

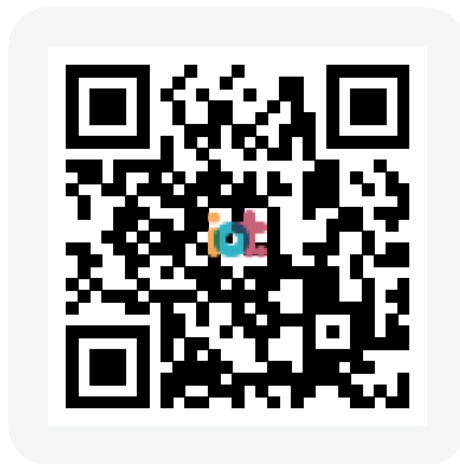
Master IELTS General Training Volume 6

Writing Practice Test 2

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WRITING TASK 1

You should spend about **20** minutes on this task.

You ordered a new cheque book from your bank two weeks ago but you have received nothing.

Write a letter to the manager complaining about the bad service. Say when and how you ordered the cheque book. Ask how much longer you will have to wait and ask the manager what action he will take over this matter.

You should write at least **150** words.



WRITING TASK 2

You should spend about **40** minutes on this task.

Nowadays, there is a trend that reports of media focus on problems and emergencies rather than positive development. Some people think it is harmful to individuals and to society. To what extent do you agree or disagree?

You should write at least **250** words.

SAMPLE WRITING TASK 1

Dear Sir,

I am writing to complain about the service that I have received at your bank. Two weeks ago I ordered a cheque book by filling out the appropriate form when I visited the bank but since then I have not received the cheque book and I have received no other correspondence from the bank. It is quite urgent for me as I have quite a few bills that I need to pay that can only be paid by cheque.

Please write to me as soon as possible and let me know how much longer I will have to wait for my cheque book and please explain why I have had to wait so long. I would also like to know what action you are going to take regarding this bad service.

I have been a customer of your bank now for fifteen years and this is the first time I have had to complain. It is very disappointing.

I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

Graham Swann

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SAMPLE WRITING TASK 2

It is easier nowadays to find out bad news and emergency issues on the media. As a result, some people say that this phenomenon is damaging our society. However, I think such an argument is unfair.

The role of the media is to report truthful news. This means if there is bad news to be reported, then it is the responsibility of the media to convey such information to viewers. Human, naturally, often see their world as rosier than how it actually is. However, while most of us are fortunate enough to never experience a war or a disaster, others are not. Therefore, when watching a comprehensive coverage, some may get uncomfortable because their rose-tinted perspectives are being shattered.

Still, the media shall not be swayed from reporting the inconvenient truth. A constant influx of bad news can strengthen the mind of the readers, prepare them for the worst, and combat the overly optimistic mentality. If the government can control which bad news should be reported, then there will be some dangerous consequences. For example, the authorities can hide their

corrupting activities from the public, or they may misleadingly represent the current situation of an epidemic, which can cause many prevented deaths later. Another issue that should not be overlooked is the importance of emergency news. Apparently, when encountering a disaster, we must respond to it in the fastest and most careful ways as possible, including providing media coverage.

In conclusion, it is wrong to think that focusing on reporting bad news is harming our society.
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