

AFARINESH IELTS Radio Part-24

IELTS SPEAKING PART 3

- **Why is it good to discuss problems with other people?**

It's clear that we're so limited in terms of our brain capacity. U know, like I am no **know-it-all fella** and I'm quite sure the majority also think this way. Discussing our issues with others, especially with those that we're **in the same boat with**, expands our knowledge since we are gonna get a whole lot of other ideas simply by **putting or heads together**. From personal experience, this has always been a **viable** way to the best solution to my problems. Plus, you don't have to **take whatever others say for granted**, u could also add a **touch of your own intuition** and make sure that you're not just gathering a **hodgepodge** of never **plausible** ideas.

- **Do you think that it's better to talk to friends and not family about problems?**

It heavily depends on what kind of a problem it is that we're talking about. I mean sometimes, or I would say most of the times, the family has this habit of **blowing things out of proportion** and then a lot of heads would roll. All I'm saying is that you could save yourself a lot of unnecessary drama just by sharing your problems with a close circle of friends you trust most. Now, I'm not saying that families don't offer a helping hand when u need it, the problem is that this helping hand might also slap u in the face. So I'd say you're **better off** without it. By the way, trusting someone as a friend is very critical. You **let some dude in on** your secrets only to realize what a terrible mistake you've made when he shows **the cloven hoof**.

- **What do you think will be the future impact of technology on communication in the workplace?**

It's really hard to say u know. U can't ever get a good **grasp of it**. I mean as far as the forms technology can take in our lives, **sky's the limit**. But I'm sure whatever technological advancement is achieved in future would be mainly **paving the way** to bring about faster and more secure communication than what we already got. I haven't **figured out** the right **term** yet, but **ultra-instant automation** system maybe, something that makes communication super faster than now, that way we'd have a **genuinely** efficient working hours. What's more is, security might be **enhanced**. Not all working places are all about handling worthless **trivialities**. In some cases, highly valuable information might be **transmitted** among the staff. Security kind of **matters** in these cases.

Language Focus

Know it all fella

one who claims full knowledge

be in the same 'boat

to be in the same difficult situation

put our/your/their 'heads together

to think about or discuss something as a group

Viable

that can be done; that will be successful

→ SYNONYM feasible

a viable option/proposition

There is no viable alternative

take somebody/something for 'granted

to be so used to somebody/something that you do not recognize their true value any more and do not show that you are grateful

Her husband was always there and she just took him for granted.

a touch [singular] slightly; a little

Intuition

[uncountable] the ability to know something by using your feelings rather than considering the facts

Intuition told her that he had spoken the truth.

He was guided by intuition and personal judgement.

The answer came to me in a flash of intuition.

Hodgepodge

a number of things mixed together without any particular order or reason

a hotchpotch of ideas

Plausible

reasonable and likely to be true

Blow sth out of proportion

To make something seem more important, better, worse, etc. than it really is

The whole affair was blown up out of all proportion.

Be better off

used to say that somebody is/would be happier or more satisfied if they were in a particular position or did a particular thing

She's better off without him.

let somebody 'in on something | let somebody 'into something

(informal) to allow somebody to share a secret

Are you going to let them in on your plans?

Dude

a man

show the cloven hoof

To reveal one's evil or malicious nature. The devil is typically depicted with cloven hooves. ...

Grasp of sth

a person's understanding of a subject or of difficult facts

He has a good grasp of German grammar.

the sky's the 'limit

(informal) there is no limit to what somebody can achieve, earn, do, etc.

With a talent like his, the sky's the limit

,pave the 'way (for somebody/something)

to create a situation in which somebody will be able to do something or something can happen

This decision paved the way for changes in employment rights for women.

Figure out

To think about somebody/something until you understand them/it

Term

A word or phrase used as the name of something, especially one connected with a particular type of language

a technical/legal/scientific, etc. term

a term of abuse

'Register' is the term commonly used to describe different levels of formality in language.

Ultra-instant

Extremely fast

Automation

the use of machines to do work that was previously done by people

Automation meant the loss of many factory jobs.

Genuinely

truly; in a way that is exactly what it appears to be and is not artificial

There are some genuinely funny moments in the film.

The election result was genuinely democratic.

a genuinely new kind of politician

Enhanced

(of the quality, value or status of somebody/something) increased or improved
enhanced efficiency

Triviality

a matter that is not important

I don't want to waste time on trivialities.

Transmit

to pass something from one person to another

Matter

To be important or have an important effect on somebody/something