One-minute speaking cards

B1-B2 fluency practice. Choose a card, think of an example and speak for about one minute. Your partner listens, asks a follow-up and summarises one point. Swap roles. Repeat a card later and aim for clearer organisation.

1. Someone you admire Who are they? What have you learnt from them? Give one example.	**2. A local place** What can people do there? What makes it memorable? Who would enjoy visiting?
3. A hobby How did you begin? What keeps your interest? What would a beginner need?	**4. Useful technology** What do you use it for? Describe one occasion. What would you change?
5. A memorable event What happened? Who was there? Why does it stay in your memory?	**6. A purchase or present** What was it? Why was it chosen? How useful has it been?
7. A sport or activity How does it work? Why do people enjoy it? Who could try it?	**8. A place you visited** How did you get there? What surprised you? What would you tell a visitor?
9. A language Where do you use it? What is challenging? What has helped you improve?	**10. Music you enjoy** What do you like about it? When do you listen? Has your taste changed?

You may invent details or talk about someone else. These cards practise fluency rather than reproducing an exam long turn. Aim for a clear opening, an example and a short closing point.

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