

**OXFORD CAMBRIDGE AND RSA EXAMINATIONS
ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE**

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FRENCH

Speaking

ROLE PLAY A

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LA SITUATION

Vous êtes en vacances chez des Français.

LA TÂCHE

Vous discutez avec le père / la mère de la famille, et vous découvrez que son fils voudrait faire un stage en Angleterre.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR :

- 1 L’EXPÉRIENCE PROFESSIONNELLE DE SON FILS**
- 2 LES DATES PRÉVUES POUR LE STAGE**

Vous avez un dépliant sur la possibilité de faire un stage à la BBC, et vous pensez que cela pourrait l'intéresser. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **les stages**
- **ce qu'il faut considérer avant de poser sa candidature**
- **ce que la BBC recherche**
- **ce qui se passe une fois qu'on a posé sa candidature**
- **les conditions pour tous les candidats**
- **le site web**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, il est important de faire un stage**
- **de ce que vous pensez des développements récents dans le domaine des médias**

À noter :

Une lettre de motivation – application

BBC

Work Experience Placements

Placements are unpaid and can last anything from a few days to four weeks. We receive in excess of 20,000 applications each year, so before you apply, think carefully about why you are applying. You must be able to demonstrate a keen interest in the work.

We look for:

- **passion and knowledge**
- **a clear, well-presented application**
- **specific examples to demonstrate your understanding and experience**



We will send you an email to confirm that we have received your application. Our Work Experience team will then look at it. If they think you are suitable, they will send it on to the relevant department (production, technical, radio, journalism, music) for a final decision.

You will have to pay for your own travel and accommodation. Overseas applicants are welcome, but will have to show a passport at the start of the placement.

www.bbc.co.uk for practical information on the various jobs.

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LA SITUATION

Des Français passent une semaine chez vous.

LA TÂCHE

Puisque c’est leur deuxième séjour dans la région, vous désirez trouver des excursions originales. Vous en discutez avec le père / la mère de la famille.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR :

- 1 CE QU’ILS ONT DÉJÀ VISITÉ**
- 2 LES INTÉRÊTS DE LA FAMILLE**

Vous avez un dépliant sur des concerts de musique en plein air, et vous pensez que cela pourrait les intéresser. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **le château Althorp**
- **ce qu'on peut y voir et faire**
- **le concert**
- **les conseils et les informations donnés**
- **les prix et les réservations**
- **l'hébergement possible**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, on aime visiter les monuments historiques**
- **de l'importance de la musique dans la vie**

HISTORY AND MUSIC AT ALTHORP HOUSE

Althorp House has been home to the Spencer family for nearly 500 years. Its splendid rooms contain a fascinating variety of paintings and furniture. There are fine gardens and woods to explore.



Gates open at 4.30. Come and enjoy the traditional entertainment: listen to the folk music, talk to the soldiers in 19th century costume and admire the magnificent horses.

At 7.30 the main concert begins. Enjoy your food whilst listening to classical music performed by a full orchestra and singers.

BAR AVAILABLE

PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC

BARBECUES ARE NOT ALLOWED FOR SAFETY REASONS

AMPLE FREE PARKING IS PROVIDED

SPECIAL PARKING FOR DISABLED

TICKETS

Book online or call 01432 355416 for details of prices and offers

Children under 5 FREE

Contact us for information about local hotels offering special rates for concert-goers.



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LA SITUATION

Vous habitez dans le Somerset. Des Français passent une semaine chez vous.

LA TÂCHE

Puisque c’est leur premier séjour dans la région, ils voudraient faire des excursions. Vous en discutez avec le père / la mère de la famille.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR :

- 1 CE QUI LES INTÉRESSE**
- 2 LES VISITES QU’ILS ONT DÉJÀ FAITES AU ROYAUME-UNI**

Vous avez un dépliant sur le village et les grottes de Cheddar et vous pensez que cela pourrait les intéresser. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **les grottes**
- **le musée**
- **les autres activités**
- **le bus**
- **les prix**
- **les jours d'ouverture**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles les touristes aiment passer leurs vacances au Royaume-Uni**
- **de ce qu'on peut faire pour encourager le tourisme**

À noter :

Un dragon – a dragon

GOUGH'S CAVE – Britain's most beautiful cave. It was discovered by Richard Gough in 1898. An audioguide is available, including a special commentary for children.

COX'S CAVE – Music and lights are used to create a wonderful atmosphere as a story unfolds of dragons and danger!

MUSEUM – Tells the story of 40,000 years of Man through exhibitions on Cave Art and cannibalism. Children have the opportunity to try some painting. Some exhibits are not suitable for very young children.

YOU CAN CLIMB 276 STEPS TO SEE THE PANORAMIC VIEWS – CHILDREN AND DOGS LOVE IT! TAKE A PICNIC AND ENJOY THE THREE-MILE WALK. PLEASE WEAR SUITABLE SHOES AND CLOTHING.



A bus service for ticket holders operates between the sites during school holidays and at weekends – great for tired legs.

