

PTE Speaking Practice Test 1

Personal Introduction

Read the prompt below. In 25 seconds, you must reply in your own words, as naturally and clearly as possible. You have 30 seconds to record your response. Your response will be sent together with your score report to the institutions selected by you.

Please introduce yourself. For example, you could talk about one or more of the following:

1. Your interests
2. Your plans for future study
3. Why you want to study abroad
4. Why you need to learn English
5. Why you chose this test

Question 1 : Read Aloud

Look at the text below. In 40 seconds, you must read this aloud as naturally and clearly as possible. You have 40 seconds to read this text aloud:

1) Criticism:

The insults and criticism were not unexpected. What was surprising was people's enthusiasm about the competition. Thousands have participated in the discussion.

2) Glamorous person:

Who do you think is the most glamorous person? A biotechnologist who led his company in international research, an ordinary welder who gained international fame through his work, or a photographer complimented widely for a series of photos?

3) Executive Residence:

The Executive Residence in The White House, in the United States of America, where the president resides is divided in several wings. It also includes the vice-president's and president's staff's offices. This government building is a national heritage site.

4) Cloud seeding:

Cloud seeding, a form of weather modification, is a way of attempting to change the amount of precipitation that comes from clouds. Cloud seeding is carried out by dispersing substances into the air, but it also occurs due to ice nucleates in nature, most of which are bacterial in origin.

5) Language:

"There are, of course, intercultural difficulties as well as language difficulties," he said. "There are, of course, also many Australian students who don't speak such fantastically good English either.

6) Passion:

Do something you are very passionate about and do not try to chase what is considered the hot passion of the day. People say you have to have a lot of passion for what you're doing, and it's totally true. You have to do it over a sustained period of time. So, if you don't love it, you're going to give up.

7) Charlie Parker:

Charlie Parker noticed that the solos were only improvised through the melodies, but that he could also improvise them through the chords, thus creating new variations over the structure of the songs, and also playing more notes and faster.

Question 2 : Repeat Sentence

You will hear some sentences in this [audio](#). Please repeat each sentence exactly as you hear it. You will hear each sentence once only.

Question 3 : Describe Image

Look at the diagram below. In 25 seconds, please speak what it is showing. You will have 40 seconds to give your response.

Image 1



Image 2



Image 3



Question 4 : Retell Lecture

You will hear a lecture. After listening to the lecture, in 10 seconds, please tell what you have just heard from the lecture, in your own words. You will have 40 seconds to give your response.

Play the [audio](#) to listen to the related recording.

Item 1:



Question 5 : Answer Short Questions

Play the [audio](#) to listen to the related recording. You will hear some questions. Please give a simple and short answer to each one. Often just one or a few words are enough.