

EXPECTED WRITING TASK 2 QUESTIONS | JUNE TO SEPTEMBER 2021

1. Solar energy is becoming more and more popular as a source of household energy in many countries around the world. Why is this? What are the advantages and disadvantages of solar energy?



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2. Many people believe that living a city life offers greater benefits as compared to the countryside? To what extent do you agree or disagree?
3. Many people are afraid to leave their home because of crime. Some believe that more action should be taken to prevent crime. While others feel that little action can be done to stop crime. What is your view?
4. In the past, shopping was a routine domestic task. Many people nowadays regard it as a hobby. To what extent do you think this is a positive trend?
5. Some claim that studying abroad has great benefits for a student's home country. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
6. Some people believe that it is best to accept a bad situation, such as an unsatisfactory job or storage of money. Others argue that it is better to try and improve such situations. Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.
7. School children today take part in work experience sessions for short periods of time instead of attending school? Is this positive or a negative development
8. Today more and more tourists are visiting places where conditions are difficult, such as the Sahara desert or the Antarctic. What are the benefits and disadvantages for tourists who visit such places?
9. Television is dangerous because it destroys family life and any sense of community; instead of visiting people or talking with our family we just watch television. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?
10. International tourism has brought about enormous benefits to many places. At the same time, there is concern about its impact on local inhabitants and the environment. Do the disadvantages of international tourism outweigh the advantages?

11. Some countries have introduced laws to limit working hours for employees. Why are these laws introduced? Do you think this is a positive or negative development?

12. Many famous people treated unfairly by the media? Should they be given more privacy??
Discuss both these views and give your own opinion

13. The number of advertisements for charities on television and the Internet seems to be increasing. What is causing this? Is this a positive or negative development?

14. People's shopping habits depend more on the age group they belong to than any other factor.
To what extent do you agree or disagree?



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15. New parents should attend parenting courses to bring up their children well. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

16. The use of social media is replacing face-to-face contact with many people. Do the advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

17. Many teenagers now have their own Smartphones. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages and give your own opinion

18. Some people think that parents should teach children how to be good members of society. Others, however, believe that school is the place to learn this. Discuss both these views and give your opinion.

19. It is said that people should be encouraged to get married before they are 30, as this is best both for the individual and for society. Do you agree or disagree?

20. Most people think that the truth should be objective rather than subjective when it comes to the news. Do you think all news is true? What is the function of a newspaper?

21. More children in developed countries are becoming overweight. This is a serious problem for wealthy countries. Discuss some causes and effects of this problem.

22. Some people argue capital punishment is a brutal decision and should be abolished. Do you agree or disagree?

23. People can use a mobile phone to answer work and home calls at any place, or 7 days a week.

Do you think there are more negative or positive effects on both individuals and society?

24. Crime is becoming a serious concern. Some believe that more action should be taken to prevent crime. While others feel that little action can be done to stop crime. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

25. In many countries today, crime novels and TV crime dramas are becoming more and more popular. Why do you think this? What is your opinion of crime fiction and crime dramas?

26. In many families today, both the parents are working. What are the advantages and disadvantages of it

27. Scientists and technology experts seem to be more valued by modern society than musicians and artists. To what extent do you agree?

28. Many developing countries require help from international organizations to develop. Many people think that this help should be financial, while others think that practical help and advice are more useful. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.



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29. Some people think that hosting an international sports event is good for a country, while some think it is bad. Discuss both views and give your opinion

30. We live in a world of technology these days. While the internet brings with it clear advantages, the problems in terms of control and security of information outweighs the advantages. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

31. Some people say that older people should live with their adult children, while others think they should live in homes specially built for old people. Which do you think is a better practice?

32. Artists need a certain amount of freedom to develop their creativity. Some people think that artists should have total freedom to express any thoughts and ideas. Do advantages outweigh the disadvantages?

33. Nowadays, more and more people are having consumer goods like refrigerators and washing machines. Does this development bring more advantages than disadvantages?

34. Some people think that teaching methodology in the modern classroom should be based on experiential learning while others believe that traditional approach is still the best. To what extent do you agree or disagree? Give your opinion.

35. Many people believe that the increasing number of cars in cities is the biggest source of pollution and waste. Others think that industries are the ones causing pollution. Discuss both views and give your opinion.



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36. Many parents today organize extra classes for their children after school and on the weekends. Do you believe that this is a worthwhile thing to do? Or do you feel children have enough

education at school?

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40. Nowadays people tend to have their own business because of the modern world. Why do they need this? What are the risks?

41. Some young people are leaving the countryside to live in cities or towns; it leaves only old people in the countryside. What are the problems with this issue? What can be done to solve this problem?

42. All the people in a company should be treated equally and provided with the same number of holidays in a year or people doing different jobs enjoy different amounts of holiday time. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

43. Some people think parents should supervise their children's activities closely, while others believe children should have more freedom. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

44. The movement of people from agricultural areas to cities to work can cause serious problems in both places. What are the serious problems? What measures can be used to solve these problems?

45. Some people think that in this modern world people are getting dependent on each other, while others think the modern world makes people more independent of each other. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.



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46. Some people believe that parents have a great influence on the children's growth but influence from the outside plays a more important role. Do you agree or disagree?

47. Some people think people working in creative arts should be financially supported by the government. Others think they should find financial support from other resources. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

48. Some people think governments should spend money looking for life on other planets, while others think that there are many unsolved problems on earth. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

49. Advertising discourages people from being different individuals by making us all want to do the same and look the same. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

50. Many countries believe that international tourism has harmful effects. Why do they think so? What can be done to change their views?

