Part2 Categories: People, Places, Events, Objects

People

1. Describe a stylish friend you have

You should say:

- who the person is
- how you know this person
- what kind of clothes they usually wear

and explain why you think they dress this way

2. Describe a person you know who loves to grow plants (e.g. vegetables/fruits/flowers etc.)

You should say:

- who the person is
- what he/she grows
- where he/she grows them

and explain why he/she enjoys growing plants

3. Describe a person who persuaded you to do something

You should say:

- when it happened
- what he/she persuaded you to do
- why he/she persuaded you to do it

and explain how you felt about it

4. Describe a person you disliked at first but ended up being friends with

You should say:

- who he/she is
- how you know him/her
- why you disliked him/her at first

and explain why you ended up becoming friends with this person

5. Describe an intelligent person you know

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know this person
- what this person does

and explain why you think this person is intelligent

6. Describe a person who shows his/her feelings very openly

You should say:

- who he/she is
- how you know him/her
- why you think he/she is such a person

and explain how you feel about him/her

7. Describe a famous person you would like to meet

- who he/she is
- how you know him/her

how/where you would like to meet him/her
and explain why you would like to meet him/ her

8. Describe an athlete/sports team you admire

You should say:

- who/what the athlete/sports team is
- where/how you got to know the athlete/sports team
- how often you watch their sports games

and explain why you admire them

9. Describe a person who helps to protect the environment

You should say:

- who this person is
- when this person does this
- what actions the person has taken

and explain why you think this person does this

10. Describe someone who is willing to openly share things with you

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know this person
- what this person openly shares

and how you feel about the sharing

11. Describe an energetic person that you know

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know this person
- why you think this person is energetic

and explain how you feel about this person

12. Describe an old person you know who has had an interesting life

You should say:

- who this person is
- where he/she lives
- what he/she has done in his/her life

and explain how you feel about him/her

13. Describe a person who always has strong opinions

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know him/her
- what kinds of strong opinions this person has

and explain how you feel about his/her opinions

14. Describe an old friend you had lost touch with and got in contact with again

- who he/she is
- why you lost contact

how you got in contact again

and explain how you felt after getting in contact again

15. Describe a person who has chosen a career in the medical field (e.g. a doctor, a nurse)

You should say:

- who he/she is
- what he/she does
- why he/she chose this career

and explain how you feel about him/her

16. Describe an old person you know

You should say:

- who this person is
- where he/she lives
- what he/she has done in his/her life

and explain how you feel about this person

17. Describe a person who likes to make things by hand (e.g. toys, furniture)

You should say:

- who this person is
- what he/she makes
- why he/she likes to make things by hand

and explain how you feel about the person

18. Describe a person who likes to read a lot

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know him/her
- what he/she likes to read

and explain why you think he/she likes to read a lot

19. Describe someone you know who made a good decision recently

You should say:

- who he/she is
- what decision he/she made
- why it was a good decision

and explain how you felt about the decision

20. Describe a role model that young people like

You should say:

- who he/she is
- how you know him/her
- what he/she has done

and explain why he/she can be a role model for young people

21. Describe a person who encouraged you to achieve your goal

- who the person is
- how he/she encouraged you

what goal you achieved

and explain how you feel about this person

22. Describe an interesting old person you have met

You should say:

- who this person is
- when/where you met this person
- what you did with this person

and explain why you think this person is interesting

23. Describe a person who you are happy to know

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know this person
- what he or she is like.

and explain why you are happy to know him/her

24. Describe a person who thinks music is important and enjoys music

You should say:

- who this person is
- how you know him/her
- what music he/she likes

and explain how you feel about him/her

25. Describe a person who likes to buy goods with low prices

You should say:

- who this person is
- what this person likes to buy
- where this person likes to buy things

and explain why this person likes cheap goods

26. Describe an old person you know who has had an interesting life

You should say:

- who this person is
- where he/she lives
- what he/she has done in his/her life

and explain how you feel about him/her

Places

1. Describe a noisy place you have been to

You should say:

