

SPEAKING INSTRUCTIONS

Part 4

Questions

Where is your favourite place to go on a school trip? (Why?)

Generally/Usually I like to go to ... (place) as there is a lot to do/see e.g. shopping, sightseeing. Great places to eat: fast food restaurants/more traditional restaurants. Places to relax/have fun/play sports in parks/at seaside/on the beach. Lots of tourists/young people so interesting, full of life.

Do you prefer travelling by bus or by boat? (Why?)

Prefer travelling by bus: quicker, cheaper, more convenient, bus stops everywhere, also more comfortable. Travelling by boat can be cold, unpleasant if sea rough.

Prefer travelling by boat: feel you are part of nature with sea all around you. Nicer to be outdoors on boat than inside bus when good weather. Slower than bus so you can relax more.

What things would you like to have with you on a school trip?

Useful things to take: mobile/camera for taking photos, mobile for texting friends, searching for information on internet. Bag for putting things in. Snacks e.g. chocolate, crisps so not hungry, water so not thirsty.

Things to take for entertainment: MP3 player for listening to music, tablet for watching films, smart phone for playing games.

Have you ever been on a really boring school trip?

Yes: went to the countryside/another town/city. Nothing to do, weather bad. Journey by coach very long, nothing to see, only fields, trees/buildings, factories. Didn't have good company, friend(s) not on trip.

No: always have fun when no lessons. Like travelling by coach/train. Have fun with other classmates. Teachers choose best/most interesting places to go to. Good to have free time on own during day.

What was the best trip you have ever been on?

Best trip was to ... (place). Exciting, everything new, different, lots to do: shopping, playing sports in park/on beach. Good company, with classmates, best friend.

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Part 2

Describing a photo: Clothes for the office / Working in fashion

1 Talking about a person / what someone looks like

Photo 1A

2 office workers/businessmen

Older man: middle-aged, short, white/grey hair, wedding ring on hand so must be married

Clothes: brown suit, light blue shirt with collar, brown tie with pattern on it

Younger man: approaching middle-age, short, brown hair

Clothes: dark blue/black suit, blue shirt and shiny blue tie, dark trousers with belt

Photo 1B

3 young people, 2 boys, 1 girl: possibly teenagers/very young adults

Boy on left: short, fair hair, blue eyes, very fair skin

Clothes: green shirt with blue lines, unusual jacket, blue/purple with black, leather sleeves, very short green top over jacket, trousers blue, green/black pattern, blue/purple belt

Boy in middle: short, curly brown/black hair, brown eyes, olive skin

Clothes: unusual jacket with white collar, strange pattern on front, pink, black, circles blue/purple sleeves, trousers red and blue pattern, black leather pockets

Girl: wearing orange eye make-up, long, light brown hair tied at back of head in unusual style

Clothes: green, sleeveless dress, orange around shoulder area, orange belt

2 Talking about a place/things you can see

Photo 1A: city/town, possibly centre, large white building behind, many windows, possibly office/shops.

Photo 1B: Not clear where group is, possibly in photographer's studio as look like models.

3 Other

Describe what the person/people are doing. Why you think they are doing this.

Photo 1A

2 men talking, look serious, each man looking at the other, maybe just left meeting, need to discuss important topics, younger man has raised his hand, possibly trying to explain something.

Photo 1B

Boy with fair hair looking directly at camera / photographer, boy with dark hair looking to left, away from camera, shoulder touching other boy's shoulder, standing with his back to the other boy, face-to-face with the girl.

Girl touching chin of boy with her finger.

All are standing in a way that is not natural, looks like they are models and photographer taking photos of them in a studio.



Part 3

Vocabulary for different jobs

doctor	photographer
architect	policeman
lorry driver	office worker
teacher	

Making a suggestion:

Do you think (s)he has thought about becoming a ...? (job)
(S)he could become a ... (job).

Saying why a job is good

Doctor: help people, challenging, always interesting, meet lots of different people, learn new things all the time, earn a lot of money

Lorry driver: travel a lot, see new places, earn a lot of money, meet new people

Teacher: challenging, always interesting, learn a lot, can feel satisfied with what you do

Photographer: challenging, celebrity photographers earn a lot of money, meet lots of people, often travel for job

Policeman: challenging, every day is different, new situations, meet lots of new people

Office worker: not too difficult, know everyone in office, not too stressful

Saying why a job isn't good

Doctor: long hours, often need to work weekends, responsible for patients, can't make a mistake, need to study a lot, always have to learn about new things

Architect: long and tiring days, lots of responsibility, cannot make a mistake, have to work with many different people

Lorry driver: long hours can get boring, driving alone, can be dangerous, driving all day/night, might have an accident

Teacher: responsible for your students/young children, have to study, always learn about new things, don't earn much money, students can be difficult

Photographer: don't earn much money unless you work for a newspaper/are celebrity photographer, can spend long time trying to get just one good photo, working with people can be difficult

Policeman: can be very dangerous, don't earn much money, long hours, may need to work weekends

Office worker: not very challenging, can be boring, people you work with may be difficult, don't earn much money

Saying which you think is the best idea

I think ... (job) would be the best job for him/her as he/she likes/doesn't like challenging situations and it is/isn't important for him/her to earn a lot of money.

He/She would also have to / also wouldn't have to work with people which would be good for him/her.

Asking if someone agrees

Do you think that job would be good for him/her?
How about working as a ... (job)?

Part 4

Questions

What job would you most like to do?

I would like to work as a ... (job) because you can earn / even though you don't earn a lot of money. It would/wouldn't be challenging and I would have to be/wouldn't have to be responsible for other people. Also, I could/wouldn't have to travel a lot in this job and I could/wouldn't have to meet lots of new people.

Which jobs are the most dangerous ones?

Jobs which require dealing with dangerous people e.g working as a policeman. Also jobs that require travelling to foreign countries where there are wars e.g working as a journalist or working as a soldier.

Are there jobs that are only for women or only for men?

Yes: Some people think that women are not strong enough to build houses, or work as soldiers and fight face-to-face with the enemy.

Some other people think that men are maybe better at driving lorries, or even at working as driving instructors!

Women often enjoy looking after other people, which may explain why there are so many female nurses.

No: Nowadays men and women do same jobs. Jobs done only by men before e.g soldier, bus driver, scientist now done by women. Also jobs only done by women before e.g nurse, cleaner now done by men.

What should someone look for in a job?

Depends on person, different people want different things. But most people want to earn a lot of money, not have to work too many hours and have a good working environment.

If money weren't a problem for you, which job would you prefer to have?

I would like to work as a(n) ... (job) as I would find the job very challenging, interesting. I would be able to travel a lot/meet lots of people and go to interesting places.