

### Midterm Exam General

- speaking test; check ability to speak fluently and accurately
- check your understanding of vocabulary
- about 6-7 minutes per person

### Question 1 Vocabulary (1 minute)

- vocabulary comprehension; random selection
- I say 3-4 words, you give me a quick definition

### Question 2 Review Poster Presentation (1-2 minutes)

- tell me about your presentation topic - What was the main idea?
- provide lots of details and expect follow up questions

### Question 3 Mini Speech (2 minutes)

- speak fluently about a topic (random)
- use long, full sentences with lots of details; expect follow up questions

Here are two topics with suggested questions to help you make a great answer. You will get one of these. Short answers with incomplete information, such as "I don't know, I'm not sure" will earn a low grade.

### Topic 1: A Special Thing

- What's one thing you shouldn't miss on a visit to ....?

You should:

- describe the thing that you like in great detail
- say where it can be found (i.e. neighborhood, city or country)
- explain why it is so good or special
- Use the text on page 22 as a model

### Topic 2: 2 proverbs

Use the stories and questions on pages 28 and 29 to help you create a long, proper mini-speech. You will discuss 2 proverbs: one from your own country and one from another place.

You should:

- tell me the proverbs; describe why they are memorable
- explain the messages they teach us
- discuss what we can learn about different cultures with the proverbs

### Question 4 Q&A (2 minutes)

Make an interesting answer with long sentences and lots of details. Expect a few follow up questions. This is your chance to show that you can be descriptive in the English language.

1. Describe how ideas about good manners have changed over the past few years. Be specific.
2. Describe a sporting event that you attended.
3. Describe a happy moment from your childhood.
4. Tell me about the types of food that people eat in your country. Have those food patterns changed over the years?
5. How are education priorities today different from those in the past?

Intermediate Conversation  
 Final exam vocabulary review

<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Cash</li> <li>2. Niece</li> <li>3. Wedding</li> <li>4. Snake</li> <li>5. Pet</li> <li>6. Avalanche</li> <li>7. Comb</li> <li>8. Not acceptable</li> <li>9. Choir</li> <li>10. Cream</li> <li>11. Beard</li> <li>12. View</li> <li>13. Manners</li> <li>14. Suntan</li> <li>15. Cut in line</li> <li>16. Rhyme</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>17. Bargain</li> <li>18. Cage</li> <li>19. Election</li> <li>20. President</li> <li>21. Eyelash</li> <li>22. Bar</li> <li>23. Show affection</li> <li>24. Ethical Relativism</li> <li>25. Thunder</li> <li>26. Guitar</li> <li>27. Computer</li> <li>28. Bucket</li> <li>29. Advertisement</li> <li>30. Optical illusion</li> <li>31. Poster</li> <li>32. Contradict</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>33. Moral dilemma</li> <li>34. Consequences</li> <li>35. Meritocracy</li> <li>36. Compassion</li> <li>37. Shake hands</li> <li>38. Intention</li> <li>39. Summarize</li> <li>40. Culture</li> <li>41. Festival</li> <li>42. Handicrafts</li> <li>43. Sculpture</li> <li>44. National anthem</li> <li>45. Silent syllable</li> <li>46. Average</li> <li>47. Burp</li> <li>48. Poem</li> </ol>
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>49. Emerald</li> <li>50. Keep your voice down</li> <li>51. Bow</li> <li>52. Point at people</li> <li>53. Rude</li> <li>54. The bill</li> <li>55. Passive sentence</li> <li>56. Complain</li> <li>57. Funeral</li> <li>58. Server</li> <li>59. Go abroad</li> <li>60. Proverb</li> <li>61. Reply</li> <li>62. Suburb</li> <li>63. Stream</li> <li>64. Invention</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Get off</li> <li>2. Get out of</li> <li>3. Get it</li> <li>4. Get over something</li> <li>5. Get going</li> <li>6. Get away with</li> <li>7. Get used to</li> <li>8. Get the feeling</li> <li>9. Get through something</li> <li>10. Get around to</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Active versus passive sentence</li> <li>2. Walk around barefoot</li> <li>3. To tip</li> <li>4. To bargain</li> <li>5. Culture</li> <li>6. Cut in line</li> <li>7. Keep your voice down</li> <li>8. To bow</li> <li>9. Supposed to do something</li> <li>10. Extrovert</li> <li>11. Chitchat</li> <li>12. Prejudice</li> <li>13. Bossy</li> </ol>