

Proficiency and Exemption Speaking Exam consists of three parts;

1. Warm-up Questions* (1-2 minutes)
2. Comparing and Contrasting Pictures (3-4 minutes)
3. Two-way Conversations (5 minutes)

***Warm-up part is NOT graded.**

1. Warm-up Questions (1-2 min.)

- The interlocutor will ask the questions below and repeat the same procedure for each student.

Sample:

First of all, I'm going to ask you some questions about yourselves.

To Student A – Do you live in Seyrek?

To Student B – And you?

What do you like about living (here/name of student's town)?

And what about you (Student A/B)?

2. Picture Description (3-4 min.)

- The interlocutor will show photos 1 and 2 for student A and ask the student to compare and contrast them based on the prompt written above the photos.
- The interlocutor will ask additional questions if needed.
- The interlocutor will repeat the same procedure for student B.

Sample:

Please compare and contrast these two photographs in terms of relationships between people.



Additional Questions:

What kind of relationship might the people in each photo have?

How are the people in each photo interacting with each other?

Where do you think the photos have been taken?

3. Two-way Conversations (5 min.)

- The interlocutor will explain students' task and show them the prompt about the task.
- The interlocutor will ask the students to talk to each other and won't join in their conversation.
- The interlocutor will end the session for each pair by saying "*Thank you. That is the end of the test*".

Sample:

Imagine that you and your friend are organizing a weekend event for a group of classmates. You need to decide what kind of event to plan and how to make it fun and suitable for everyone. Here are some ideas to help you with your discussion. You have 30 seconds to look at the task.

- Type of event (e.g., picnic, game night, movie night)
- Location and setting
- Activities and entertainment
- Time, date, and budget

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