51. Many museums and historical sites are mainly visited by tourists and not local people. Why is this? What can be done to attract local people?

52. Nowadays, people in some countries can choose to live and work anywhere they want because of the improvement in transportation and communication technologies. Discuss the benefits and the drawbacks of this

53. Online shopping is now replacing shopping in the store. Do you think it is a positive or negative development?

54. Some people think that success in life comes from hard work and determination, while others

think that there are more important factors such as money and appearance. Discuss both views and give your opinion.

55. The spread of multinational companies and the increase of globalization produce positive effects for everyone. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

56. Some people believe that when designing a building, the most important thing to be considered is the function rather than the outlook. To what extent do you agree or disagree?



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57. The government money should be invested in teaching science rather than other subjects so as to help the country make progress and develop. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

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1. Art is considered as an important part of society as well as an expression of its culture. Do you think it is important for children to be taught art? Do you think children should be encouraged to focus on art rather than other subjects?
2. Many museums charge for the entries while others are free ?do you think the advantages of charging people for admission for museum outweigh disadvantages
3. The movement of people from villages to cities for work can cause serious problems in both places. What are the serious problems associated with this? What measures can be taken to solve these problems?
4. Some people think that in this modern world people are getting dependent on each other, while others think that this world makes them more independent of each other. Discuss both views and give your own opinion.
5. Many of the countries believe that international tourism has harmful effects. Why do they think so? What can be done to change their views?
6. Nowadays, people prefer to live and work anywhere they want because of the improvement in transportation and technology. Discuss the benefits and the drawbacks of this?
7. Online shopping is replacing offline or shopping from stores. Do you think it is a positive or negative development?
8. The expansion of multinational companies and increase in globalization produces positive effects to everyone. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this statement.
9. People's shopping habits depend more on the age group they belong to than any other factor. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
10. Computers are replacing humans. Do you agree or disagree?
11. Having big salary is more important than job satisfaction. Do you agree or disagree

12. Some people believe that there are many reasons that can motivate a person to keep working for the same company whereas others say that money is the main reason. Do you agree or disagree

13. Teenagers should never be put in prison with adults no matter how serious their crime. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

14. In many countries the widespread use of internet has given people more freedom to work or study at home instead of traveling to work or college. Do the advantages outweigh disadvantages?

15. Government should spend money on rails rather than roads? To what extent do you agree or disagree

16. Ratio of poverty is increasing worldwide. What are the reasons for world poverty? What can be done to help the poor's?

17. International tourist should pay more than the local visitor for cultural and historical attractions? Do you agree or disagree

18. Some people believe that non academic subjects should be removed from the syllabus so that children can concentrate only on academics. To what extent do you agree or disagree?



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19. Human beings are being judged according to their social status and material possession. Old fashioned values such as kindness and trust seems no longer important. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

20. Some people say that government should reduce air traffic by imposing higher taxes as air traffic is creating noise and pollution. Do you agree or disagree

21. Many people believe that a person's culture is defined by their country of origin, while others believe that it has only minor influence. Discuss both these views and give your opinion.

22. Many people believe that zoos have no purpose in today's world and should be closed. What problems do zoos bring? What are the alternatives to zoos if they are closed?

23. Some people get into debt by buying things they don't need and cannot afford. What are the reasons for this behavior? What can be done to prevent people from having this problem?

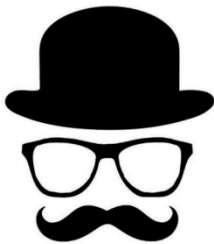
24. Some people think that the best way to get the news is through newspapers while others think it is through online media. Discuss both views and give your own opinion

25. Some people believe that smart phones are destroying social interaction today. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

26. There are severe social consequences to housing shortages in cities and only the government can solve these problems. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

27. International sporting events are costly and bring problems to the hosting country. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

28. The fast food industry has negative effects on our health, the environment and family eating habits. Do you agree or disagree?
29. More and more people are finding it increasingly important to wear fashionable clothes. Is this attitude to wearing clothes a positive development or negative?
30. In the world of the internet, people write product reviews of products and services. Do you think this is a positive or negative development?
31. Some people think that money is the most important factor in promoting happiness? Do you think people can be happy without money? What other factors contribute towards happiness?
32. In most of the countries, people prefer to live in a rented apartment rather than buying a home? What are the advantages and disadvantages of living in rented accommodation?
33. Criminality is growing among children and teenagers. Why is it growing and how should these criminals be treated?
34. Some people believe that technology has made the lives of workers easier while other people disagree. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
35. Some people believe that the best way to travel within a city is by car. Others believe it is best to travel by bicycle. To what extent do you agree or disagree?
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37. Fast food industry is having negative effects on our health? Do you agree or disagree?
38. Nowadays, more people are choosing to socialize online rather than face to face. Is this a positive or negative development?
39. Nowadays many people aim to create a balance between their work and other aspects of their life, however, only a few achieve it. What are the problems in doing this and what solutions can you suggest?
40. Demand for food is increasing worldwide. What is the cause of this? What measures can the international community take to make sure the supply of food is enough?
41. In modern societies, more and more people choose to live on their own? What are the reasons people choose to do this? Is it a positive or negative trend?
42. Nowadays more and more people want to get things done instantly. Why is it? Do you think it is a positive or negative development?
43. Some people prefer to buy local products while others product international products. To what extent do you agree or disagree?