
General Description

Consonant features: in purple

Vowel features: in green

Intonation: Intonation is generally appropriate. Both rising intonation and falling intonation are used.

Stress: Primary stresses are put on appropriate syllables, except three words:

SOMEwhere→**some**WHERE, **HOME**town→**home**TOWN, and
moROccan→**MO**roCCAN.

Linking: Linking is often used (highlighted in light green).

Rhythm: The rhythm is generally appropriate. The duration of unstressed function words is shorter than the tonic syllables. However, the duration of unstressed syllables in content word sometimes is longer than that of stressed syllables in content words.

e.g.

Student:

So I have to wait hours and hours to get a taxi, if I want to go to somewhere.

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Suggested:

So I have to wait hours and hours to get a taxi, if I want to go to somewhere.

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