

SPEAKING #11

Part 1: Interview (4-5 minutes)

- **Examiner:** How concerned are you about environmental issues?
- **Examiner:** In your opinion, how aware is the younger generation about environmental problems?
- **Examiner:** Can you name a specific environmental issue that you find particularly pressing today?
- **Examiner:** What actions do you personally take to reduce your environmental footprint?
- **Examiner:** Have you ever participated in environmental conservation activities or events?

Part 2: Long Turn (1 minute preparation, 1-2 minutes speaking)

Examiner: In this part, I will give each of you three photographs related to environmental conservation.

Candidate A:

How do they illustrate efforts to protect the environment?

Which of these methods is the most efficient for you?



Candidate B, describe your photographs and explain how they illustrate efforts to protect the environment.

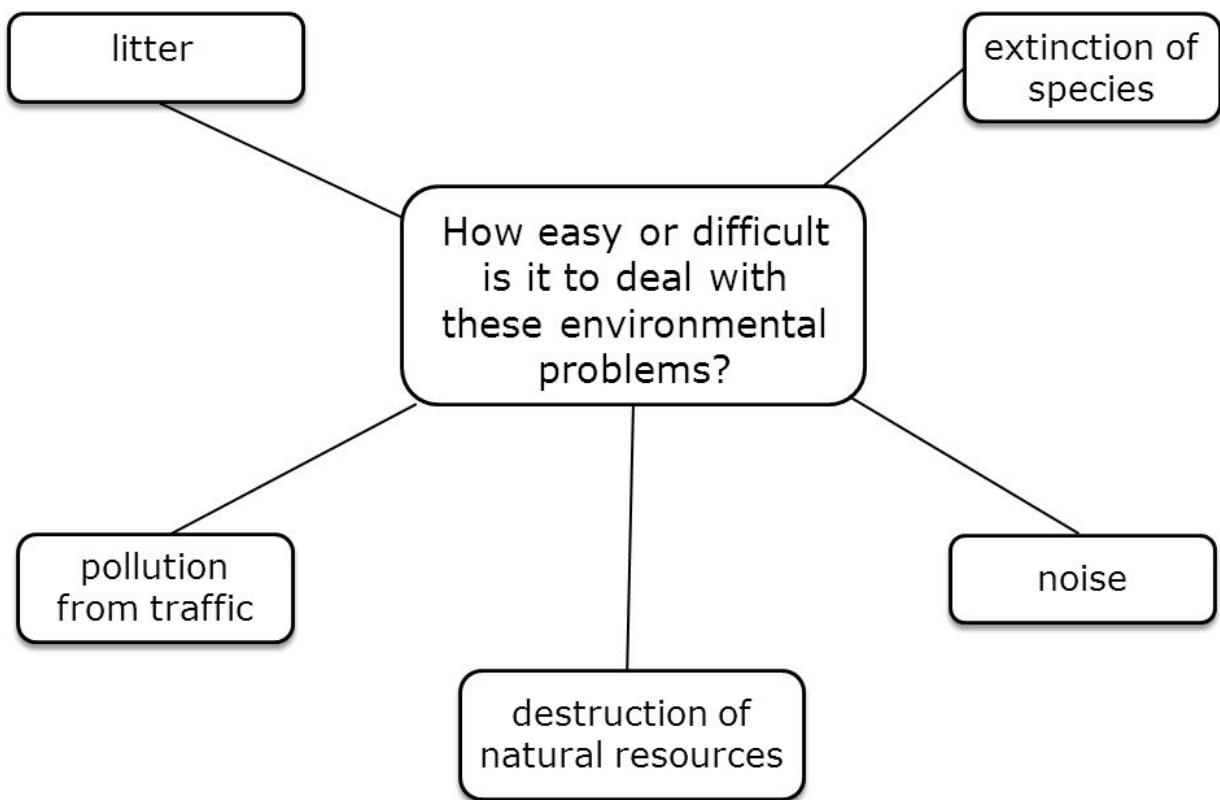
Examiner: Candidate B, it's your turn now. Please describe your photographs and explain:
How do they demonstrate the impact of technology on society?
How are the people in these pictures affected by the technology?



Candidate A, what do you think about Candidate B's photographs? How do they relate to technological advancements?

Part 3: Collaborative Task (2-3 minutes)

Examiner: Now, both of you will discuss environmental issues together. Here are some topics related to the environment and sustainability. Take a moment to look at them and then discuss which ones you consider the most critical and why.



Source: Cambridge English Advanced Practice Tests. Oxford. Test 3

Part 4: Discussion (4-5 minutes)

Examiner: Let's talk about the role of governments in addressing environmental problems. How much responsibility should governments bear in tackling environmental issues?

Candidate B/A: What's your take on this matter?

Examiner: Some argue that individual efforts alone won't solve global environmental crises, and stricter regulations are necessary. What are your thoughts on this?

Examiner: Do you believe that economic growth and environmental conservation can coexist, or are they often in conflict? Why?

Candidate B/A: What's your perspective on this issue?

Examiner: What initiatives can young people take to raise awareness and drive action on environmental concerns?

Examiner: Overall, do you think individuals and societies are doing enough to combat environmental challenges? Why or why not?

Candidate B/A: What's your opinion on this matter?

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