

What is the PAFT of an interview?

Fill in the information below.

Purpose	Audience	Format	Tone

Watch a celebrity interview

Watch an interview and fill in the analysis grid below.

You can watch one of the three interviews below or choose a different interview with a celebrity of your choice.

- EyeWitness News interview with [Trevor Noah](#)
- Newsround interview with [Nadiya Hussain](#)
- Ellen interview with [Kim Kardashian](#)

Question	Your answer
Summarise the interview.	
What is the PAFT of this interview?	

What language features do you notice in the interview? Give examples	
What type of language does the interviewee use? Give examples.	
What is the relationship between the interviewer and the interviewee? Give examples.	

Example response for interview writing

Presenter: Welcome to TalkRadio and I'm joined by Louis Ng, the founder of Football for Society. Can you tell our listeners a little more about what inspired you to become an entrepreneur?

Louis: Sure, good to be here, Ted. I guess I've always been into the idea that sport can help in more ways than just improving our individual health but can also bring together communities and better society as a whole. I mean, well, as a boy I might have gone down some dangerous paths had I not joined my local football team (laughs). Thankfully I had a wonderful coach that pushed me to be the best I could, physically and mentally.

Presenter: He sounds like a great guy!

Louis: He really was... he was like a father to me. Not just to me but to everyone on our team.

Analyse the response

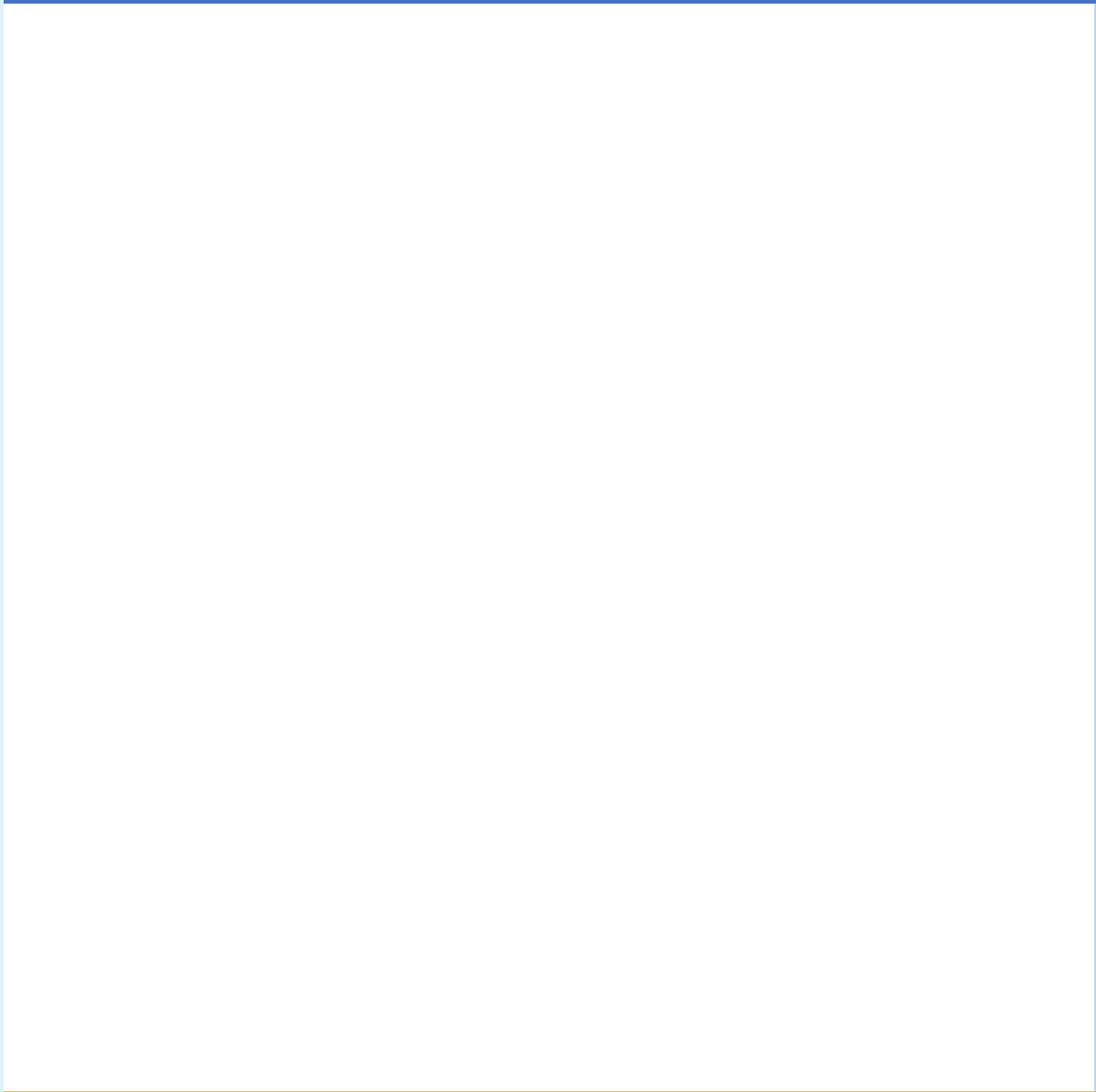
What makes this a good interview? You can annotate the example above and then write your answers in the table below. Try to give examples and quotes in your response.

Question	Your answer
What is the tone? Give some examples.	
What do you notice about my language choices?	
What do you notice about my punctuation?	
What features make the interview sound more spoken?	

Create a list of 'rules' for interview writing

Write your list below. You can think about how you should write a interview: what type of language should you use? What type of punctuation? What do you need to remember to do?

Use this space to make notes as you listen to my video lesson.



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Reflection

Think about your learning in this lesson.

What went well?	
How will you improve your work next time?	