

IELTS Speaking

Part 3: if you mean... then... extension

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Do you think people are familiar with their neighbours?

I suppose... it depends what you mean by "familiar with"

if you mean recognise them... or maybe say "good morning"

then yes, I think so...

but if you mean know their names... or have a conversation with them

then I think... usually not... most people...

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Do you think people are familiar with their neighbours?

I suppose... it depends what you mean by “neighbours”

if you mean people who live in the next house or flat...

then I think so...

but if you mean people who live near them

then I think usually not... most people do not know a lot of people in their area

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Do you think **people** are familiar with their neighbours?

I suppose... **it depends a lot on** who you are talking about...
which people you mean...

if you mean people who live in the city... **then** **I think** a lot of people are not...

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if you mean people who live in the countryside... **then** **I imagine** most people are...

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Should advertising aimed at children be prohibited?

well... in my opinion... I think it is very difficult to generalise...

if you mean advertising for something reasonable for them...
like a child's game or some kind of toy

then I don't think so... I think it is OK...

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if you mean advertising for something that is not good for them
like very sugary sweets...

then I think it might be reasonable to not allow it

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I suppose... if you mean people who live in the city ... then I agree...

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I suppose... people who live in the city ... I ...

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| 1. people who live in the city.... | I agree |
| 2. the majority of people... | I really don't think so |
| 3. more than a hundred years ago | I don't actually have any idea |
| 4. teenagers | I think they like to meet in shopping centres |
| 5. people in their 20s and 30s | they prefer to go to a restaurant |
| 6. really huge cities | I don't think they are convenient places to live |
| 7. students at high school | I think so |
| 8. students at top universities | I guess that is true |

