Directions: In this question, you will be asked to give your opinion about a familiar topic. After you hear the question, you will have 15 seconds to prepare your response and 45 seconds to speak.

Some students would prefer to have more independent study classes that allow for student-driven research. Other students think that classroom time with professor-led lessons and research are more valuable. Which method do you think is more valuable and why? Give details and examples in your response.
I think the method for university classes that is more valuable is classroom
time with professor-led lessons. And I think this method is more valuable
by far, when it comes to the university setting. Students take classes at a
university to learn and to be helped in their learning process. Any student
can have independent study at their apartment or home on their own and
they wouldn’t need to pay university tuition for that. Students pay for the
privilege of coming to a university to be taught and to take advantage of the
professors who are all experts in their fields. After a student has matured
enough and learned enough about their specific field, then I think it is good
for them to study on their own, but it should still be led by a professor who
is already an expert in that field.