

Listening and Speaking

Speaking Strategy

Asking about details

A. You may use adjectives to describe something or ask about details such as the quality, size, age, and color.

- How was the movie?
- It was very interesting. I am going to watch it again.
- Was it an old film?
- Yeah, actually it was black and white.



You may use the following patterns to ask and answer about details.

How is (was).....? It is (was) interesting/ beautiful/ nice, ...

What color is it? It is black/ white/ yellow,....

Was it a modern house? Yes, it was. (No, it was an old house).



B. Listen to the following conversations and complete the sentences.

Conversation 1



1. She bought
2. It was

Pair up and add 2 turns to the conversation by asking about the size and quality of the dress. You may use the adjectives in the box.

Size: long, large

Quality: beautiful, nice

Conversation 2



1. She likes
2. Cooking is

Pair up and choose 3 adjectives in box 2 to describe people, places, and fruits in box 1. Compare your answers with your friend's.

my best friend, apple, our school,
our English teacher, Boostan Park,
pepper

small, green, yellow, medium,
fresh, red, kind, careful, neat,
nice, beautiful, long, helpful

Box 1

Box 2

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Conversation 1:

A: I bought a dress for my mother's birthday.

B: Good! What color was it?

A: It was red. It was really beautiful.

B: Was it expensive?

A: No, it wasn't.

B: Did she like it?

A: Yeah. She got very happy when she saw it.

Conversation 2:

A: Do you cook?

B: Yeah, sometimes. I like cooking healthy food.

A: Is it difficult to cook?

B: No. Actually, it's very easy.

A: Who helps you when you cook?

B: My mother and my younger sister.

A: How interesting! Can you tell me how to cook?

B: Yes, of course.



A. Listen to five interesting things about our brain.

1. Fill in the blanks based on what you just heard.

The brain becomes smaller when doesn't
enough

When you laugh different parts of the are

2. Listen again and list all 'adjectives'.

B. Now read five more interesting things about our brain.

6. The brain gives enough energy to light a small lamp. 7. Seafood is the best food for the brain. 8. The brain is the fattiest body organ. 9. Reading and listening help the brain work well. 10. Good and deep sleep helps the brain work better.

3. Underline all 'adjectives'

C. Work in pairs. Ask and answer. Use appropriate intonation.

Is our brain an amazing organ?

What type of food is good for our brain?

Tell me two interesting things about our brain.



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- 1) The brain is more active at night than during the day.
- 2) Most part of the brain is water.
- 3) When you laugh, five different parts of the brain are active.
- 4) Information moves in the brain faster than the fastest cars.
- 5) When the brain does not have good and healthy food, it becomes smaller.