**Discounts for groups
Children under 5 – FREE**

Open every day except Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

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LA SITUATION

Vous êtes le / la secrétaire de l’association de jumelage d’une ville dans le Hampshire. Le / la représentant(e) de la ville jumelée en France est venu(e) en Angleterre pour discuter du programme d’activités prévu pour la prochaine visite.

LA TÂCHE

Un jour vous discutez des activités possibles.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR:

- 1 LA COMPOSITION DU GROUPE**
- 2 LE TYPE D’ACTIVITÉ QUE LE / LA REPRÉSENTANT(E) PRÉFÉRERAIT**

Vous avez un dépliant sur la maison de Jane Austen et vous pensez que cela pourrait les intéresser. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **Jane Austen et ses romans**
- **la maison à Chawton**
- **la vie de Jane Austen**
- **les visites pour les personnes handicapées**
- **les possibilités de faire des achats et de manger**
- **la façon d'obtenir plus d'information**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles ce type de musée est populaire**
- **de ce que vous aimez lire, et pourquoi**

JANE AUSTEN'S HOUSE MUSEUM

Jane Austen is one of the most popular novelists that England has ever produced, her books describing English society before the Industrial Revolution.

The house at Chawton is where she spent the last eight years of her life. It is of worldwide importance as the place where she did the majority of her writing, yet it retains the charm of a village home. A 17th century house, it tells the story of Jane and her family. You can still see the tiny table on which she wrote her six major novels.

Jane Austen arrived in Chawton when she was thirty-three years old. Living with her mother and sister, her day consisted of household chores, playing the piano and writing.

- **The ground floor, toilets and garden are accessible to wheelchair users**
- **Shop sells books and souvenirs**
- **Refreshments available in the village**

**Enquiries:
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LA SITUATION

Vous habitez dans le West Sussex. Des Canadiens du Québec font un séjour chez vous.

LA TÂCHE

Puisque c’est leur premier séjour dans la région, ils voudraient faire des excursions. Vous en discutez avec le père / la mère de la famille.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR :

- 1 CE QU’ILS AIMERAIENT FAIRE PENDANT LEUR VISITE**
- 2 LA VILLE OÙ ILS HABITENT AU CANADA**

Vous avez un dépliant sur le château d'Arundel qui se trouve près de chez vous. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **l'histoire du château**
- **ce qu'il y a à voir**
- **les visites guidées**
- **l'ouverture du château**
- **les règles**
- **les possibilités de restauration et les renseignements supplémentaires**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, les gens aiment visiter les châteaux**
- **des endroits où vous aimeriez aller en vacances si vous aviez le choix**



The castle belongs to The Duke of Norfolk. It has been open to visitors for nearly 200 years. Come and see the extensive gardens featuring numerous wooden statues and the stunning rooms full of fine furniture and glass.

General guided tours are available and last one hour fifteen minutes. We also offer two specialist tours:

PAINTINGS

Your guide will reveal the secrets and symbolism hidden in the pictures and what they tell us about the subjects.

HIDDEN HISTORY

Discover some of the family's more colourful characters – such as the Eleventh Duke who would only take a bath when he had drunk too much!



**The castle and gardens are open from April to October.
Closed on Mondays except bank holidays.**

No dogs permitted, and no photography within the castle.

**Castle restaurant on the ground floor for hot and cold
food – disabled access.**

**Visit our website www.arundelcastle.org for details of
special events.**



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LA SITUATION

Vous êtes en vacances chez des Français.

LA TÂCHE

La fille aînée va bientôt passer un an en Italie. La famille voudrait bien pouvoir communiquer avec elle sans dépenser trop d’argent. Vous en discutez avec le père / la mère de la famille.

D’ABORD VOUS DEVEZ VOUS RENSEIGNER SUR :

- 1 L’ÂGE DE SA FILLE**
- 2 LA RAISON POUR LAQUELLE SA FILLE VA EN ITALIE**

Vous avez trouvé un dépliant sur le logiciel de Skype. À l'aide du dépliant, vous donnerez des détails sur :

- **le logiciel de Skype**
- **Skype et les amis**
- **les portables**
- **les options vidéo**
- **la popularité de Skype**
- **l'avertissement donné**

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- **des raisons pour lesquelles certaines personnes aiment vivre à l'étranger**
- **des changements concernant les moyens de communiquer**

À noter :

Une webcam – a webcam



We all love something for nothing. With Skype's free software, you can chat away and never worry about cost, time or distance. Ask your friends to download Skype so you can talk and send messages for nothing. You might receive flowers or chocolates from your friends to thank you because they have saved money!

It is easy to make a call to a mobile phone from your computer too. Just type in a number and click on the green button. There is a small monthly charge for this service.



There are also some great video options. All you need is a webcam to make free video calls or even take photos of yourself to personalise Skype.

Join the millions already using Skype and stay in touch with friends and family wherever they are.

Skype does not replace your ordinary telephone and can't be used for emergency calls.



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