



SMASH YOUR



SPEAKING EXAMS!

1 PREPARE

Create possible questions and write down your responses in short sharp 'bites' so that they are easier to memorise and that way you'll be prepared for any potential questions during the exam.



5 PRACTICE

It's true what they say... practice makes perfect! So when you get the chance, look over your work and read it out loud to yourself, or have a conversation with someone and get them to test you.



2 RECORD YOURSELF

Record yourself speaking then listen back to it to check your pronunciation, as well as how long you take to answer certain questions.



6 LOOK AT PAST EXAM PAPERS

Looking at previous papers will help you to develop good responses to potential questions.



3 DON'T MEMORISE WORD-FOR-WORD

Do not try and memorise your sentences word-for-word, as forgetting one word could completely throw you off.

7 LEARN USEFUL PHRASES

It can often help to have a few useful phrases to fall back on if you get stuck or need to buy some time.



4 TRY DIFFERENT METHODS

Simplify your notes, make summary skeleton notes, mind maps, audio notes and diagrams for key points.



8 TAKE A BREAK

Don't forget to look after yourself. Make sure you stay hydrated and keep to a good routine for exercise and sleep.

