

# LECTURE 12

## TWO MINUTES CHALLENGE

YOU ARE GIVEN A SITUATION AND YOU HAVE TO TALK ON IT FOR 1 TO 2 MINUTES.



FIRST LISTEN TO THE SAMPLE TALK ON THE TOPIC FESTIVALS AND NOTE DOWN THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS FROM THE AUDIO.



### FESTIVALS

DESCRIBE YOUR FAVOURITE FESTIVAL THAT YOU CELEBRATE  
YOU SHOULD SAY:

What the festival is?

When and where do you celebrate?

Why was it special?

HOW DID THE TALK START?

COULD YOU HEAR IDIOMS? IF YES, PLEASE NOTE A FEW OF THEM.

HOW DID IT END?

THE MOST INTERESTING PART OF THE TALK WAS



NOW PREPARE YOUR TALK FOR THE FOLLOWING TOPIC. USE IDIOMATIC PHRASES AND FOCUS ON THE TIP BOXES GIVEN FOR YOUR HELP.

YOU HAVE RECEIVED A SURPRISE GIFT. NOW DESCRIBE

Tell who gave you the gift

What was the reason

How did you feel about it



HOW WOULD YOU START YOUR TALK?

Be genuine in your thoughts. Think about a real gift or a real celebration.

WHICH IDIOMS CAN YOU ADD?

Keep adding adjectives and also use idiomatic phrases.

HOW WOULD YOU END IT?

Be slow in expressing emotions. Have fillers and use facial expressions.

IDIOM BOX:

One in a million, Blink of an eye, close to my heart, out of blue, wish for a moon