- where it is
- when you went there
- what you did there

and explain why you feel it's a noisy place

2. Describe an unusual but interesting building you would like to visit

You should say:

where it is

- what it looks like
- why you think it is unusual and interesting

and explain why you would like to visit it

3. Describe a place you visited and enjoyed in the countryside

You should say:

- where it is
- how you know this place
- what you did there

and explain how you felt about the visit

4. Describe a place with a lot of trees that you would like to visit (e.g. a forest, an oasis)

You should say:

- where it is
- how you know this place
- what it is like

and explain why you would like to visit it

5. Describe an interesting building

You should say:

- where it is
- what it looks like
- what its function is

and explain why you find it interesting

6. Describe a foreign country you would like to visit in the future

You should say.

- what it is
- what you know about it
- who you would like to go there with

and explain why you would like to visit it

7. Describe a place in a village that you visited

You should say

- where it is
- when you visited this place
- what you did there

and explain how you feel about this place

8. Describe a cultural place (e.g. library, museum, theatre)

You should say:

- where it is
- how you know this place
- what it is like

and explain how the place is related to culture

9. Describe an ideal and perfect place where you would like to stay (e.g. a house, an apartment)

- where it would be
- what it would look like
- what special features it would have

and explain why it would be an ideal place for you

10. Describe a crowded place you went to

You should say:

- where it was
- when you went there
- who you went there with

and explain how you felt about it

11. Describe a place you have been to where you can see wild animals

You should say:

- where it is
- when you went there
- what animals you saw there

and explain how you felt about the place

12. Describe a room you really like in another person's home

You should say:

- where it is
- what it is like
- what you can do in it

and explain why you really like it

13. Describe a public park or garden

You should say:

- where it is
- what it is like
- what you often do there

and explain how you feel about it

14. Describe a place in your hometown/city that is different from other places and you would like to visit with your parents/friends

You should say:

- where it is
- why you think it is different
- who you would like to go there with

and explain whether you have been there

15. Describe a natural place (e.g. parks, mountains)

You should say:

- where this place is
- how you know this place
- what it is like

and explain why you like to visit it

16. Describe a noisy place you have been to

You should say:

where it is

- when you went there
- what you did there

and explain why you feel it's a noisy place

17. Describe a place where you have taken photos more than once

You should say:

- where the place is
- when you took the photos
- what special features the photos taken there have

and explain why you have been there more than once to take photos

18. Describe a tourist attraction that very few people visit but you think is interesting

You should say:

- what the place is
- what people can see there
- why only very few people visit there

and explain why you think it is interesting

19. Describe an interesting place you have been to with a friend

You should say:

- what and where the place is
- who you went with
- what you did there

and explain why you think it is interesting

20. Describe a place you have been to where things are expensive

You should say:

- where the place is
- why you went there
- what you bought there

and explain why you think things are expensive there

21. Describe an indoor or outdoor place where it is easy for you to study

You should say:

- where it is
- what it is like
- when you go there

and explain why you would like to study in this place

22. Describe a historical building you have been to

You should say:

- where it is
- what it looks like
- what it is used for now

and how you felt about this historical building

23. Describe a place (city/town) that is good for people to live in

- where it is
- how you know this place

what it is like

and explain why it is better than other places to live in

Event

1. Describe a disagreement you had with someone

You should say:

- who you had the disagreement with
- what the disagreement was
- what happened

and explain how you felt about it

2. Describe a time when someone gave you something that you really wanted

You should say:

- what it was
- when you received it
- who gave it to you

and explain how you felt when the person gave it to you

3. Describe a time when you received money as a gift

You should say:

- when it happened
- who gave you the money
- why he/she gave you money

and explain how you used the money

4. Describe an interesting decision that you and your friend made together

You should say:

- when and why you made the decision
- what the decision was
- why you made the decision together

and explain why you think it was interesting

5. Describe a time you had a day off from work or school

You should say:

