**SAMPLE WRITING TEST 1**

**TASK 1**

You have received an email from your English-speaking penfriend John, who is planning to come to your country for a one-week holiday.

**Hi,**

**How are you doing? I've got one week free this summer and I'd really like to spend my time touring around your country. How can I get to the city center from the airport? Another thing, I will also need somewhere to stay. I heard that food in your country is the best, so if you have free time, would you take me on a street food tour or travel around with me? It would be great if you could.**

Write an email responding to Ann. You should write at least 120 words. You do not need to include your name or addresses. Your response will be evaluated in terms of Task Fulfilment, Organization, Vocabulary and Grammar.

Dear John

Thanks for your email. I feel happier than ever when I hear you travel to VietNam. Now, I must try hard for an exam next week.

You can try go to Ha Long Bay, Sam Son, Ha Noi, Da Nang or Ho Chi Minh City. Wherever but you must try eating Pho Viet Nam, it’s very delicius.

I advise you prepare some clothes like T-shirts, shorts, v.v because summer of VietNam is very hot. And don’t forget to bring a camera to take memorable with friend. You should learn about culture of VietNam holiday.

Best wishes,

[Your name]

**TASK 2**

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

**Write a paragraph to discuss the causes of the global warming.**

**Include reasons and any relevant examples to support your answer.**

You should write 100-150 words.

Your response will be evaluated in terms of Task fulfillment, Organization, Vocabulary and Grammar.

**SAMPLE ANSWER: (158 words)**

**TASK 1:**

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| Greeting | Dear John, |
| Introduction | I am glad to know that you will be coming to my country for a one-week holiday. Four years after graduation, we will finally have the chance to meet again. |
| Conclusion  1-3 body texts | I still teach at secondary school and currently, I am off for 2 months; therefore, I will pick you up at the airport and spend time travelling with you. |
| As to accommodation, you can stay with my family as we have a spare room and you know my parents are looking forward to meeting you. |
| About the places worth visiting, I think Mui Ne town is a must for all visitors to Phan Thiet city. In Mui Ne, you will have a chance of seeing prominent resorts. In addition, this is a well-known street food place so you can enjoy many kinds of local seafood such as shrimp, lobster and especially grilled dishes which you like. |
|  | I am looking forward to hearing from you. |
| Closing | Best wishes, |

**TASK 2:**

Global warming is one of the biggest proplems of the world. Mankind is creating a lot of greenhouse gas emissions like carbon dioxi or methane. They burn gas, oil or something for energy of factory or cars then release emissions into the air. Cutting down trees makes the proplems worse because plants can clean the air. All these actions make the Earth warmer, which can cause many proplems for humanity, animals, and nature.

(149 words)

**SAMPLE WRITING TEST 2**

**Task 1**

This is part of a letter you received from an English speaking friend.

**I'm planning to visit you this summer with my parents. Can you suggest some activities in your area? What kinds of clothes should I pack?**

Write an email responding to Ann. You should write at least 120 words. You do not need to include your name or addresses. Your response will be evaluated in terms of Task Fulfilment, Organization, Vocabulary and Grammar.

Dear Ann

Thanks for your email. I am happier than ever when I hear you and your parents will visit my hometown.

Wellcome to HaNoi. It’s Capital of Viet Nam. I am sure that you can have experience best in there. It takes 30 minutes from my home to the city centre. In the city centre you can go everywhere by public transport, but I advise you to try Bach Thu Zoo, Thien Duong Bao Son v.v. And don’t forget try walking around West Lake and then eat Pho Ha Noi, it’s very delicious.

Now season of Viet Nam is summer, you should bring clothes like T-shirts, shorts, v.v. You should also bring a camera to take a great memorable photo in Ha Noi.

I hope you have the best experience in my area.

Best wishes

Thành

**Task 2.**

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

**Write a paragraph to discuss the measures parents can take to limit their children’s TV watching.**

**Include reasons and any relevant examples to support your answer.**

You should write 100-150 words.

Your response will be evaluated in terms of Task fulfillment, Organization, Vocabulary and Grammar.

Nowadays, with the development of technology, smart TV is one of the proplems

Dear [Name your friend]

Thanks for your email. + Cảm nghĩ khi nghe tin

Nội dung trả lời

Lời kết

Best wishes,

[Your name]

**SAMPLE ANSWER**

**Task 1.**

Dear Ann,

Thanks for your email. I hope your family are well. I'm glad to know that you and your parents are travelling to Hanoi this summer.

You asked me about things you can do in Hanoi. Well, I think you can spend a few days exploring Hanoi. For example, you can visit Hoan Kiem Lake, the historic Old Quarter and some fascinating museums here. Besides, I'll take you to try some of the delicious local cuisine like Pho, Bun Cha and so on.

As for clothes you should bring. In the summer, the weather is quite hot. The temperature is about more than 30°C so why don't you bring some light and loose clothes such as T-shirts, jeans and shorts. Don't forget to bring a swimming suit so we can go to the beach, too.

I have to get to back to work now. Hope to see you soon in Hanoi. Let me know if you need anything else.

All the best,

**Task 2.**

**Many parents are increasingly concerned about the fact that their children are spending a great deal of time watching TV, which can be tackled by a number of following measures.** First, it is the parents themselves who must take action to reduce the amount of time their children spend in front of the television. The most obvious way is to have parents and their children agree on a ‘screen limit’, for instance one or two hours a day. Another solution is for children to have their free time arranged in a useful way, including a variety of physical and social activities. This would mean children would play more outside and become healthier, as well as interact with other children, build friendships, develop teamwork skills, and reduce screen time overall. **In conclusion, having implemented these solutions, parents will be able to alleviate their concerns about their growing children.**

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