



# IELTS Safari

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## IELTS Preparation Course

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Please note colour key:

- ◆ Theory and Practice
- ◆ Practice only
- ◆ Skype Speaking Lesson

## **LESSON 1** ::: ESSENTIALS

- 1.1 General Information about IELTS
- 1.2 Introduction to IELTS Listening
- 1.3 Introduction to IELTS Reading
- 1.4 Introduction to IELTS Writing
- 1.5 Introduction to IELTS Speaking
- 1.6 IELTS Tips
- 1.7 The Marking System

Homework: [English Level Test](#)

## **LESSON 2** ::: READING

- 2.1 Skimming and Scanning
- 2.2 ABC Questions
- 2.3 TFNG Questions
- 2.4 Three –Word Questions
- 2.5 The Easiest Reading Strategy
- 2.6 Reading Test Activity 1
- 2.7 Reading Test Activity 2
- 2.8 Reading Test Activity 3

Homework: [Reading Task 1](#)

Homework: [Reading Task 2](#)

## **LESSON 3** ::: WRITING (WT1)

- 3.1 Data Graphs – Structure
- 3.2 Good planning
- 3.3 Writing Task 1 Constructor
- 3.4 Templates for Writing Task 1

Homework: [Writing Task 1 Structure – Topic 1](#)

Homework: [Writing Task 1 Structure – Topic 2](#)

Homework: [Writing Task 1 Structure – Topic 3](#)

Homework: [Writing Task 1 Structure – Topic 4](#)

## **LESSON 4** ::: WRITING (WT1)

4.1 Writing Task 1 - Data Graphs Samples and Model Answers

Homework: [Writing Task 1 – Report](#)

## **LESSON 5** ::: LISTENING

5.1 Listening Question Types

5.2 ABC questions (Listening)

5.3 Three - word /Gaps Questions (Listening)

5.4 Tables (Listening)

5.5 Listening Trick List

5.6 Sample Listening Test

## **LESSON 6** ::: LISTENING

Homework: [Listening Section 2](#)

Homework: [Listening Section 3](#)

Homework: [Listening Section 4](#)

Homework: [Listening - Tricky Numbers - Exercise 1](#)

Homework: [Listening - Tricky Numbers - Exercise 2](#)

Homework: [Listening - Tricky Names - Exercise 3](#)

Homework: [Listening - Tricky Names - Exercise 4](#)

## **LESSON 7** ::: READING

7.1 "Roman" Questions

7.2 Sample 1 (Roman Questions)

7.3 Matching

7.4 Sample 2 (Matching Type 1)

7.5 Sample 3 (Matching Type 2)

Homework: [Reading Task 1](#)

Homework: [Reading Task 2](#)

Homework: [Reading Task 3](#)

Homework: [Reading Task 4](#)

Homework: [Reading Task 5](#)

## **LESSON 8** ::: WRITING (LR)

8.1 Lexical Resource

8.2 Vocabulary for IELTS

Homework: [Writing – Lexical Resource - Exercise 1](#)

Homework: [Writing – Describing Trends - Exercise 2](#)

Homework: [Writing – Describing Trends - Exercise 3](#)

Homework: [Writing – Making Comparisons - Exercise 4](#)

