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Task 1: Role Play

In the first part of the Speaking exam, designed as a role play, students had to answer four questions with written prompts on the candidate card. Also, a question was intended to measure the candidate's ability to form a question.

The evidence obtained shows that this part was well answered.

The cases in which the students did not answer were mostly related to forming and asking the question.

Task 2: Picture-based

This task aimed to assess students' ability to:

- describe the picture
- narrate events
- give information
- express and exchange opinions

The result from the marking shows that in describing the image, the candidates' performance was generally good.

Referring to past and future events in the third and fourth questions has been challenging for some candidates.

Task 3: Conversation

This section included conversation based on two themes:

The first topic is chosen by the student before the assessment.

The second theme is allocated by Pearson.

Some candidates were not prepared for this part in advance.

The evidence of marking indicates that questions from part 2 were answered well.

Sometimes, the students only asked short questions or needed the examiner's prompt.

The results show that the students had an acceptable performance in different parts of the exam, but a need for improvement in the ability to formulate questions and more preparation for the topics assigned by Pearson.

Advice to Centres

Ensure to provide clear instructions and guidance to examiners, candidates, and teachers to enhance the quality and consistency of examinations.

Centres must ensure high-quality recordings by using well-functioning equipment and conducting exams in quiet environments to minimize background noise.

Candidates and their teachers should be well-acquainted with the examination topics to ensure thorough preparation beforehand.