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Task 1. Imagine that you are preparing a project with your friend. You have found some interesting material for the presentation and you want to read this text to your friend. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, then be ready to read it out aloud. You will not have more than 1.5 minutes to read it.

When you look at a coffee bean, it's really hard to believe that such a small thing is so important for so many people. Coffee is the world's second most traded thing. It is by all means one of the most popular drinks ever. Statistics says that the major part of the planet population drink coffee. Some prefer black coffee, that is coffee served without milk. Others like white coffee – coffee with milk.

However, few people know enough about coffee beans. First of all, coffee beans are actually not beans. They are the pits of a fruit. In fact, coffee comes from coffee cherries and they are only called beans because they look a bit like other beans. Secondly, most of the world's coffee comes from one country. Brazil is by far the largest producer of coffee in the world selling nearly a third of all the coffee drunk in the world.

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Task 2. Study the advertisement.

You are considering going to the karaoke bar and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) location
- 2) opening hours
- 3) entrance fee
- 4) styles of music played
- 5) discounts for students

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.

The best karaoke bar ever!



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Question 1.

1) Ask a direct question about **location**.

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Question 2.

2) Ask a direct question about **opening hours**.

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Question 3.

3) Ask a direct question about **entrance fee**.

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- 2 Question 4.
4) Ask a direct question about **styles of music played**.

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- 2 Question 5.
5) Ask a direct question about **discounts for students**.

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Task 3. These are photos from your photo album. Choose one photo to describe to your friend. You will have to start speaking in 1.5 minutes and will speak for not more than 2 minutes (12–15 sentences). In your talk remember to speak about:

- where and when the photo was taken
- what/who is in the photo
- what is happening
- why you keep the photo in your album
- why you decided to show the picture to your friend

You have to talk continuously, starting with: "I've chosen photo number ..."

Photo 1.



Photo 2.



Photo 3.



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Task 3. Describe the photo to your friend. In your talk (12–15 sentences) remember to speak about:

Photo 1.



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Task 4. Study the two photographs. In 1.5 minutes be ready to compare and contrast the photographs:

- give a brief description of the photos (action, location)
- say what the pictures have in common
- say in what way the pictures are different
- say which of the professions presented in the pictures you'd prefer
- explain why

You will speak for not more than 2 minutes (12–15 sentences). You have to talk continuously.

Photo 1.



Photo 2.

