



SPEAKING NOTES

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JOHOR



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A Shopping Mall

Talk about a shopping mall that you would like to go.

- the name of the shopping mall
- where it is
- what you want to buy there
- if it is important for teenagers to spend wisely

Do you like going to shopping mall? Why?



Useful Phrases

allowance , track my expenses
impulse buying , set aside money
financial responsibility ,
within my budget , a wide range of ,
think twice before buying ,
a good value for money ,
avoid unnecessary spending

Johor (Set 1)

Sample B1

I would like to talk about Mid Valley Megamall, which is a popular shopping mall in Kuala Lumpur. To begin with, it is quite convenient because it is easy to get there by car or public transport.

I usually go there to buy clothes, stationery and snacks. For example, I might buy a new T-shirt or some notebooks for school. Besides that, I enjoy having lunch there with my friends.

As for spending wisely, I think it is important for teenagers because we usually have a limited allowance. We should avoid impulse buying and think carefully before buying something.

All in all, shopping malls are fun, but we should spend our money carefully.

Sample B2

I would like to talk about Sunway Pyramid, a well-known shopping mall that is located in Selangor. To begin with, I like going there because it has a wide range of shops, restaurants and entertainment options, so I can do many things in one place.

If I visited the mall, I would probably look for casual clothes or a new pair of shoes. I would also buy a small gift if I had a friend's birthday coming up. Besides that, I enjoy spending time there with my friends because we can shop, eat and watch a movie together.

As for spending wisely, I believe it is important for teenagers because most of us have a limited allowance. We should track our expenses, avoid impulse buying and set aside money for future needs. For example, I would compare prices before buying something expensive.

All in all, shopping can be enjoyable as long as we practise financial responsibility.

I enjoy going to shopping malls because they offer many activities. I can shop, eat and relax in the same place. For example, I can have lunch with my friends and then watch a movie together.

Smartphone

Talk about a smartphone that you would like to buy.

- what the brand is
- where you would buy it
- why you want to buy it
- if getting smartphone is important (why/why not)

Do need a smartphone? Why?



Useful Phrases

fashion trend, stylish ,
comfortable, casual wear, easy to
style, social media influence,
keep up with trend, within my
budget, impulse buying,
personal style

Johor (Set 1)

Sample B1

I would like to buy a Samsung smartphone. To begin with, I like Samsung because it has many useful features and different models. I would probably buy it from an official brand store because I want to get a genuine product with a warranty. I want to buy a new phone because my current phone is quite old and slow. Its battery life is also not very good. Besides that, I need a smartphone for my studies. For example, I can use educational apps and search for information online. As for getting a smartphone, I think it is important because it helps us stay connected with our family and friends. All in all, a smartphone is useful if we use it responsibly.

Sample B2

I would like to buy an iPhone because I like its stylish design and good camera quality. To begin with, I would probably buy it from an official Apple store. This is because I can get a genuine product and a warranty, and I can ask the staff about its features before making a decision. The main reason I want to buy a new smartphone is that my current phone is getting old and its battery life is quite poor. Besides that, I want a reliable phone for my studies. For example, I can use it to search for information, watch educational videos and communicate with my classmates. As for getting a smartphone, personally, I believe it is important because it helps teenagers communicate and learn more easily. However, we should use it responsibly and control our screen time. All in all, a smartphone can be very useful when used wisely.

Yes, I need a smartphone because it helps me communicate with my family and friends easily. I can also use it for my studies. For example, I can search for information online, use educational apps and contact my classmates about school projects.

A Student Leader

Talk about a student leader you know.

- who the person is
- what he/she does in school
- why you admire him/her
- why discipline is important for students?

Do you know any student leader in your school?



