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Introduction

Due to the stressful period IELTS & TOEFL candidates undergo before their exams, the PAD English Language Institute located in Shahrak Gharb and established by Dr. Roudgarnejad, a prominent academic figure, has come to their help.

Dr. Roudgarnejad, with over 14 years of experience in teaching foreign languages, has succeeded in discovering a new method for IELTS teaching and managed to provide a complete package based on the IELTS exam. This package gives a 100% support to candidates and will guarantee their qualifications and proficiency for the IELTS exam. Then don't doubt getting your desired IELTS Band Score in a very short time. The hands up approach is the most modern and efficient method in teaching foreign languages, so don't worry any longer and rush to get registered in the PAD institute.

PERSONAL QUESTIONS

1. **Q: What's your name?**

A: My name is Pouya Farzadnia.

2. **Q: How do you spell your last name?**

A: It is F-A-R-Z-A-D-N-I-A

3. **Q: What's your phone number?**

A: It is 88698138

4. **Q: Where are you from?**

A: I was born in Mashhad.

5. **Q: How old are you?**

A: I turned 21 last month.

6. **Q: What are your favorite colors?**

A: Well, my favorite colors are black blue and red.

7. **Q: What's the weather like today?**

A: It was windy in the morning and a little bit cloudy, but I think it's turning a little cooler now, I hope it will be cold enough at night.

8. **Q: What season is it now?**

A: We are in summer.

9. **Q: What's your favorite season?**

A: My favorite season is winter, you know because I love snow.

10. **Q: What are you wearing today?**

A: I'm wearing a black and white striped shirt, long sleeved, and orange pants.

11. **Q: What do you wear in winter?**

A: I like to wear a jacket, wool jacket, and a scarf and my leather gloves, and my baggy pants.

12. **Q: Who is your best friend?**

A: Well, his name is Ardalan. He is a very good friend. You know I have lots of best friends, but I think he's one of the best.

13. **Q: What's he like?**

A: Well, he has long hair, a big nose, and he is tall. And he is very serious, and at the same time he is fun.

14. **Q: What time is it now?**

A: I think it's 5:30.

15. **Q: What time do you get up?**

A: I usually get up at 6 in the morning.

16. **Q: Do you get up early on weekends?**

A: Well, I get up at 10 o'clock. I don't think it's too early.

17. **Q: Do you have a computer at home?**

A: No. I have a lap top computer.

18. **Q: What do you do?**

A: Well, I'm a teacher. And at the same time I study civil engineering, and I am an actor, too.

19. **Q: What time do you go to bed?**

A: I go to bed at 2 in the morning.

20. **Q: What's your schedule like?**

A: I have a very busy schedule on Tuesdays. You know I get up at 6 in the morning, and I have to go to the university until 2. And then, I get back home, and I rest for 1 hour. And then, I get up and cook, and then I go out with my friends. And then I have class at 8 till 10, and then I get back home and watch TV, that is my Tuesday. But the other days are not this busy.

21. **Q: Do you like the place where you're living?**

A: Well. My apartment is more like a shoe box. It's too small, and I have a dingy kitchen, and most of the time is dirty because I don't have the time to get around to clean the house. And I have only one bedroom, and

it is small. And my living room is too cramped, I have lots of furniture in it. But the whole apartment has a big yard, and that's a good thing about it.

22. **Q: *What do you have in your bedroom?***

A: Well, I have one bed, one desk, one closet with my shoes and clothes in it. I have a coat stand, golden coat stand. And that's it. I think that's pretty much what I have in my room.

23. **Q: *What's your favorite room?***

A: Well, I think I love my living room; even though, it is too cramped because I have my TV there, I have my play system there, and I have my big favorite sofa there.

24. **Q: *How many hours a day do you work?***

A: Average I work about 8 hours a day.

25. **Q: *Do you like your job?***

A: Yeah. I have two jobs, and I like them.

