

IELTS Speaking

Part 2: cultural place

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Part 2: The Elements

Describe a cultural place (eg library, museum, theatre)

You should say:

- where it is
- how you knew this place
- what it is like

and explain how the place is related to culture

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Topic: subject of the story

When

(Where / What / Why)

The conversation

Reflection

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Topic: subject of the story

the British Museum

When

5 or 6 years ago: with friend Anne

(Where / What / Why)

London : visit with Anne: amazing; cultural objects / library etc

The conversation

with Anne / with guide: describing museum

Reflection

amazing: need more time

Reflection

Unfortunately, we did not have much time

At the end, we both said that we had enjoyed the tour a lot, but I really wish I had been able to spend longer there.

I think that if I had had a whole day there, it still would not have been enough time to see everything.

It really is a totally amazing place

Drill

we both said that we had enjoyed the tour a lot...

Drill

we both said that _____ en _____ tour a lot...

Drill

we both said that we had enjoyed the tour a lot...

Drill

Change to reported speech. Begin with “We both said that...”

1. We enjoyed the tour a lot.
2. We are interested in culture.
3. We have never been to France before.
4. We have learnt a lot about Greek art.
5. It is an extremely interesting place.
6. We will come back again next year.

Drill

I really wish I had been able to spend longer there...

Drill

I _____ wish I _____ _____ _____ spend longer there...

Drill

1. been able to spend longer there...
2. visited more countries
3. studied harder at school
4. spent more time with him
5. made more effort to keep in touch
6. not left Shanghai
7. read more books

Drill

I think that if I had had a whole day there, it still would not have been enough time to see everything.

Drill

I _____ that if I _____ _____ a whole day there, it still _____ not _____ _____ enough time to see everything.

Drill

All about the past!

1. if... more time... able to see more
2. if... studied harder... got better exam results
3. if... made more effort... kept in touch with more friends
4. if... spent less money on food... had more money for travelling

