

IELTS Speaking Part Three functions card game

Take turns answering IELTS Speaking Part Three questions. You get one point for each function from below that you can say using different language from what anyone has said before. You don't score a point for repeating phrases that you or someone else has said before, but even slightly different phrases are fine. You can only use each card once.

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(Dis)agreeing	Examples	Filling silence/ Pausing for thought
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Logical arguments (cause and effect, etc)	Looking at both sides	Personal experience
Personal experience	Sources of knowledge	Strong opinions
Strong opinions	Weak opinions/ Hedging	Weak opinions/ Hedging
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When your teacher stops you, brainstorm phrases for doing each thing above.

Compare phrases, then do the activity above twice more, then first time looking at the phrases to help if you like.