- where you were
- who you were with
- what you did

and explain how you felt about it

6. Describe a time you heard a stranger talking on the phone in public

You should say:

- where you were
- when this happened
- what the stranger was talking about

and explain how you felt about it

7. Describe an occasion when you experienced a vehicle breakdown while traveling

You should say:

• where it happened

- when it happened
- who you were with at that time

and explain what consequences this breakdown had

8. Describe an interesting experience your friend has had that you haven't

You should say:

- when it took place
- where your friend had this experience
- what happened

and explain why you think that experience was interesting

9. Describe an unforgettable experience that you had

You should say:

- when and where it happened
- who you were with
- what happened

and explain why it is unforgettable

10. Describe a competition you participated in (e.g., music, cooking, or sports)

You should say:

- what the competition was
- when and where it was held
- what you did in the competition

and explain what you learned from the competition

11. Describe a live performance you enjoyed watching

You should say:

- who the performers were
- what kind of performance it was
- when you watched it

and explain why you enjoyed watching it

12. Describe a time when you made a promise to someone

You should say:

- what the promise was
- to whom you made it
- whether it was easy or difficult to keep

and explain why you made it

13. Describe an occasion when you forgot something important

You should say.

- when it was
- what you forgot
- why you forgot it

and explain how you felt about it

14. Describe a time when you answered a phone call from someone you didn't know in a public place

You should say:

• where it happened

- what he/she said
- how you responded

and explain how you felt about it

15. Describe a time when you asked someone for advice

You should say:

- who this person was
- why you asked for the advice
- what the advice was

and explain how you felt about the advice

16. Describe a challenge you faced that you thought was rather difficult

You should say:

- what it was
- when and where you faced it
- why you thought it was a difficult challenge

and explain how you felt at the time

17. Describe a time when you lost an important and valuable item

You should say:

- when and where it happened
- what it was
- how important and valuable it was

and explain how you felt about it

18. Describe a time when you helped a family member/relative

You should say:

- when it happened
- who you helped
- how you helped this person

and explain how you felt about it

19. Describe a time when you received good service from a staff member in a shop

You should say:

- where the shop is
- when you received the good service
- what service you received

and explain how you felt about the service

20. Describe a risk you took that you thought would lead to a terrible result but ended up with a positive result

You should say:

- when you took the risk
- why you took the risk
- how it went

and explain how you felt about it

21. Describe a time when someone gave you something that you really wanted

- what it was
- when you received it
- who gave it to you

and explain why you wanted it so much

22. Describe an enjoyable journey by public transport

You should say:

- where you went
- who you were with
- what you did

and how you felt about it

23. Describe a time when you missed or were late for an important meeting/event

You should say:

- when it happened
- what happened
- why you missed/were late for it

and explain how you felt about this experience

24. Describe an occasion you wore the best clothes

- when it was
- what you wore
- why you wore it

25. Describe a time that you showed something which was new to a person who was younger than you

You should say:

- when it was
- what it was
- who you showed it to

and explain why you showed it

Objects

1. Describe a skill that you can teach others

You should say:

- what the skill is
- when you learned it
- how you can teach it

and explain how you feel about this skill

2. Describe an object that you think is beautiful

You should say:

- what it is
- where you first saw it
- what it looks like

and explain why you think it is beautiful

3. Describe an important thing you learned (not at school or college)

You should say:

- what it was
- when you learned it
- how you learned it

and explain why it was important

4. Describe a photo you took that you are proud of

You should say:

- when you took it
- where you took it
- what is in this photo

and explain why you are proud of it

5. Describe a movie you watched recently and would like to watch again

You should say:

- what type of movie it was
- what it was about
- where you watched it

and explain why you would like to watch it again

6. Describe an article on health you read in a magazine or on the Internet

- what it was
- where you read it

why you read it

and explain how you felt about this article

7. Describe a photo that you enjoy looking at

You should say:

- who took it
- when and where it was taken
- what the photo was about

and explain why you enjoy looking at it

8. Describe a foreign dish you have tried and enjoyed

You should say:

