

A BRIEF OVERVIEW OF THE TOEFL TEST (2021)

• One of Reading or Listening section will be extended (Long Format)!



Reading

3 - 4 Passages

30 - 40 Questions

54 - 72 min



Listening

5 - 7 Part

28 - 39 Questions

41 - 57 min



Break 10 min

Speaking

3 Part integrated

1 part independent

17 min



Writing

Integrated 20 min Independent 30 min

EFFECTIVE NOTE TAKING

Before the lecture
Read or Skim Text
General Overview
New vocabulary & Ideas
Identify any unclear
points or information
gaps

Purpose
Understand & remember
Outline important points
Clarify new ideas
Revision

Effective Note Taking After the lecture
Immediate review
Complete your notes:
what you can remember
that you didn't note?
Rewrite notes?
Outline/maps

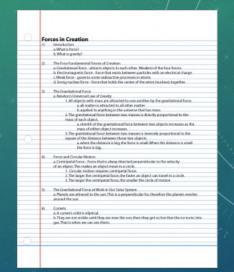
During the lecture
Structure & organization
Content & Ideas

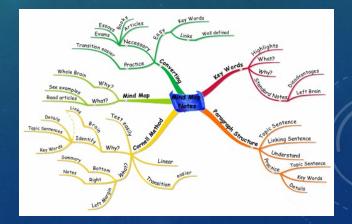
NOTE-TAKING STYLES

- The Cornell method
- Mind-mapping
- The linear method (outlining)
- Charting

	Cornell Two-Column Notes				
9	Keywords: Notes:				
		Types of Matter			
	Saids	1. Soliżs			
		A Home a definite shape			
		B. Home a definite volume			
	Liquids	IL Liquids			
0		A Do not have a definite shape B Home a definite volume			
	Gases	III. Gases			
	100	A. Do not have a definite shape B. Do not have a definite volume			
0	Summary:				
	(Insert summery of lecture after class.)				

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NOTE-TAKING IN CONVERSATIONS

Professor Student Student 1 Student 2

TIPS FOR BETTER LISTENING NOTES

- You can write in your language but be careful!
- Only the Main Ideas, Examples, and Reasons
- Listen, Write and Look at monitor (Write While Listening)
- Shorten Everything! (Instead, write notes throughout the recording. Keep them short)
- Write phrases, not full sentences
- Take notes in your own words.
- Structure your notes with headings, subheadings and numbered lists
- Underline, circle, star, etc.
- Use concept maps and diagrams
- Stay Focused While the recordings are playing
- You may want to make a column in your notes for each speaker

ABBREVIATIONS, ACRONYMS & SYMBOLS FOR NOTE TAKING

https://www.prepscholar.com/toefl/blog/toefl-note-taking-tips/

LINK

- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rc8UB66Gli0
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I9y0JrbM_dY

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