26. **Q: *Do you work on weekends?***

A: Sometimes yes. But I don't really like to work on weekends anymore.

27. **Q: *What are some jobs that you think would be boring?***

A: Well, I think being an accountant or a secretary would be very boring because you know you don't really have anyone to talk to, and you just have to answer phones. You know I hate answering phones. And you just have to work with the computer all the time if you are an accountant. So these two jobs would be so boring for me, and I'm not actually cut out for these jobs.

Q: *How about some exciting jobs?*

A: Well. Being a police officer or a fire brigade officer would be so exciting because it has saving people in it, and that is so exciting.

Q: And difficult ones?

A: Again being a fire fighter would be so difficult because you have to save the people's lives. And if you don't, then that's not good; and it is difficult. And also teaching is difficult.

Q: And what kind of jobs do you consider as dangerous ones?

A: Working in the police department is also difficult as well as exciting. And also being a business person sometimes might be dangerous.

Q: And how about relaxing jobs?

A: Working in a swimming pool or doing some research or maybe being a dentist- I don't know I really don't think any job is relaxing because people relax after working, but they don't relax at work, I don't think that's a good term.

Q: And what kind of job do you consider as stressful?

A: Stressful jobs are like being a business person. You know every minute you have that doubt that you might lose some money or being a stock broker that could be a stressful job; and also being a teacher- it could be stressful.

28. **Q: How long do you take to eat lunch?**

A: Well, it takes me about 1 hour to eat lunch.

29. **Q: Do you eat lunch with your family?**

A: No, I don't. I eat lunch alone.

30. **Q: What's your favorite food?**

A: Well, I love Italian food, and also Indian food. So I love hot, spicy and delicious food.

31. **Q: Do you pay attention to healthy food?**

A: Not really. I almost eat everything that is very unhealthy for me, and I drink lots of soda. That is not good.

32. **Q:** *How many meals do you usually eat every day?*
A: I eat about five meals a day.
33. **Q:** *How much do you eat when you are happy or sad?*
A: Well, it's not really different, but I eat a lot either when I'm happy or sad.
34. **Q:** *How often do you eat at a fast-food restaurant?*
A: Well, I usually eat at a fast food restaurant five times a week.
35. **Q:** *How often do you eat out?*
A: Well, about seven times a week.
36. **Q:** *What's the most expensive meal you've ever eaten?*
A: Well, the most expensive meal I've eaten was the Indian dish- you know it was served in an Indian restaurant, and it was about 20000 Tomans.
37. **Q:** *What food can you cook the best?*
A: Scrambled eggs and omelets.
38. **Q:** *Do you exercise?*
A: Not very much. But I'm planning to do that, actually I'm determined to do that; I'm starting next week.
39. **Q:** *Which sport do you play?*
A: I used to play basketball, but now I just go swimming.
40. **Q:** *How often do you go swimming?*
A: I go swimming twice a week.
41. **Q:** *Where do you go swimming?*
A: I go to swimming in a swimming pool; it's called Orkideli. It's not close to my house, but it's worth it, it's a comfortable swimming pool.
42. **Q:** *How often do you get a cold?*
A: Actually, I don't plan on that, but I think it happens two times in a year.

43. **Q:** *What do you do when you have a headache?*

A: Well, I like to take a hot bath, and I use the hot water bag and I put it on my forehead. I take some pills, and then take some rest.

44. **Q:** *Have you ever had an accident?*

A: Yes. I've had lots of accidents.

45. **Q:** *Do you have a driver's license?*

A: Yes, I do.

46. **Q:** *Have you ever traveled by airplane?*

A: Yes, I have.

47. **Q:** *Do you use public transportation?*

A: Very much. I go to work by bus or I take the subway for that.

48. **Q:** *What's your favorite car?*

A: Well, I love Chevrolet and I love GM cars, mostly my favorite car would be Hummer.

49. **Q:** *Does your mother have a driver's license?*

A: Yes, she does.