**Practical English: Final Speaking Exam**

**Final Exam 35% of final grade**: 1. Written Exam (20%)

2. **Live Zoom** **Speaking Test (10%)**

* **Speaking Exam Report (5%)**

**Directions:** Use and submit a Speaking Test Report to organize and write the information you will say in your live Zoom Speaking Test.

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| Name |  |
| Student Number |  |
| Class Number |  |
| Major |  |
| Topic |  |

**Part 1: Self-Introduction. INTRODUCE yourself.**

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| 2. |
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**Part 2 (Speech): Choose ONE topic and write about it. Your speech must include:**

* 5 vocabulary words from Units 7-11, refer to p162-163
* complete and grammatically correct sentences

*Topics to consider (forum discussion topics):*

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| * Luxuries and necessities * Nature * Life in the Past * Travel * Careers | * Use the questions from the discussion classes * Expand on your idea using the internet * You can memorize your speech, but be prepared to do free speaking |

-------------------------------------- write your speech below ------------------------------------

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**Part 3: Have a conversation with your instructor about your chosen topic**

*Directions:*

1. Click on the Zoom link invitation; you will be in the “waiting room” until your instructor is ready to begin the test
2. the conversation will be between 2:00 - 3:00 minutes long
3. Begin the conversation by stating your name, student number, class number
4. Introduce yourself by stating your answers from **Part 1: Self-Introduction**
5. Begin speaking on your chosen topic, **Part 2: Speech**
   * Before the speaking test, read the **Speaking Tips** to guide you and to ensure that you present your speech confidently and clearly.
6. Submit/ Upload a completed **Speaking Test Report** to the LMS site in the “Speaking Test” assignment folder. **Deadline for submission: Monday, June 22nd, 2020 (9:00 AM)**

**Speaking Exam Grading Breakdown:**

Pronunciation/Intonation 5 points

Eye contact/Comprehension 5 points

Vocabulary/Content 5 points

Fluency/Grammar 5 points

**Speech Writing Tips**

* In your speech, describe the topic fully. Elaborate and give as much detail as possible. The more you say, the more points you can earn.
* Don’t make a list of items. For example, “I like soccer, badminton, baseball, tennis, swimming, skiing.”
* Use a variety of vocabulary and include at least 5 vocabulary words from Units 7-11.
* Write in a variety of simple or compound sentences [statement, question, exclamation] that express a complete thought.
* Do not copy information directly from the Internet. Avoid using direct translations. English and Korean are very different languages.
* Proofread your speech carefully by reading the sentences aloud many times to identify grammar mistakes and disruptions in the smooth delivery of your speech.

**Speaking Tips**

* Do not fake your intonation. Too high is as bad as speaking like a robot.
* Do not simply memorize your speech. It is obvious you have memorized something, and it does not sound natural. However, do not just *read* your speech. Make an effort to practice and become familiar with your speech so you can express the information confidently and naturally, without referring to your speech too much during your speaking test.
* Listen to the pronunciation of words on your phone dictionaries (Google Translate). Also, review these pages in your textbook for **Pronunciation Tips**.
  + Unit 2 (p18) Unit 8 (p99) Unit 12 (p151)
  + Unit 5 (p59) Unit 11 (p138)
* Practice your speech multiple times. Time yourself to make sure that you talk within the time limit.
* Do not act out a situation. This is not an audition for a drama. Talk freely and naturally.