

## Part 1 (2 minutes)

The examiner will ask you one or two questions about yourself and what you think about everyday topics such as work or study, travel, holidays, daily life and routines.

- Is there something you'd like to be really good at? (Why?)
- What would you like to be doing in two years' time? (Why?)
- Apart from English, is there a language you'd like to learn? (Why / Why not?)

## Part 2 (4 minutes)

Turn to the pictures on page 185, which show people studying in different situations.

### PEOPLE STUDYING

*Candidate A*, I'd like you to compare **two** of the pictures, and say **why the people might have chosen to study in these different places and how important it might be for them to be able to concentrate on their studies.**

*Candidate B*, **who do you think feels that it's important to study well? (Why?)**

### ENTERTAINING OTHERS

Turn to the pictures on page 186, which show people entertaining others.

*Candidate B*, compare **two** of the pictures and say **how easy it might be to entertain others in these situations, and how important it might be to perform well.**

*Candidate A*, **who do you think has the most difficult task? (Why?)**

## Part 3 (4 minutes)

Turn to the diagram on page 187, which shows ways in which the media affects our lives.

Now, talk to each other about **the benefits and drawbacks of the ways in which the media affects our lives.**

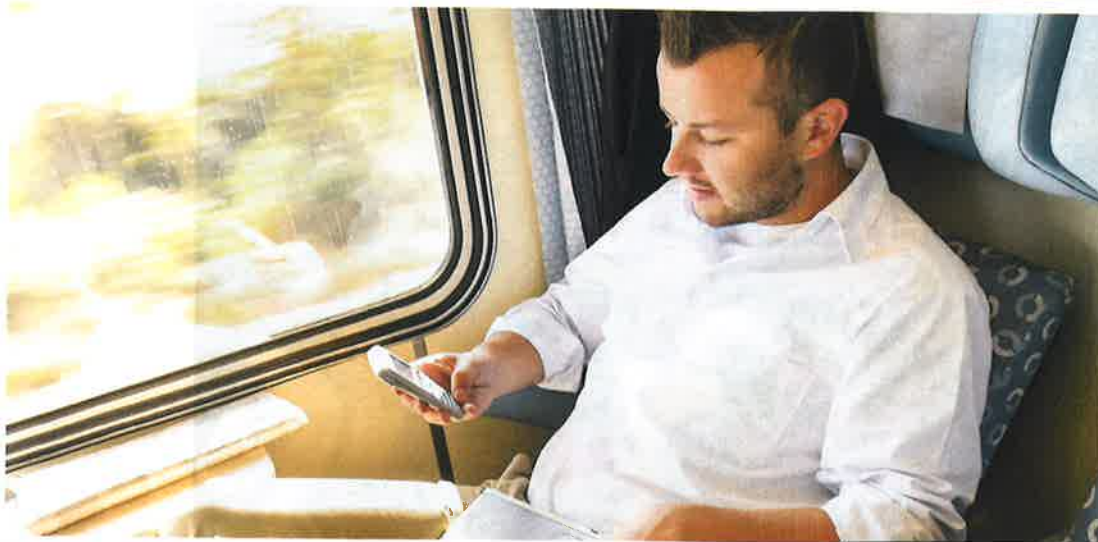
Now decide **which impact of the media is the most beneficial for everyone.**

## Part 4 (5 minutes)

Answer these questions.

- In your opinion, what's the best way to find out about the news – television, newspapers or the internet? (Why?)
- Some people say the media tends to focus on bad news. Why is this?
- Do you think celebrities should be associated with the advertising of any products or brands? (Why / Why not?)
- What changes would you like to see take place in the media? (Why?)
- Do you think that people have lost the ability to entertain themselves because of the availability of the media? (Why / Why not?)
- Do you think people trust the media more or less than in the past? (Why?)

- Why might the people have chosen to study in these different places?
- How important might it be for them to be able to concentrate on their studies?



- How easy might it be to entertain others in these situations?
- How important might it be to perform well?