Useful Phrases

student leader , class monitor , head
prefect , maintain discipline ,
take responsibility ,
set a good example , role model
responsible , punctual
follow school rules

Johor (Set 2)

Sample B1

I would like to talk about my friend, Aina, who is a class monitor. To begin with, she helps our teacher manage the class and reminds us to keep the classroom clean. She also takes part in school activities. I admire Aina because she is responsible and helpful. For example, she always completes her duties on time and helps her classmates when they have problems. As for discipline, I think it is important for students because it helps us follow school rules and become more responsible. Besides that, discipline helps us stay focused on our studies. For example, disciplined students can finish their homework on time. All in all, I think Aina is a good role model for other students.

Sample B2

I would like to talk about my senior, Amir, who is the head prefect in my school. To begin with, he has many responsibilities, such as helping teachers, maintaining discipline and organising school activities. For example, he helps to manage students during school assemblies and reminds them to follow the school rules. I admire Amir because he is responsible, confident and approachable. Even though he has many duties, he is always willing to help other students. I also think he sets a good example because he is punctual and takes his studies seriously. As for discipline, personally, I believe it is important because it teaches students to manage their time and take responsibility for their actions. Besides that, discipline helps create a positive learning environment. For example, students who follow classroom rules can concentrate better during lessons. All in all, good discipline can help students become more responsible adults.

Yes, I know a student leader in my school. He is a prefect in my class, and he often helps teachers. For example, he helps to organise students during assembly.

National Day

Talk about a National Day celebration you joined.

- when it was
- where it was
- what you did
- why patriotism is important among students

How does your school celebrate National Day?



Useful Phrases

National Day celebration , patriotism
sense of belonging , patriotic songs
cultural performances , join a parade
Jalur Gemilang , bring people together
appreciate our country ,
contribute to society

Johor (Set 2)

Sample B1

I would like to talk about a National Day celebration that I joined last year. To begin with, it was held on 31 August at my school. Many students and teachers joined the celebration. During the event, I joined a parade with my classmates. We carried the Malaysian flag and sang patriotic songs together. Besides that, I watched some traditional performances and took part in a quiz about Malaysia. As for patriotism, I think it is important among students because it gives us a sense of belonging. It also teaches us to appreciate our country and its history. For example, students can learn about the sacrifices made by previous generations. All in all, the celebration was enjoyable and taught me to appreciate Malaysia more.

Sample B2

I would like to talk about a National Day celebration that I joined last year. To begin with, the celebration was held on 31 August at my school. The school compound was decorated with Malaysian flags, and many students and teachers took part in the event. During the celebration, I joined a parade with my classmates and carried the Jalur Gemilang. Besides that, we sang patriotic songs and watched several cultural performances, including traditional dances. I also took part in a quiz about Malaysian history, which was both fun and educational. As for patriotism, personally, I believe it is important among students because it helps us develop a sense of belonging and appreciate our country's history. It also brings students from different backgrounds together. For example, we can celebrate important national events as one community. All in all, the celebration was meaningful because I had fun while learning more about Malaysia.

My school celebrates National Day by organising a patriotic parade. Students wear traditional clothes or the colours of the Malaysian flag. For example, we march around the school while carrying the Jalur Gemilang.

Favourite Video

Talk about a video that you watched recently.

- when it was
- where you watched it
- what you like about the video
- if watching videos gives benefits to teenagers (why/why not)

How does your school celebrate National Day?



Useful Phrases

informative , entertaining , easy to follow , content creator , cooking tutorial , learn new skills , gain useful information , relieve stress , control my screen time , manage my time wisely

Johor (Set 3)

Sample B1

Today, I want to talk about a video I watched recently. To begin with, it was a cooking video by Khairul Aming. He showed how to prepare a simple and delicious dessert which is pudding caramel.

Furthermore, I watched it on TikTok using my mobile phone at home.

Next, I liked the video because it was easy to follow and entertaining. For example, I enjoy watching his "30 Days 30 Recipes" videos during Ramadan because he gives clear instructions.

Finally, I think watching videos can benefit teenagers because we can learn new skills and gain useful information. For example, we can learn how to cook simple meals. However, we should control our screen time. All in all, useful videos can be both educational and enjoyable.

