Dear AP Students,

You may need a separate timer!

For the Conversation section, the timer provided to you in the application displays the progress of time for the entire section of the exam questions, including the response time. To be clear, this is NOT a “count down timer” for each response (image on the right).

<Issues>
You will have to watch the timer carefully for 20 seconds after hearing the tone to know the amount of time left to respond. This may cause you extra stress. If you are not careful with your time, the next question will begin before you have completed the previous answer.

<Suggestions>
We recommend using a separate timer, such as a stopwatch, an analog clock, and a computer. Doing this will help you feel less anxious about time and will help you focus on responding to the questions.

*Another Important Point
After the task is over, the screen will automatically advance to the next page and will start replaying all your recordings (image on the right). Do not press Continue before you completely listen to your recording. This actually means “SUBMIT.” If find any technical issues or unexpected disruptions that interfered with your responses, request the make-up exam within 48 hours (by 5/21 4:00pm EDT).

Request the make-up exam:
https://education.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_1B9R7XJa9dXaQBv