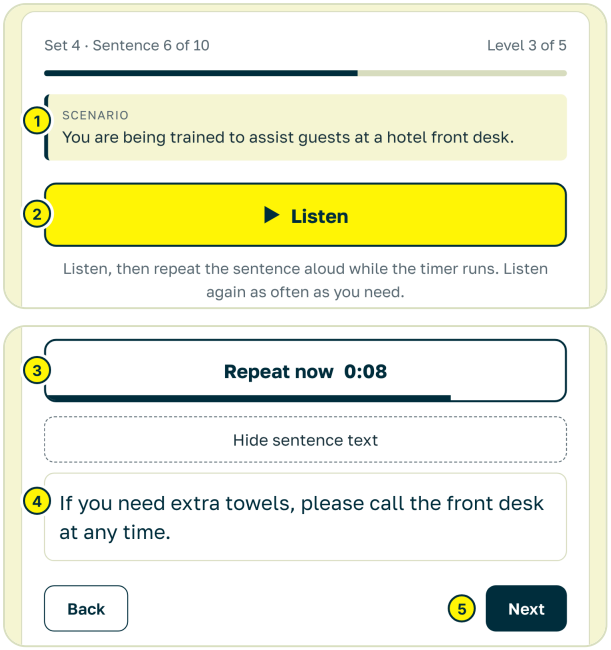
TestVerbal

Listen and Repeat: Pattern Practice

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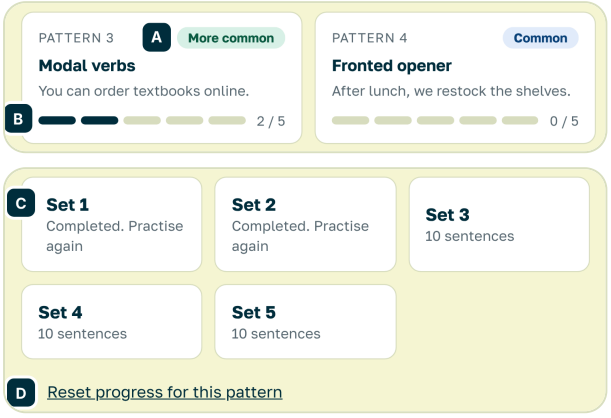
You hear a sentence once and repeat it aloud, as in the Listen and Repeat task of the TOEFL iBT Speaking section. The trainer has 500 sentences in 10 sentence patterns, so you can practise one pattern at a time. It works on a computer, tablet or phone, and you do not need to register.

1 How to practise



1. Read the **scenario**. It tells you who is speaking and where, so you can guess the words you are about to hear.
2. Press **Listen** and hear the sentence. Try to catch it the first time: on the test you hear each sentence only once.
3. When the recording ends, the button becomes a **timer** (8, 10 or 12 seconds, by sentence length). Repeat the sentence aloud before it runs out. Press the button to listen again.
4. Press **Show sentence text** and compare. Check every small word and ending: *a*, *the*, *-s*, *-ed*. The text is hidden again for the next sentence.
5. **Next** opens the next sentence and **Back** returns to the previous one. A set has 10 sentences that go from easy (level 1) to difficult (level 5).

2 Choose what to practise



The start page lists the 10 patterns. Practise one pattern for several sets in a row: hearing the same structure many times makes it easy to catch and repeat.

- **A** **How common the pattern is.** The tag says whether the pattern is more common, common or less common on the test. Start with the more common ones.
- **B** **Your progress.** The five segments show how many of the pattern's 5 sets you have completed.
- **C** **Sets.** Open a pattern and choose one of its 5 sets. You can repeat a completed set as often as you like.
- **D** **Reset. Reset progress for this pattern** clears its completed sets; **Reset all progress** on the start page clears everything. You confirm first.

Where your progress is stored: in your browser

Completed sets are saved automatically on your device. Close the tab and you will find them marked next time.

Progress belongs to one device and one browser, and is lost in private (incognito) mode or when you clear browser data. Nothing you say is recorded or sent anywhere.

Keyboard shortcuts

Space	listen
T	show or hide the text
→	next sentence
←	previous sentence