

Listening Script for TPO Test 5 Speaking Task 3

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Narrator

Now listen to two students discussing the article.

Student A

Did you see that article?

Student B

Yeah, and it sounds like a great idea. It's really good for the students in that program.

Student A

Don't they cook in class anyway?

Student B

Well, yeah, they do. But my cousin was in the program a few years ago, and she said that it's very different to cook for a lot of people in that kind of atmosphere than to cook for classmates.

Student A

Why is that?

Student B

Well, in class, you can take your time, but cooking for more people there is more pressure. I mean you are in a rush, people are waiting, and it might be easy to make a mistake with all that stress.

Student A

Then they'll think you are a bad chef right?

Student B

Absolutely.

Student A

So, OK, it's good practice. But what about the extra cost?

Student B

Well, look at it this way. You've eaten at some of the fancier restaurants in town right?

Student A

Well, there are some great places to eat around here.

Student B

Well, these students, they'll be making fantastic meals and it's gonna be cheaper than going out to one of those restaurants.

Student A

Much cheaper actually.

Student B

So, you know, it would be worth it. The meal will be as good as the ones in those expensive restaurants.