

ORS Readiness Test — GranTeach

This handout is designed for English teachers to quickly check if their students are ready to use the ORS framework (Opinion, Reason, Support) in their speaking answers.

Section 1: Quick Checklist (for Teachers)

-
- [] Student can state a clear Opinion.
- [] Student can give a relevant Reason.
- [] Student can provide an example or extra Support.
- [] Student can deliver the answer within 40–60 seconds.
- [] Student maintains coherence throughout the response.

Section 2: Classroom Practice (for Students)

Question 1: Do you think people should study online?

- Opinion: _____
- Reason: _____
- Support: _____

Question 2: Should children learn a musical instrument at school?

- Opinion: _____
- Reason: _____
- Support: _____

Question 3: Is it better to live in a big city or a small town?

- Opinion: _____
- Reason: _____
- Support: _____

Section 3: Quick Scoring (Mini-Rubric)

-
- 5 = All three parts of ORS complete + excellent coherence
 - 4 = Two parts of ORS complete + acceptable coherence
 - 3 = Only one part of ORS + weak coherence
 - 2 = Very short or disorganized answer
 - 1 = Unable to answer

Prepared by GranTeach | EKT Course Resource