# ESOL Skills for Life

## Speaking and Listening

### Level 2

Sample Assessment – Candidate Paper

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Task 1 - Listening

You will hear two extracts. Each will be played three times. You should read the questions on your paper before the recording is played.

Questions 1 to 7.

Read the questions.

You are about to move out of your flat. Listen to this answer phone message from the estate agent. The message will be played 3 times. Make a note of what you need to do by answering the questions below.

1. Describe in detail what you need to clean in the kitchen.
   ____________________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (2 marks)

2. Give 2 examples of what needs to be cleaned across the whole flat.
   ____________________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (2 marks)

3. How must carpets be cleaned?
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (1 mark)

4. What items will be checked in the kitchen and why?
   ____________________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (2 marks)

5. Give an example of damage to decoration that will be charged for.
   ____________________________________________________________________________
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (1 mark)

6. If there is any damage, how will this be paid for?
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (1 mark)

7. What should you do with the keys?
   ____________________________________________________________________________ (1 mark)
Questions 8 to 12.

The Film Review Programme

Read the questions.

You will hear a man and a woman on the radio talking about a film they have seen.

8. Who is Katrina Pavlova? ____________________________________________ (1 mark)

9. How long ago did the film Total Explosion 2 come out? ________________ (1 mark)

10. What kind of a film is Apron Strings?

   Tick ✔ one box below below. (1 mark)

   A. violent  
   B. funny  
   C. sad  
   D. funny and sad

11. How would you sum up the tone of this discussion?

   Choose three words by putting a tick ✔ in three boxes below. (3 marks)

   polite  
   well-informed  
   hesitant  
   discourteous  
   friendly  
   argumentative  
   bored  
   tense

12. Match the name with the description A, B, C, D or E from the list below.

   There is one more description than you need. (4 marks)

   Johnny Hopkins  
   George Clinton  
   Nicola Nuttall  
   Apron Strings  

   A. film director  
   B. film critic  
   C. film title  
   D. film star  
   E. film producer
Task 2 - Individual Speaking Activity

You are attending a local consultation meeting.

Your tutor will ask you to play the part of one of the following:

- A representative of the developer
- A local business owner
- A local resident

You will present your point of view, with reasons for up to 2 minutes.
You should present information in a formal and logical way, using description and comparison.
You should listen to others and ask questions.

Consultation meeting for new shopping development
Monday 10 September 7.30 pm Town Hall

The local Council has given planning permission for a new shopping centre in the High Street which will include a big supermarket, a range of other retail outlets as well as extra parking.

The new shopping centre will provide jobs for local people and more choice for shoppers say the developers.

However, local shopkeepers fear that they may be forced to close their businesses as a result of the competition.

Many residents think the development will spoil the look of the high street and create more traffic pollution and poor air quality.

Have your say!

You have 10 minutes to prepare what you are going to say.
You can make notes or use bullet points but you cannot use full sentences.
You should not read out what you want to say.

Total marks Task 2 : 15
Task 3 - Discussion with a Group

(guide 20 minutes including preparation time)

Your group is given the issue below to discuss. You must discuss the issue with others and come to some conclusions. By the end of the discussion you must all agree four key points related to the issue.

You have 10 minutes to decide what you think and to prepare individually things you want to say. You may make notes in bullets, but not full sentences to refer to during the discussion.

Remember to:

- communicate detailed information, ideas and opinions clearly
- make relevant contributions
- give your views and opinions supported by evidence
- ask and respond to detailed questions
- respond constructively and appropriately moving the discussion forward and providing further detail and clarification when necessary.

Without technology, the world would be a simpler and more sociable place to live as it was for past generations.

Total marks Task 3 : 15