

# The Chetanya Times

## 4 PILLARS OF CHETANYA

**INTEGRITY**

**RESPONSIBILITY**

**INNOVATION**

**RESPECT**

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### Now we are in **Naraingarh**

We are pleased to announce that we have opened a new branch at Naraingarh. We are hopeful that with this new branch we would be able to offer services to many more students in that region and spread Chetanya community even further.

#### 1. INTEGRITY

C.S. Lewis - INTEGRITY IS DOING THE RIGHT THING EVEN WHEN NO ONE IS WATCHING.

\*That's one of pillars of 3C Chetanya. \* We all must strive to adhere to this; not just in our profession but in our life as a general rule.

Majority of us are young and on the first rung of the ladder to building a successful career, if we inculcate integrity in ourselves, life would become tremendously easy.

#### 2. RESPONSIBILITY

Responsibility is the state or fact of being accountable or to blame for something; a duty or task that we are required or expected to perform; something we should do because it is morally right, legally required, etc; reliability, dependability.

#### 3. INNOVATION

Innovation is a product, service, business model, or strategy that's both novel and useful. Innovations don't have to be major breakthroughs in technology or new business models; they can be as simple as upgrades to a company's customer service or features added to an existing product.

#### 4. RESPECT

Respect is a key requirement for a healthy work environment. It promotes teamwork and increases productivity and efficiencies in the workplace. It lets others know they are valued for their abilities, qualities, and achievements, and that their role is important to their company's success.

# Important *things*

## Indian Students

### Should know before going to

## Study Abroad



If you are planning to pursue your studies abroad, make sure that you are fully prepared so you do not only enjoy your studies but also your time while staying in a foreign country to make the most of it. Whether you are going to the US, the UK, Europe, Australia or Canada, there are a few things you should know prior to leaving for that country to ensure comfortable stay.

**Research:** First and foremost, thing is to do in-depth research before moving to a foreign country and learning about their culture, weather and other basics which you need to survive there.

**Carry Necessary Documents:** Although you must have done it twice or maybe thrice but it is one of the most important aspects to focus on while traveling abroad.

**Packing:** Winters in many European and Western countries are more harsh as compared to India this make sure to carry warm clothes which are suitable for your destination.

**Accommodation:** You can ask your university to guide you regarding accommodation facilities. It is always a judicious idea to confirm your accommodation before going abroad as you will be mentally free and dedicate all your energy towards studies.

**List of emergency contacts:** Always make sure that you keep emergency contact numbers like fire, police or ambulance handy so you can contact them immediately if required.

**International Calling Arrangement:** In a foreign country, you need a new sim card to contact your family and

friends back home.

**Know about their social customs/culture:** It can be language or local customs which you need to understand.

**Prepare well:** It is always prudent to gather as much information as you can and prepare yourself for all kind of circumstances.

*All the Best!*

Before anything else  
**Preparation**  
 is the key  
**to success.**

- Alexander Graham Bell

## How are skimming and scanning different?

**Skimming** is reading quickly to find the general overview of the passage.

**Scanning** is reading quickly to find specific details within the passage.

### What are some skimming techniques?

Always think about the title, headings, and topic sentences of reading passages, as they are the main ideas. Always read the major parts such as the titles and headings carefully when you are skimming a reading passage. The main idea of entire readings, sections, or paragraphs of reading passages should become clear when doing this.

Reading either the first sentence, or the first and last sentence of a paragraph is another great skimming technique. The first and/or last sentence of a paragraph will provide enough information about the general overview of a paragraph for the most part. Heading match and title match questions are easier to answer when using this technique.

### What are some scanning techniques?

Key words are most important when scanning. When scanning a text, vocabulary such as proper nouns, dates, numbers, and times is what you are looking for. Specific details can also be found when using scanning techniques.

When scanning a reading passage, it is most important that you know the key words in the question so that you can find the key words in the reading passage.

When looking for specific details, there are different ways to scan a reading passage. Here are some examples:

*There are now over **700 million** motor vehicles in the world - and the number is **rising** by more than **40 million each year**. The average distance driven by car users is growing too - from **8 km a day** per person in **western Europe** in **1965** to **25 km a day** in **1995**. This dependence on motor vehicles has given rise to **major problems**, including **environmental pollution**, **depletion of oil resources**, **traffic congestion** and **safety**.*

In order to help you decrease the amount of time it takes to complete the reading section of the IELTS test, you need to practice using skimming and scanning techniques.

