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SEMINAR 2 – ANSWER KEY
Presentations I

Task 1
a) bad - not an academic topic
b) good - a precise, exact topic with a clear purpose
c) bad - mixed ideas, too many of them
d) bad - too broad, too general, too subjective (to inform is more important that to persuade!)
Task 2 – Answers based on class work; see Task 6.
Task 3 – Answers based on class work.
Task 4 – DON'TS:
 - Avoid redundant words or phrases such as "a study on" or "an investigation of"
(*everybody expects that an academic presentation is based on a reputable study, investigation or research project*)
- Avoid abbreviations and jargon. (*may not be the same for different audiences, e.g. CR for us is Czech Republic; in America it is Costa Rica, etc.*)
- Avoid "cute" or sensational titles (*you want to inform your audience in a more serious way*)
- Avoid being too vague or general *(the audience should be able to predict the content)*
Task 5
1. A **Sociological Study of** Prisoners and Guards in a Simulated Prison … ok – *but "study of" is redundant unless a particular type of study is specified*
2. Inner City Problems and Policies: A Conservative **View** … *good – "view" is different from "study" or "investigation"*
3. Black Identity and the Role of Reggae …. *good*
4. **Everyday Pills That Kill!** The Dangers of Over-the-counter Drugs … *bad – too sensational*
5. Narrative Skills in Improvisational Theatre … *good*
Task 6
A. 6   B. 1   C. 5   D. 3   E. 2   F. 4
Task 7 – Answers based on class work.
Task 8
1. Noise Stress and Human Behaviour … yes
2. The Billion Dollar Question … no
3. Industrial Policies of Industrial Countries …yes
4. Out of the Oceans and on to Faster Bicycles … no
5. The Persistent Stereotype: Children's Images of Scientists … yes
Task 9 – Answers based on class work.
MAIN B0DY multiple choice question – a) is correct
Task 10
 1. bad example   2. good example
Task 11 – Answers based on class work.
Task 12 – Answers based on class work.
Task 13
1. giving/making   2. may/might need   3. write/take/put/note down   4. go through   5. expect
6. moved on   7. in/over the past/last five years   8. too much   9. give you   10. very well