

Exercise 3

Read the information. Then put the sentences from the introduction to the IELTS Speaking Part 2 response in the correct order. Watch the video of a native English speaker doing Part 2 and check your answers.

In IELTS Speaking Part 2, it is important to structure your talk. Giving a good introduction is one good way of making sure you do this.



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Well, he is a novelist. In fact, he is an acclaimed prize-winning author, and I think he's published about seven novels – well, seven that I know of, anyway – and many short stories, too.

OK, the person I'm going to talk about is David Mitchell.

But I suppose the important question is, what is it that he does that is creative?

I'll start by saying that I'm afraid I don't know much about the background of David, except that he is from the UK, that he once worked as an English teacher in Japan and that he has a son who suffers from autism.

Two of his novels are among my favourite novels of all time.

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