Responding to visual prompts

(describing and interpreting a picture or a photograph, talking about likes and dislikes)

Say to both candidates:

I'm going to give each of you a photograph of people on holiday.

Candidate A, here is your photograph.

Hand one of the photographs to Candidate A.

Would you show it to Candidate B and talk about it, please?

Candidate B, you just listen to Candidate A. I'll give you a photograph in a moment.

Candidate A, please tell us what you can see in your photograph.

Approximately one minute.

Now, Candidate B, here is your picture. Hand the second photograph to Candidate B.

Would you show it to Candidate A and tell him/her about it, please?

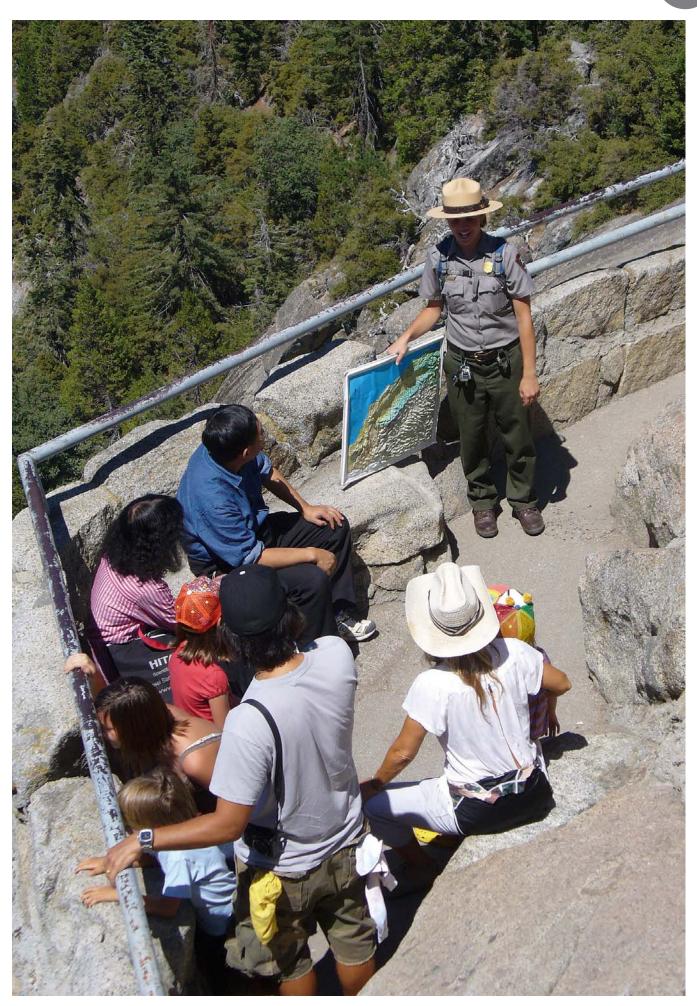
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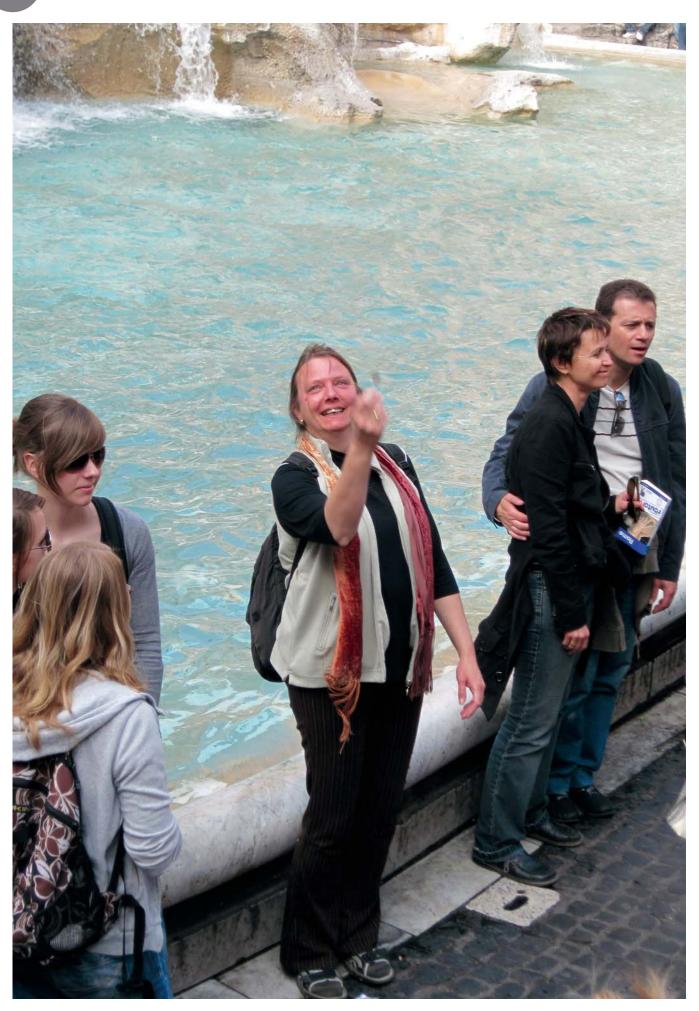
Say to both candidates:

Your photographs show **people on holiday.** Now, I'd like you to talk together about where you would like to go on holiday and what you'd like to do there. Also talk about places and activities you don't like.

Allow the candidates enough time to complete the task without intervention. Prompt only if necessary.

Time: 4 min.





Simulated situation

(making and responding to suggestions, agreeing and disagreeing, making choices)

Say slowly to both candidates:

I'm going to describe a situation to you.

A friend of yours wants to lose some weight. Talk together about the different ways to lose weight and decide which would be best.

Here is a picture with some ideas to help you.

Hand over the picture sheet to the candidates.

Just think for a few seconds.

Short pause

I'll say that again.

A friend of yours wants to lose some weight. Talk together about the different ways to lose weight and decide which would be best.

All right? Talk together.

Allow the candidates enough time to complete the task without intervention. Prompt only if necessary.

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Time: 4 min.

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