Sample B2

Today, I want to talk about a video I watched recently. To begin with, it was a cooking video by Khairul Aming, a popular Malaysian content creator. He showed his followers how to prepare a simple meal step by step which is a pudding caramel.

Furthermore, I watched the video on TikTok while I was relaxing at home waiting for iftar.

Next, I liked it because it was informative, entertaining and easy to follow. For example, I enjoy his "30 Days 30 Recipes" series during Ramadan because he shares practical cooking ideas that teenagers can try at home.

As for the benefits of watching videos, personally, I believe they can help teenagers learn new skills and gain useful information. However, watching too many videos can waste our time. All in all, I think videos are beneficial when we choose useful content and manage our screen time wisely

My favourite videos on social media are cooking videos by Khairul Aming. I enjoy them because they are easy to follow and entertaining. For example, I like his *30 Days 30 Recipes* series because I can learn new dishes.

A House Appliance

Talk about a house appliance you use often

- what it is
- where you can buy it
- what you use it for
- if people can survive without electric appliances (why/why not)

What house appliances you always use?



Useful Phrases

household appliance , convenient ,
reliable , cool my room save time
and effort , daily routine , energy
consumption , electricity bill , keep
food fresh

Johor (Set 3)

Sample B1

Today, I want to talk about a house appliance that I use often. To begin with, it is an air conditioner. I usually use it in my bedroom, especially at night.

Furthermore, we can buy an air conditioner from an electrical shop such as Senheng or from an online store.

Next, I use it to cool my room and make it more comfortable. For example, I switch it on when I am studying because Malaysia can be very hot.

Finally, I think people can survive without electrical appliances, but life would be less comfortable. For example, we can use a fan or open the windows. All in all, electrical appliances make our daily lives easier.

Sample B2

Today, I want to talk about a house appliance I use often. To begin with, it is a washing machine. My family uses it regularly because we have many clothes to wash, especially after school and sports activities.

Furthermore, we can buy one from an electrical shop such as Senheng or from an online platform. I think it is important to choose a reliable brand because the appliance should last for a long time.

Next, I use the washing machine to wash my school uniform, sports clothes and other clothes. It is convenient and helps us save time and effort.

As for living without electrical appliances, I think people can survive, but their daily lives would be harder and less comfortable. For example, they would need to wash clothes by hand. All in all, electrical appliances make our lives more comfortable.

I always use the air conditioner, especially at night. It helps me stay cool and comfortable when I sleep or study. For example, I usually switch it on when the weather is very hot.

Fashion Trend

Talk about a fashion trend you like.

- what the trend is
- how you know about it
- why you like it
- if people buy things to follow the trend (why/why not)

What is your favourite fashion trend? Why?



Useful Phrases

fashion trend, stylish , comfortable,
casual wear, easy to style, social
media influence, keep up with
trend, within my budget, impulse
buying, personal style

Johor (Set 4)

Sample B1

Today, I want to talk about a fashion trend that I like. My favourite fashion trend is oversized clothing. It is very popular among teenagers nowadays. Furthermore, the second point is how I know about it. I know about this trend from social media, especially TikTok and Instagram. I often see young people wearing oversized T-shirts and trousers.

Next, the third point is why I like it. I like it because it is comfortable and easy to match with different clothes. For example, I can wear an oversized T-shirt with jeans and sneakers.

Finally, people should not buy things just to follow trends because they may waste money. We should think carefully before buying something.

Sample B2

Today, I want to talk about a fashion trend that I like.

To begin with, my favourite fashion trend is oversized clothing, which is quite popular among teenagers today. It includes loose T-shirts, shirts and trousers.

I first discovered this trend through social media platforms such as TikTok and Instagram. Many teenagers and influencers share different ways of styling oversized clothes.

