CAE Speaking Phrases part 3+4

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| **Starting**What \_\_\_\_\_ we do first?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I start? Do you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if I start? We could start \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ talking about... \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ talk about .. first. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we start with…? | **Opinion**As \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ as I’m concerned,\_\_\_\_\_\_ I see it,From my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of view,In my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ opinion,I’d \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that… |
| **Giving yourself time**\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a big question! I haven't given it much \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ until now. Let me \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ How \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ I put this? Well, it's difficult to say really. That's an \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ question. | **Rephrasing**What I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is...What I'm trying to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is... In other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ To put it another \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ what you are saying is...  |
| **Agreeing**We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ eye to eye.Yeah, I’d \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ along with that.Absolutely!You took the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ right out of my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_.I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ agree more.You have a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there.I’m with you 100% \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this one. | **Disagreeing**We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ see eye to eye.I take your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ but…I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to disagree with you there.That’s not always the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to differIsn’t it more a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of… |
| **Starting to make a conclusion**Let’s \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ down to the nitty gritty.The bottom \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is we have to choose one…It’s a tough one, I’m torn \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ … and ….\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we go with ….? | **Asking for opinion**What’s your take \_\_\_\_\_….?Where do you \_\_\_\_\_\_ on….?In my opinion…., would you go along with that?What are your thoughts on this? |
| **Personalising**Speaking \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ personal experience,…\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ me personally,..This is a topic that is particularly close to my \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_…It’s funny I was just thinking \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ this the other day.My gut/initial \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is… | **Impressive structures**Another point I’d like to add about … is…It’s also worth bearing in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that…Coming \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to what (Javi) was saying about …. I’d also like to point \_\_\_\_\_\_ that…I think it’s important not to forget that…The \_\_\_\_\_\_ majority of people tend to think that…At the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of the day…When all’s said and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_… |
| **Tips**Eye-contactActive listeningOpen body languageSpeak upDon’t dominate | **Asking for repetition**I beg your \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, I didn’t catch that.Sorry would you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ repeating that?Could you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the question please? |