

IELTS Speaking Part 2&3

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Abstract—speaking draft for IELTS test part 2 and 3

I. PEOPLE

A. Describe a person you know who is from a different culture

Leo Messi;

- Who he/she is
- Where he/she is from
- How you knew him/her
- How you feel about this person

For me that person should be Leo Messi. I think almost everybody knows him or ever heard about him. He is a football player from Argentina, with the nationality of both Spain and Argentina. I heard stories about him in my primary school, probably the year 2010. At that time Messi was still young, but he was already famous in the football area;

Firstly I thought Messi was a selfish man who only dribble the ball by himself and never passes it to his teammates, and know nothing about the teamwork. But now, actually since 2014, I have become a big fan of him. 2014 is the year when the Brazil world cup were held. If you are familiar with that cup, you must remember that the final was between Germany and Argentina, and unfortunately, Argentina lost that game with Mario Gotze scored at 114 minute. It's really sad because Messi and his teammates had several good chances before that goal. However, they didn't make it, I mean the chance didn't convert to a score. Sadly that match was just a start, Argentina lost another American cup final in the last 2 years. For Messi himself, Barcelona was turned over twice at the European Champions League.

I remember once during that time, Messi quitted the nation team because suffering from so many failures. But finally he came back again and led Argentina team for the 2018 World cup, sadly lost again.

Looking at Messi's career, you will see with such talents and diligence of him, failure still could be a common thing. I like his dribbling skills, which is really attractive, and I also like his humble personality. But most of all, I like his behavior that a man can be defeated, but sooner or later he should stand up then facing and overcoming those obstacles. This give me the bravery to handle my daily failure, too.

1. How can we get to know people from different cultures better?

first of all, respect; which means keep a humble profile and better know some of his or her culture. Especially the taboo in that culture;

Second one is to express any idea directly; That is to be simple, meet anything confusing, be free to say that I don't know then ask;

For more or detailed understanding, read books or watch news. Movies is also a good way.

2. What are the advantages and disadvantages of cultural diversity?

Advantages include that, one can know different kinds of culture and that could be interesting; different culture brings various custom, life style, these are the treasure of all human being.

Disadvantage might be, more possible conflict. But that is not for certain. Different culture might take misunderstanding, and even account for fight and blood. However, that can be avoided by peaceful communication.

3. How can traditional culture and other cultures coexist?

by finding similarity and ignore difference as much as possible. focus on the similarity or the double-win staff.

B. Describe a person who is fashionable

My girlfriend;

- Who he/she is
- What he/she does
- What kind of clothes he/she wears
- And explain why you think this person is fashionable

Okay I'm gonna talk about my girlfriend, a closest fashionable person to me.

C. Describe a person you know who loves to grow plants

My dad;

- D. Describe your favorite childhood friend*
- E. Describe a person who inspired you to do something interesting*

II. OBJECT

- A. Describe a photo you took and you are proud of*
- B. Describe an object that you think is beautiful*
- C. Describe a movie you watched recently and would like to watch again*
- D. Describe a program you like to watch*
- E. Describe an important thing you learned(not at school or university)*
- F. Describe a story or a novel that you have read and you found interesting*

III. PLACE

- A. Describe a popular place for doing sports*
- B. Describe the home of someone you know well and you often visit*
- C. Describe a place in your country that you would like to recommend to travelers*

IV. EVENT

- A. Describe a problem you had while shopping online or in a store*
- B. Describe a time when you made a decision to wait for something*
- C. Describe a time when you received money as a gift*
- D. Describe a disagreement you had with someone*
- E. Describe an outdoor activity you did in a new place recently*
- F. Describe a time when you forgot an appointment*
- G. Describe a time when you shared something with others*
- H. Describe a time when you needed to search for some information*
- I. Describe a time when you saw a lot of plastic waste (e.g. in a park, on the beach etc.)*
- J. Describe a time when you enjoyed an impressive English lesson*
- K. Describe a difficult thing you did and succeeded*