shouldn't be allowed. Other people think that legal marriage status should not exclude homosexuals. Which do you agree with and why?

(Directions: Read the question and think of a response)

