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Do a presentation Emphasizing important points	 Asking for clarification Asking for clarification Clarifying	A proposal WRITING SKILL Formal register
Illustrate characteristics of confidence in a role-play Introductions Encouraging someone to talk about him/herself	 Talking about an important event in the past Remembering an event Setting the scene Encouraging someone to keep talking	A comment on a blog post WRITING SKILL Rules for commenting on a blog post
Prepare and perform a charity appeal Making an appeal	 Expressing opinions in a meeting and reaching a decision Conducting a meeting Expressing requests / feelings / opinions	An information leaflet WRITING SKILL Rhetorical questions and persuasive language
Debate the rights and wrongs of putting people in prison Listing points and opinions Expressing deeply held beliefs Concluding your remarks	 Providing an alibi Asking about specific details of events Checking you have understood something Comparing what two people said	A witness statement WRITING SKILL Descriptive language
Design a family-friendly app Expressing ideas	 Negotiating and compromising Introducing requests Offering conditions Agreeing to / Disagreeing with a compromise	An opinion essay WRITING SKILL Cohesive devices
Prepare a sales pitch for a futuristic holiday Presenting something new Giving information about the unique features of a product or service Reassuring people (about safety, cost, etc)	 Speculating about the future Explaining shades of opinion Speculating about consequences Responding with counterarguments	A short story WRITING SKILL Tips for writing a short story
Discuss and decide on a budget Managing a meeting	 Giving and responding to good and bad news Giving good news / bad news Responding to good news / bad news	An application WRITING SKILL Ways to end an application letter
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