Next, the third point is why I like it. Personally, I like this trend because it is comfortable, practical and easy to style. For example, I can wear an oversized T-shirt with jeans and sneakers when I go out with my friends. Finally, I do not think people should buy things just to follow fashion trends. They should avoid impulse buying and choose clothes that they really need. This can also help them save money.

My favourite trend is vintage fashion because it looks unique. For example, I sometimes like wearing old-style shirts or jackets with modern clothes.

Saving The Environment



Talk about an act on saving the environment that you joined recently.

- what the activity was
- who were involved
- why you did this
- how we can encourage others to care for the environment



What is the small act you do to save the environment? why?

Useful Phrases

Protect the environment, reduce waste, recycle, reuse, reduce pollution, raise awareness, save electricity, single-use plastic, set a good example, make a difference

Johor (Set 4)

Sample B1

Today, I want to talk about an act of saving the environment that I joined recently.

To begin with, the first point is what the activity was. It was a school clean-up programme. We collected rubbish around our school and separated recyclable items.

Furthermore, the second point is who was involved. My classmates, teachers and I joined the activity. We worked together and had a good time.

Next, the third point is why I did it. I joined because I wanted to keep my school clean and reduce pollution. For example, we collected plastic bottles and put them into recycling bins.

Finally, we can encourage others by setting a good example. Schools can also organise fun activities such as recycling competitions. I believe everyone can help to protect the environment.

Sample B2

Today, I want to talk about an act of saving the environment that I joined recently.

Recently, I joined a school clean-up programme. We collected rubbish around the school and separated recyclable materials such as plastic bottles and old newspapers.

Furthermore, the second point is who was involved. My classmates, teachers and I took part in the activity. We worked together to make our school cleaner and more pleasant.

Next, the third point is why I did it. I joined because I wanted to reduce waste and raise awareness about environmental problems. For example, we learnt that recycling can help reduce the amount of rubbish sent to landfills.

Finally, we can encourage others by setting a good example. Schools can organise competitions and use social media to spread environmental messages. Personally, I believe small actions can make a difference if everyone takes part.

I reuse shopping bags because it can reduce the use of plastic bags. For example, my family brings reusable bags when we go shopping.

A School Clean-Up Programme



Talk about a school clean-up programme that you joined.

- when it was held
- who were involved
- what you did
- why you think students should keep the school clean



What do you do to clean your school?

Useful Phrases

take part in
pick up rubbish
school compound
keep the surroundings clean
a sense of responsibility

Johor (Set 5)

Sample B1

To begin with, the clean-up programme was held last month on a Saturday morning. Besides that, many students, teachers and school prefects were involved. We were divided into groups and given different tasks.

As for what I did, I helped to sweep the classroom, wipe the tables and pick up rubbish around the school. I also helped to clean the garden.

Personally, I believe students should keep the school clean because it gives us a healthy and comfortable learning environment.

It also teaches us to take responsibility for our surroundings. For example, we should put rubbish into the correct bins instead of leaving it on the floor.

All in all, keeping our school clean is everyone's responsibility.

Sample B2

To begin with, I would like to talk about a school clean-up programme that I joined last year. It was held on a Saturday morning before the new school term started. Students from different classes, teachers and school prefects took part in the programme.

Besides that, we were divided into several groups. My group was responsible for cleaning the classroom and school compound. We swept the floor, cleaned the windows and picked up rubbish around the school. We also separated some plastic bottles for recycling.

As for why students should keep the school clean, I believe it is important because a clean environment can prevent the spread of germs and make students feel more comfortable while studying. It also teaches us to take responsibility for our surroundings.

All in all, the programme was useful because we worked together and learned the importance of cleanliness.

I usually sweep my classroom and arrange the tables and chairs. This makes the classroom more comfortable for learning. For example, my classmates and I clean the classroom before going home.

Health Advice

Talk about an advice that helps you stay healthy

- what the advice is
- where you get the advice from
- how it helps you
- if you think it is difficult to stay healthy (why/why not)

Have you received any health advice? What was it?