- what it is
- when and where you had it
- what it was like

and explain why you enjoyed it

9. Describe an item you purchased but wanted to return

You should say:

- what it was
- when and where you purchased it
- why you wanted to return it

and explain whether you ultimately returned it or not

10. Describe a water sport you would like to try in the future

You should say:

- what it is
- where you would like to try it
- whether it is difficult

and explain why you would like to try it

11. Describe a newly enacted law that you like but want to change a part of

You should say:

- when it was enacted
- what the law is about
- which part you want to change

and explain why you want to change this part

12. Describe a (jigsaw, crossword, etc) puzzle you have solved

You should say:

- what it was like
- how easy or difficult it was
- how long it took you to solve

and explain how you felt about it

13. Describe a sport that you really like

- what it is
- how often you do it

• how you learned to do it

and explain why you like it

14. Describe a TV series you like

You should say:

- what the TV series is called
- when you watched it
- what it is about

and explain why you like it

15. Describe a piece of equipment that is important in your home

You should say:

- what it is
- how often you use it
- with whom you use it

and explain why it is important

16. Describe a line(or a few words) that you remember from a poem or song

You should say:

- what it is
- which song or poem it is from
- how you know it

and explain how you feel about it

17. Describe a plan you recently had to change

You should say:

- when it happened
- what made you change the plan
- what the new plan was

and explain how you felt about the change

18. Describe a job one of your grandparents had

You should say:

- what it was
- how he or she got the job
- what skills this job required

and explain whether you would like to do this job in the future

19. Describe a science subject that you are interested in

You should say.

- what it is
- how you first learned about it
- how you have learned it

and explain why you are interested in it

20. Describe a positive change that you have made recently in your daily routine

- what the change is
- how you have changed the routine

why you think it is a positive change
and explain how you feel about the change

21. Describe an important decision that you made

You should say:

- what the decision was
- how you made your decision
- what the results of the decision were

and explain why it was important

22. Describe a rule that is important in your school or at work

You should say:

- what the rule is about
- what happens when people break the rule
- why you think it is an important rule

and explain how you feel about the rule

23. Describe an online video where you learned something new

You should say:

- when and where you watched it
- what it was
- why you watched it

and explain what you have learned from it

24. Describe the most expensive item you have ever bought

You should say:

- when and where you bought it
- what it was
- what you used it for

and explain how you liked it

25. Describe a prize you have received (e.g. money, something valuable, a medal)

You should say:

- what it was
- when you received it
- what you did to receive it

and explain how you felt about it

26. Describe a movie you like that you watched recently

You should say:

- when and where you watched it
- who you watched it with
- what it was about

and explain why you like this movie

27. Describe your favourite food at a traditional festival or a special event in your country

- what it is
- at which festival/event you eat it
- how it is made

and explain why you like it

28. Describe a photo that is special to you

You should say:

- when and where it was taken
- who are in the photo
- why it is special to you

and explain whether you will keep it for a long time

29. Describe a special meal that someone made for you

You should say:

- who did it
- when and how he/she cooked
- what and why he/she cooked for you

and explain how you felt about the meal

30. Describe a new law you would like to introduce in your country

You should say:

- what law it is
- what changes this law brings
- how you came up with the new law

and explain how you feel about this new law

31. Describe something you own that you want to replace

You should say:

- what it is
- where it is
- how you got it

and explain why you want to replace it

32. Describe an important plant in your country

You should say:

- what it is
- where you see it
- what it looks like

and explain why it is important

33. Describe a party that you enjoyed

You should say:

- when you went to the party
- where the party was held
- what kind of party it was

and explain why you enjoyed this party

34. Describe a picture/photograph of you that you like

- where it was taken/drawn
- when it was taken/drawn

• who took/drew it

and explain how you feel about it

35. Describe a sport you watched and would like to try

You should say:

- when and where you watched it
- why you watched it
- who you watched it with

and explain how you felt about it