UNIT 4: LEARNING A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

GETTING STARTED +LISTEN & READ

Paola: Hey, Lan! Have you finished your exam?

Lan: Yes ..., I have.

Paola: Were the questions difficult?

Lan: Well, they were quite hard.

Paola: Did you pass?

Lan: I'm not sure. The examiner didn't tell me.

Paola: What questions did she ask you?

Lan: First she asked me what my name was, and where I came from. Paola: They were easy for you, weren't they?

Lan: ... Then she asked me why I was learning English, ... and if I spoke any other languages.
Paola: Go on.
Lan: ... Then she asked me how I learned English in my country.... And she asked how I would use English in the future.

Paola: What else did she ask you?

Lan: Oh, Paola! Let me try to remember! ... Ah, she asked me what aspect of learning English I found most difficult.

Paola: Is that all, Lan?

Lan: Oh. There were a lot of other questions. She also asked me to read a passage.

Paola: What did she say in the end?

Lan: I'm trying to remember...

Oh, yes! Exactly she said "If you want to attend the course, you must pass the written examination.

Good luck!"

Paola: It's terrible. Lan. I don't

think I will be able to pass the exams.

Lan: Don't worry, Paola. Everything will be all right.

Task 1: Vocabulary

tra hỏi, xem xét	cuối cùng	khá	chính xác	tham dự
giám khảo	sự tham dự	người tham dự	kỳ thi	đoạn văn

LIVEWORKSHEETS

quite /kwaɪt/ (adv) = _____

examine /ɪgˈzæmɪn/ (v): _____

+ examiner (n): _____

+ examination /ɪgˌzæmɪˈneɪʃn/ (n): _____

exactly /ɪgˈzæktli/ (adv): _____

in the end = finally, at last : _____

attend /əˈtend/ (v): _____

+ attendance /əˈtendəns/ (n) _____

+ attendant /əˈtendənt/ (n) _____

passage (n)/ˈpæsɪdʒ/ : _____

Task 1: Practice the dialogue with a partner.

Task 2: Answer. What exactly did the examiner ask Lan? Look at the list of questions and check (√) the boxes.

ROYAL ENGLISH COLLEGE Examination in English as a foreign language Stage One: Oral Examination (This list must not be shown to the candidates.)	
1. What is your name?	
2. Where do you come from?	
3. Where do you live?	
4. Do you live with your parents?	
5. When did you begin studying English?	
6. Why are you learning English?	
7. Do you speak any other languages?	
8. How did you leam English in your country?	
9. How will you use English in the future?	
10. What aspect of learning English do you find most difficult?	
11. What are you going to learn?	
12. What are your hobbies?	
13. Look at this picture. Describe it	
14. Read this passage	

LIVEWORKSHEETS