EFS 691
Oral Presentation

Week 8 Notes

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Question review

- ## A clear question , e.g.
  - Can you explain what you mean by X?
  - Is there any other reason why X is true?
  - Can you give an example of X?
  - Why do you think X is true?

- ## An unclear question
  - A clear question spoken softly or badly pronounced
  - A confusing, incoherent, or incomplete question, e.g., What about Y?

Question review

- 3) An unanswerable question , e.g.
  - What will the Supreme Court say about this?
  - What can we do to solve all the new problems that this will create?
  - How can we decide who should get this treatment?
- A complex question
  - I've got three questions: How would you…? Why would you…? And what about patents?
  - I'd like to know whether X, and also about Y, oh, and how about Z?

Question review

- ## A big question , e.g.
  - How would you put X into practice?
  - Can you give us a lot more detail about the cost of this?
  - What are some of the ethical issues involved here?

- ## An irrelevant question
  - Should your group actually be involved in any of this?
  - Don't you think there are better ways to spend money?
  - What do you think will replace this in the future?

Question review

- A friendly comment
  - I think this is a great idea and want to commend you.
  - If you can get this to market soon, it will be even more impressive
  - I think this is great—I assume it's almost ready to go

Question review

- An unfriendly comment
  - This is interesting, but you obviously haven't considered X.
  - I don't think this is a very practical solution
  - I believe another group is already ahead of you on this.
  - There's no way the government will let you do this.

Practice Presentations

- Present your introduction in pairs: 1 minute + 3 minutes questions + 1 minute discussion
  - Ask different types of questions
  - Discuss quality of answers
- Split groups and present to the group

Homework

- Prepare your major speech.
- Divide into Monday/Wednesday Groups: class starts at 4:00 and will go late

Monday	Wednesday
Cheolkyun	John
George	Andreja
Yuan	Shixin
Yiwei	Yujie
Yanying	Bo
Jun	Fuming