

# IELTS Speaking Lesson 16



## PART 2

- Favorite teacher
- Who is your favorite teacher?
- What subjects did he teach you?
- What did you like about him?
- Why do people become teachers?



- Internet
- How often do you use the internet?
- Why do people use the internet?
- Why do you use the internet?
- Do you think internet is gaining more popularity than TV?



- Dress code
- What kind of clothes do you want to wear?
- Are you brand conscious?.
- Why do people wear formal clothes?

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- Where are you working right now?
- What kind of job is it?.
- Do you like the job?
- How will this job help you in your future?

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- Describe a chair?
- How important is a chair in your life?
- Do you prefer chair over a sofa?

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# PART 3: The weather in your country



- What's the weather usually like in your hometown?
- (Similar to above) Compare the typical weather in your hometown with the weather here (in the test place).
- Does the place where a person lives affect that person's interest in the weather? (Hint: Country & city people; people who live in the desert compared to people who live where it rains a lot; etc.)
- How does weather (or the climate of a place) affect the kinds of buildings that this place has?
- (Similar to above) What climate (or weather) goes with what kinds of houses?
- (Same as above) What do you think is the relationship between the climate of a place and the kinds of houses that people there live in?
- (Similar to above) Compare the types of buildings (or houses) in hot, tropical parts of the world (or China) with those in cold parts of the world (or China).
- Have you ever been to a place that has a climate that is very different to your hometown? (If yes, what place; how is it different?)
- Is there any difference about you (i.e., any changes about how you feel & what you do) in different types of weather?
- How do the sports that people do change with the different seasons?

# Overcrowded cities



Compare the advantages and disadvantages of living in a high-rise apartment.

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# Factors when choosing a job



- Why do different people choose to do different kinds of work?
- Compare some of the different types of work that you know.
- What's the difference between a 'job' and a 'career'?
- What do you think is the most important factor when choosing a job or career - the salary, how interesting the job is, or how much power one can gain from the job?
- If you had to choose one of two different jobs, one being well-paid but not interesting and the other poorly-paid but interesting, which job would you choose?



# Work skills & the nature of work today



- Compare the advantages of team work with working alone.
- Do you think that the pressure of work is increasing in China?
- (Similar to above) Compare work pressure today to that of, say, 20 or 30 years ago.
- Compare the advantages and disadvantages of changing jobs (or, changing career).