

Unit objectives



Speaking

Speaking Parts 2 and 3

Preparing and giving two Part 2 talks; introduction to Part 3: generalizing and distancing

Pronunciation: speech rate and chunking



Listening

understanding the structure of a listening text

deciding on the type of information needed

note completion



Reading

using the title and subheading to predict passage structure

Skimming; table completion; flow-chart completion; True / False / Not Given



Writing

Writing Task 2

analyzing the task; brainstorming; arguments for and against a point of view; writing introductory and second paragraphs; expressing one's opinion clearly; introducing one's own and other people's arguments; writing conclusions