## **LESSON 9** ::: WRITING (WT1)

9.1 Process Graphs – Structure

9.2 Writing Task 1 Process Graphs Samples and Model Answers

9.3 Writing Task 1 Marking System

9.4 Task Achievement

Homework:: Writing – Task Achievement

## **LESSON 10** ::: LISTENING

10.1 Spelling and Self Correction

10.2 Listening Practice Test (Standard)

10.3 Listening Practice Test Explanation

## **LESSON 11** ::: READING

11.1 Tables and Gaps Questions

11.2 Sample 4 (Tables and Gaps)

Homework: Reading Task 1

Homework: Reading Task 2

Homework: Reading Task 3

Homework: Reading Task 4

## **LESSON 12** ::: WRITING (WT2)

12.1 Writing Task 2 – Essay Types

12.2 Writing Task 2 (Standard) – Structure

12.3 Templates for Writing Task 2

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 1

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 2

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 3

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 4

## **LESSON 13** ::: WRITING (WT2)

13.1 Writing Task 2 – Introduction

13.2 Writing Task 2 – Conclusion

Homework: Introduction – Exercise 1

Homework: Conclusion – Exercise 2

## **LESSON 14** ::: WRITING (WT2)

14.1 Writing Task 2 (Standard) Samples and Model Answers

Homework: Writing Task 2 (Standard) – Essay

## **LESSON 15** ::: SPEAKING

15.1 Speaking – "First Impression Counts" Questions

15.2 IELTS Speaking Tricks and Tips

15.3 What you should do if..

15.4 How to structure your answer

15.5 Extra Tips and Conclusion

Homework: Speaking – Fillers – Exercise 1

Homework: Speaking – Fillers – Exercise 2

Homework: Speaking – Imagination Development – Exercise 3

Homework: Speaking – Imagination Development – Exercise 4

Homework: Speaking – Intonation – Exercise 5

Homework: Speaking – "First impression counts" Questions – Exercise 6

[Skype Lesson: Speaking Part 1 - First Impression Counts – 30 minutes](#)

## **LESSON 16** ::: WRITING (WT2)

16.1 Writing Task 2 (Non-Standard) – Structure

16.2 Task Response

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 5

Homework: Writing Task 2 Structure – Topic 6

## **LESSON 17** ::: WRITING (WT2)

17.1 Writing Task 2 (Non-Standard) Samples and Model Answers

Homework: Writing Task 2 (Non-Standard) – Exercise

## **LESSON 18** ::: READING

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

## **LESSON 19** ::: WRITING (GRA)

19.1 Grammatical Range and Accuracy

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 1

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 2

## **LESSON 20** ::: WRITING (CC)

20.1 Cohesion and Coherence

20.2 How to improve your CC

20.3 Cohesion/Coherence FAQ

20.4 LR and GRA for Your Band

Homework: Cohesive devices

## **LESSON 21** ::: LISTENING + READING

Homework: Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

## **LESSON 22** ::: SPEAKING

22.1 How IELTS Speaking is marked and common mistakes

22.2 How to improve fluency and pronunciation

22.3 Speaking Part 1 Explained

22.4 Speaking Part 1 - Most Common Questions

22.5 The Most Popular IELTS Speaking Questions and Answers

Homework: Speaking – Intonation Exercise 1

Homework: Speaking – Pronunciation Exercise 2

[Skype Lesson: Speaking Part 1 – Random Questions – 30 minutes](#)

## **LESSON 23** ::: LISTENING + READING + WRITING

Homework: – Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: – Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

Homework: – Writing Test (full)

Writing Task 1

Writing Task 2

## **LESSON 24** ::: SPEAKING

24.1 Speaking Part 2 and Part 3

24.2 Focus on Speaking Part 3

24.3 Vocabulary for IELTS Speaking

24.4 IELTS Speaking Myths

Homework: Cue Cards for Speaking

[Skype Lesson: Speaking Part 2 and 3 – 30 minutes](#)

## **LESSON 25** ::: WRITING + SPEAKING

25.1 Time Management

25.2 TM Writing Task 1

25.3 TM Writing Task 2

Homework: TM WT 1 + WT2 Exercises

Writing Test 1

Writing Test 2

Writing Test 3

Writing Test 4

Writing Test 5

Homework: Speaking Exercises

Speaking Test 1

Speaking Test 2

Speaking Test 3

Speaking Test 4

Speaking Test 5

## **LESSON 26** ::: LISTENING + READING

Homework: Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

## **LESSON 27** ::: LISTENING + READING

Homework: Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

## **LESSON 28** ::: LR + GRA

Homework: Use of English – Exercise 1

Homework: Use of English – Exercise 2

Homework: Use of English – Exercise 3

Homework: Use of English – Exercise 4

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 1

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 2

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 3

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 4

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 5

Homework: Grammar – Exercise 6

## **LESSON 29** ::: LISTENING + READING + WRITING

Homework: Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

Homework: – Writing Test (full)

Writing Task 1

Writing Task 2

## **LESSON 30** ::: LISTENING + READING + WRITING

Homework: Listening Test (full)

Listening Section 1

Listening Section 2

Listening Section 3

Listening Section 4

Homework: Reading Test (full)

Reading Section 1

Reading Section 2

Reading Section 3

Homework: – Writing Test (full)

Writing Task 1

Writing Task 2

**Skype Lesson: Speaking Final Test – 15 minutes**