Useful Phrases

stay healthy
balanced diet
get enough sleep
exercise regularly
prevent the spread of germs

Johor (Set 5)

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Yes, I have. My mother always tells me to get enough sleep because it helps me stay focused in school. For example, I try to go to bed before midnight, especially on school nights.

Managing Pocket Money



Talk about how you manage your pocket money.

- what you usually buy
- how much you spend every week
- how you keep track of your expenses
- whether parents should give teenagers a fixed allowance (why/why not)

How would you save your money?



Useful Phrases

develop good financial habits
develop financial independence
prioritise my needs
control my spending
avoid impulse purchases
make smart financial decisions
plan my expenditure
build up my savings

Johor (Set 6)

Sample B1

I usually get pocket money from my parents every week. I spend it on food, drinks and school supplies. I normally spend about RM30 to RM40 every week. To keep track of my expenses, I write down what I buy in a small notebook. This helps me know where my money goes.

I think parents should give teenagers a fixed allowance. This is because teenagers can learn how to manage their money wisely. If we have a fixed amount, we will learn to control our spending and avoid buying unnecessary things. We can also learn to save money for something important. In my opinion, managing pocket money is an important skill for teenagers.

Sample B2

Managing pocket money is an important skill that every teenager should learn. I usually receive around RM50 a week from my parents. I spend most of it on food, drinks and school-related items. However, I try not to spend all my money at once. I keep track of my expenses by recording them in my phone and checking my spending at the end of every week.

In my opinion, parents should give teenagers a fixed allowance. This can teach us to become more responsible and independent when handling money. It also encourages us to differentiate between our needs and wants. For example, instead of spending money on snacks every day, we can save some of it for emergencies or something useful. Therefore, having a fixed allowance can help teenagers develop good financial habits from a young age.

I would save my money by setting a weekly savings target and following a simple budget. For example, I would save at least 20% of my allowance before spending the rest. I would also avoid impulse buying and unnecessary online purchases. Keeping track of my expenses would help me understand my spending habits. In the long run, this habit could help me become more financially responsible and prepare for unexpected expenses.

Being A Smart Consumer



Talk about being a smart consumer

- where you usually shop
- why you enjoy shopping
- what you do before buying
- if you think the most expensive product has the best quality (why/why not)



What do you consider before buying something? Why?

Useful Phrases

make an informed decision,
consider the pros and cons,
weigh up my options,
avoid impulse buying,
distinguish between needs and
check the product's durability
look for the best deal
read the terms and conditions,
research before buying

Johor (Set 6)

Sample B1

Being a smart consumer means spending money carefully. I usually shop at shopping malls, supermarkets and online stores. I enjoy shopping because I can find many interesting products and sometimes get good discounts. However, I always think carefully before buying something. Before I buy a product, I check its price, quality and usefulness. I also compare prices from different shops. I usually read reviews because they can help me know whether a product is good or not. I do not think the most expensive product always has the best quality. Sometimes, cheaper products can also be useful and long-lasting. Therefore, we should not buy something just because it is expensive. A smart consumer should always make careful decisions before spending money.

Sample B2

Being a smart consumer means making sensible decisions before spending money. I usually shop at shopping malls, supermarkets and online platforms because they offer a wide variety of products. I enjoy shopping, especially when there are discounts and special promotions. Before buying something, I consider several factors such as the price, quality, durability and usefulness of the product. I also compare prices between different shops and read customer reviews before making a decision. In addition, I ask myself whether I really need the product or simply want it. I do not believe that the most expensive product always has the best quality. Price is not necessarily an indication of quality because some affordable products can be durable and reliable. Therefore, consumers should do some research before purchasing anything. By comparing products and thinking carefully, we can avoid wasting money and become more responsible consumers.

There are several things I consider before buying something, such as its price, quality, durability and usefulness. I also compare prices from different shops and read reviews from other customers. Most importantly, I ask myself whether the product is a need or a want. This helps me avoid impulse purchases. By considering these factors, I can make better financial decisions and ensure that my money is spent wisely.

