

**ADVANCED SUBSIDIARY GCE  
FRENCH**

**2651**

2651 Speaking

**ROLE PLAY CARD A**

**15 MARCH 2008 – 15 MAY 2008**

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**ROLE-PLAY A – CANDIDATE’S SHEET**

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**La Situation**

Vous habitez dans le centre de l’Angleterre. Des Français passent une semaine chez vous. Puisque c’est leur première visite chez vous, vous organisez un programme d’excursions.

**La Tâche**

Un jour, vous discutez des visites possibles avec le père/la mère français(e) (l’examineur/examinatrice). Tout d’abord vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 les activités que font les membres de la famille normalement en France**
- 2 ce qu’ils préféreraient faire pendant leur séjour chez vous**

Vous avez trouvé un dépliant sur un chemin de fer local. Vous pensez qu’un voyage en train serait intéressant. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

- le train
- ce qu’on peut voir pendant le voyage
- les repas à bord du train et le service fourni
- l’horaire des trains
- les prix et les réductions offertes
- la façon de faire une réservation

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- des avantages et des inconvénients, à votre avis, de voyager en train plutôt qu’en voiture
- des raisons pour lesquelles, selon vous, un voyage en chemin de fer nostalgique serait intéressant

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**ROLE-PLAY B – CANDIDATE’S SHEET**

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**La Situation**

Vous faites un séjour chez votre correspondant(e) français(e), qui vient de terminer ses études au lycée. Celui/celle-ci a 18 ans. Il/elle voudrait passer quelque temps à travailler en Angleterre pour améliorer son anglais.

**La Tâche**

Vous discutez avec le père/la mère de votre correspondant(e) (l'examineur/examinatrice) de la possibilité de travailler en Angleterre. Tout d'abord, vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 l'expérience du travail de son fils/sa fille**
- 2 le genre de travail qu'il/elle préfère**

Vous avez trouvé un dépliant sur les offres d'emploi dans une chaîne de restaurants. Vous pensez qu'en travaillant dans un de ces restaurants, votre correspondant(e) ferait la connaissance d'autres gens et aurait la possibilité d'améliorer son anglais. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

- la raison des changements proposés par la chaîne
- les qualités nécessaires pour y travailler
- les heures de travail
- la formation
- les avantages de travailler à Little Chef
- la façon de poser sa candidature

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, il serait intéressant de travailler dans un restaurant
- des avantages, selon vous, de faire un stage en entreprise avant de choisir un emploi permanent

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**La Situation**

Des Français passent une semaine chez vous. Ils viennent d’acheter une maison dans le Buckinghamshire parce que le père/la mère (l’examineur/examinatrice), qui est homme/femme d’affaires, va travailler en Angleterre pendant une assez longue période.

**La Tâche**

Le père/la mère français(e) aime faire du cyclisme et s’intéresse à aller au travail en ville en vélo. Vous en discutez avec lui/elle. Tout d’abord, vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 les voyages qu’il/elle fait normalement en vélo**
- 2 le type de vélo qu’il/elle possède**

Vous venez de recevoir une brochure sur la ville d’Aylesbury où on encourage l’utilisation du vélo. Vous pensez que le père/la mère français(e) s’intéresserait à ce qu’on propose de faire dans cette ville. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

- les avantages d’utiliser le vélo
- les possibilités de garer son vélo
- les vêtements
- la possibilité de faire du vélo en centre-ville
- le cyclisme de loisir
- la façon d’obtenir plus de renseignements

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- de ce qu’on pourrait faire, selon vous, pour encourager les gens à utiliser le vélo en ville
- des responsabilités qu’on a quand on fait du vélo

**À noter:**

**helmet = un casque**

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**ROLE-PLAY D – CANDIDATE’S SHEET**

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**La Situation**

Des Français passent quelques jours chez vous. Comme c’est leur première visite en Angleterre, ils voudraient prolonger leur séjour et faire une variété d’activités.

**La Tâche**

Un jour, vous discutez de la visite avec le père/la mère français(e) (l’examineur/examinatrice). Tout d’abord, vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 l’endroit où ils ont passé leurs vacances l’année dernière**
- 2 le genre de vacances qu’il/elle préfère cette fois-ci**

Vous avez un dépliant sur Searles, une station pour les loisirs, qui se trouve dans le Norfolk. Puisque vous y êtes allé(e) avec vos parents, vous pensez qu’un séjour dans cette station plairait aux Français. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

- l’hébergement
- la variété d’activités possibles
- les promenades en mer
- les tarifs et les réductions
- le bateau
- la façon d’obtenir plus de renseignements

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, les vacances actives sont populaires
- de ce que les jeunes, qui sont en vacances avec leurs parents, aiment faire pour avoir un peu de liberté

**À noter:**

**seal = un phoque**

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**La Situation**

Des Français font un séjour chez vous. Puisque c’est leur première visite en Angleterre, ils s’intéressent à faire des excursions.

**La Tâche**

Un jour, vous discutez des visites possibles avec le père/la mère français(e) (l’examineur/examinatrice). Tout d’abord, vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 les excursions que fait la famille normalement en France**
- 2 ce qu’ils préféreraient faire pendant leur séjour chez vous**

Vous avez trouvé un dépliant sur la résidence royale de Sandringham qui se trouve dans le Norfolk. Vous pensez qu’une visite à cette résidence serait intéressante. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

- l’histoire de la résidence
- ce qu’il y a à voir à Sandringham
- les possibilités de restauration
- le magasin
- les heures d’ouverture et les prix d’entrée
- la façon d’obtenir plus de renseignements

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- des raisons pour lesquelles, à votre avis, les gens trouvent les visites de châteaux et de résidences historiques intéressantes et éducatives
- des avantages et des inconvénients, selon vous, d’avoir une famille royale (tourisme, coût, médias, etc.)

**À noter:**

**fire engine = une pompe à incendie**

## SANDRINGHAM

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### THE MUSEUM



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**La Situation**

Des Français passent une semaine chez vous. Vos parents viennent d’acheter une télévision portable.

**La Tâche**

Le père/la mère français(e) (l’examineur/examinatrice) pense qu’une télévision portable serait utile pendant un long voyage pour occuper les membres de la famille. Vous en discutez avec lui/elle. Tout d’abord vous lui posez des questions.

**Vous vous renseignerez sur :**

- 1 les voyages que fait la famille française normalement**
- 2 les émissions de télévision que préfèrent ses enfants**

Comme vos parents ont récemment acheté la télévision portable, vous avez une brochure de l’entreprise qui les fabrique. Vous donnerez des détails sur :

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- les avantages de ce modèle
- le poids de la télévision
- le prix
- la façon d’obtenir plus de renseignements

Au cours de la conversation vous discuterez aussi :

- de ce qu’on peut organiser, à votre avis, pour divertir les enfants pendant un long voyage
- des avantages et des inconvénients, selon vous, de la télévision

**À noter:**

**off the mains = sur secteur  
battery = la pile**

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