

10 Ideas for Extra Writing Practice



To practise your writing skills further and to get some extra feedback from your English teacher, why not dedicate one hour planning and writing one of these?

Remember to use:

- A wide range of punctuation
- A wide range of sentence structures
- Interesting vocabulary
- Some imagery such as metaphors and similes
- An interesting, maybe humorous, introduction
- A conclusion that links back to your introduction
- A one sentence paragraph for variety
- Detail to expand upon your main ideas

The Tasks

1. Write a letter to your head teacher describing and explaining your ideas for an end of year reward trip.
2. Write an article for the local newspaper informing them of the importance of teenagers to the local community.
3. Teenagers are unfairly represented in the media. Explain your views.
4. There is nothing more important than education. Explain your views.
5. Write the text of an advisory speech for parents on how to react if they suspect their child is being bullied.
6. Write an informative article about the reality of exam pressure.
7. Argue for or against animal testing.
8. Argue for or against teenagers being able to vote.
9. Argue for or against the wearing of fur.
10. Write an advisory letter to parents about managing their child's use of social media.