Being Respectful



Talk about a person you respect

- who you respect
- how you show your respect
- why you respect him/her
- if the younger generation should gain respect from the elderly (why/why not)

Do you enjoy spending time with the elderly? Why?



Useful Phrases

show respect, look up to
someone, treat someone with
respect, valuable advice,
life experience, lend a helping
hand, show appreciation, family
bond, be polite and considerate,
set a good example

Johor (Set 7)

Sample B1

The person I respect the most is my grandmother. To begin with, I respect her because she is very kind and hardworking. She always takes care of my family and gives me good advice.

I show my respect by speaking politely, listening to her and helping her with simple things around the house. For example, I help her carry heavy bags when we go shopping.

Besides that, I think the younger generation should gain respect from the elderly by showing good manners and helping them. We should listen when they share their experiences because they have gone through many things in life.

All in all, I believe respect should be mutual, and everyone should treat others kindly.

Sample B2

The person I really look up to is my grandmother. To begin with, she is a caring and hardworking person who has always supported my family. I respect her not only because she is my grandmother, but also because she has faced many difficulties and remained positive.

I show my respect by speaking politely, listening to her advice and offering a helping hand. For instance, whenever she visits my house, I help her carry her things and make sure she is comfortable.

As for the younger generation, I believe we should gain the respect of elderly people by showing good manners, responsibility and appreciation. We can spend time with them, listen to their stories and help them when necessary. At the same time, I think respect should be mutual, because young people also have their own ideas and experiences.

All in all, small actions can make elderly people feel valued and respected.

Yes, I enjoy spending time with the elderly because I can learn valuable lessons from their experiences. They have gone through many different situations in life and can give us useful advice. For example, I enjoy talking to my grandparents because they often tell me interesting stories about their childhood.

A Traditional Festival

Talk about a traditional festival

- what the festival is
- where it is celebrated
- why people celebrate it
- how festivals bring people together

What traditional festival you would like to celebrate? Why?



Useful Phrases

Cultural heritage, traditional customs, family gathering, bring people together, festive atmosphere, traditional delicacies, celebrate together, pass down traditions, cultural diversity, strengthen relationship

Johor (Set 7)

Sample B1

A traditional festival I enjoy is Hari Raya Aidilfitri. To begin with, it is celebrated by Muslims after the month of Ramadan. In Malaysia, people usually celebrate it at home, in their hometowns and at their relatives' houses.

People celebrate Hari Raya to mark the end of Ramadan and to spend time with family. They also ask for forgiveness and visit relatives and friends. For example, many Malaysian families travel back to their hometowns for balik kampung.

Besides that, festivals can bring people together because everyone can enjoy food, talk to each other and take part in celebrations. People may also visit friends from different backgrounds.

Personally, I believe Hari Raya is special because it gives families a chance to strengthen their relationships and enjoy

Sample B2

A traditional festival I really enjoy is Hari Raya Aidilfitri, one of the important celebrations for Muslims in Malaysia. To begin with, it is celebrated after the month of Ramadan, and many families return to their hometowns for balik kampung. People usually celebrate at their family homes, relatives' houses and sometimes at community events.

As for why people celebrate it, Hari Raya marks the end of Ramadan. It is also a time to ask for forgiveness, show gratitude and strengthen family bonds. For example, family members often visit one another and enjoy traditional food such as rendang and ketupat.

Besides that, festivals bring people together because they give us a reason to spend time with relatives, friends and neighbours. They can also help younger people learn about their cultural traditions.

Personally, I believe festivals are important because they allow people to celebrate their culture while building stronger relationships with others. All in all, they make Malaysian society more connected.

I would like to celebrate Hari Raya Aidilfitri because it is a meaningful festival that brings family members together. Everyone can visit relatives, enjoy delicious food and ask for forgiveness. For example, I enjoy visiting my relatives during Hari Raya because we can have a big family gathering and catch up with one another.