

Liceo 3 - PET Oral Exam - Talking part in a discussion

Giving opinions	
I believe that...	Creo que...
I think that...	Me parece que...
In my opinion,... / In my view,...	En mi opinión...
If you want my opinion,...	Si quieres mi opinión...
As far as I know...	Que yo sepa...
I must admit that...	Debo reconocer... / admitir que..
I must say that...	Tengo que decir que...
I am (quite / absolutely) sure that...	Estoy (bastante, totalmente) seguro que...
I am certain that...	
I am convinced that...	Estoy convencido de que...
I am not sure that... / if...	No estoy seguro que...
I don` t know whether...	No sé si...
I wonder whether... / if...	Me pregunto si...
I doubt that...	Dudo que...
I am against (-ing)	Estoy en contra de...
I think it is bad that...	Me parece mal que...
I am unhappy with... / about...	Estoy poco satisfecho con... / Me disgusta...
I am disappointed that...	Me decepciona that...
It is obvious that... / It is evident that...	Está claro que... / quién...
It is clear that... / who...	
I assume that... / I suppose that...	Supongo que... / Imagino que...
I can see why...	Entiendo (por) que...
It` s easy to see why...	No me cuesta entender por que...
I (can) understand why...	Comprendo por que...
It` s hard to understand why	Me cuesta entender por que...
I am in favour of -ing	Estoy a favor de...
Asking for opinions	
So what do you think (name) ?	Entonces, que piensas....?
What is your position / view on ...?	Cual es tu visión sobre...?
How do you feel about this / the... ?	Como te sientes acerca de ...?
What is your opinion of / about ...?	Cual es tu opinión acerca de ...?
Wouldn` t you agree that ... ?	No estas de acuerdo en?
Agreeing	
I (totally) agree with you on that (point)...	Compartimos el mismo punto de vista con respecto a

I agree that...	Estoy de acuerdo con...
I agree with what you say about...	Estoy de acuerdo contigo en lo que dices de...
What you say about ... is right. You are (totally) right about... You are quite right there.	Tienes razón en lo que dices con respecto a... En eso tienes toda la razón.
Disagreement / Doubt	
I think you are right up to a point. Yes, up to a point	Yo creo que tienen razón pero hasta cierto punto. Si, hasta cierto punto.
As much as I do agree with you about..., I still feel..	Tanto como estoy de acuerdo contigo sobre..., aun creo jhg
I do see your point, but...	Entiendo lo que dices pero....
(I`m sorry, but) I don` t agree with you. I disagree with you on...	No pienso lo mismo. No estoy de acuerdo contigo en que...
That` s not how I see it.	Yo no lo veo así.
Checking that you`ve understood	
What exactly are you trying to say ?	Que estás intentando decir exactamente?
I`m afraid I don` t quite see what you mean.	Me temo que no entiendo lo que quieres decir.
What exactly do you mean by that ?	Qué quieres decir con...?
Could you say that again, please !	Puedes repetirlo? por favor.
Understanding	
I see. / I understand.	Entiendo.
I realize that. / I see what you mean.	Me doy cuenta que ...
You have made yourself quite clear.	Te has explicado bien/claramente.
Correcting misunderstandings	
That` s not quite what I meant. Don` t get me wrong. What I meant was that...	Eso no es lo que quise decir. No me mal interpretes, lo que quiero decir es...
Look, to put it another way, /Let me put it another way,	Mira, en otras palabras... Permíteme explicarlo en otras palabras.
Interrupting	
Sorry to interrupt, but...	Disculpa la interrupción pero ...
May I interrupt you for a moment ?	Puedo interrumpir por un momento?
Dealing with interruptions	
I haven` t finished, if you don` t mind.	No he terminado/terminé, is no te importa
If I might just finish...	Si pudiera terminar...
Assurance	
But it` s true, I tell you. It` s a fact, I assure you.	Pero es cierto Es un hecho, te lo aseguro