# PTE Exam Preparation Strategy



## 1. Skimming and scanning

Skimming and scanning will help you save time while you focus on the important aspects of the text presented to you. This rapid reading method will give you an overview of the question, and you will only absorb the information that matters to you the most.

## 2. Read the question twice

Even though this test is time-bound, if you use the PTE reading strategies well, you will have enough time to read the question more than once.

## 3. Highlight the keywords

Using your memory, highlight the keywords in the paragraph that you think will help you pick your responses. You will not only save time but also avoid running around the bush if you identify the keywords.

## 4. Elimination technique

In the case of multiple-choice questions, if you are unsure of the right answer, use this elimination technique to rule out the possible wrong answers. Once you have eliminated those, you will be left with nothing but the correct option.

## 5. Practice Tests

Excessive and impulsive reading alone will get you nowhere. But when you combine it with the practice tests, you will develop and enhance your reading skills. Pearson's PTE practice tests will help you develop your reading skills. You can join Chetanya Careers Consultants to learn and our online classes to improve your skills.

*Best of luck*

# IELTS QUIZ



1. There are 30 questions in the IELTS listening test.

- A. True
- B. False

2. The IELTS listening test in the Academic Module is in a different format to the General Training Module.

- A. True
- B. False

3. At the end of the Reading and Listening tests candidates have 10 minutes to transfer their answers to the answer sheet.

- A. True
- B. False

4. In which part of the Speaking test does the candidate talk about a personal topic such as his home town or favourite place?

- a) part one.
- b) part two.
- c) part three

5. Only ONE sentence is true, which one is it?

- A. The speaking test is taken on the same day as the listening, reading and writing exams.
- B. The listening, reading and writing exams are all on different days.
- C. The speaking test can be taken a week before or after the test date.
- D. There's a 10 minute break between the listening and reading exams.

6. Only ONE sentence is true, which one is it?

- A. You can make notes on the listening question paper.
- B. Your answers on the listening question paper are marked.
- C. You only hear the recording twice.
- D. You must write your answers for the listening test in pen.

7. Only ONE sentence is true, which one is it?

- A. The IELTS Academic Module pass band is 5.
- B. The IELTS Academic Module pass band is 5.5
- C. The pass band for the IELTS General Module is 4.5.
- D. There's no IELTS pass band.

8. Which sentence is NOT correct?

- A. IELTS candidates get their exam results by registered post.
- B. IELTS candidates get their exam results on the phone.
- C. IELTS candidates get their exam results by electronic report form.
- D. IELTS candidates get their exam results on a website.

9. You can get your IELTS exams MARKED AGAIN if you pay a fee.

- A. True
- B. False

10. At the end of the Reading and Listening tests candidates have 10 minutes to transfer their answers to the answer sheet.

- A. True
- B. False

## Chetanya Creates Professionals

Other people hire  
heroes to advertise,  
we create heroes.



The faculty at Chetanya is usually considered to be the most attractive and well-dressed. Everyone wants to be like them, but it isn't just limited to looks. Your personality is you; how you feel, think, and behave, its more than that here.

### Learn Social Skills

People with good personality are likable. No one will even get the chance to learn about you if you cannot communicate with them. It is said that our real self is hidden behind our tongue. People judge us by how we communicate.

### Create an Impressive Smile

A smile makes a direct place in the heart of the recipient. An attractive smile is one of the traits of people with a good personality.

### Develop a Dressing Sense

People get the first impression of you by your personality. People address you the way you are dressed. You should know the type of dressing which looks good on you and makes you feel confident - both are important.

### Confidence is Important

If you are confident, you will feel people are attracted to you. Confident people give off a vibe of reliability. It makes you the alpha or one of the alphas in any company. But always show that you are a down to earth person, and people around you will start to respect you.

### People Fancy a Good Listener

Every man and woman need someone that listens to what they have to say. They don't need your advice, experience, or guidance; they only need you to listen to them. Develop the habit of listening in regular conversations.