

# ROAD TO IELTS

IELTS preparation and practice



## Writing

Academic module  
Practice test 2

Candidate Number

Candidate Name \_\_\_\_\_

## INTERNATIONAL ENGLISH LANGUAGE TESTING SYSTEM

### Academic Writing

#### PRACTICE TEST 2

1 hour

**Time** 1 hour

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Do not open this question paper until you are told to do so.

**Write your name and candidate number in the spaces at the top of this page.**

Read the instructions for each task carefully.

Answer both of the tasks.

Write at least 150 words for Task 1.

Write at least 250 words for Task 2.

Write your answers in the answer booklet.

Write clearly in pen or pencil. You may make alterations, but make sure your work is easy to read.

At the end of the test, hand in both this question paper and your answer booklet.

#### INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

There are **two** tasks on this question paper.

Task 2 contributes twice as much as Task 1 to the Writing score.

## WRITING TASK 1

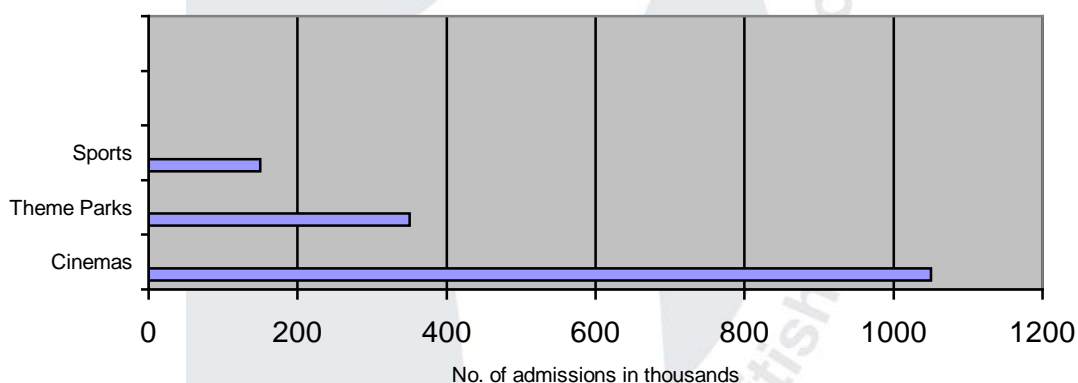
You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

*The charts below give information about attendance at entertainment venues and admission prices to those venues in 2009.*

*Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.*

Write at least 150 words.

**Attendance at entertainment venues, 2009**



Event	2009 Admission Price	
	1 Ticket	Family Ticket (4 people)
Football Game – AFL	\$75	\$298
Football Game – NRL	\$73	\$290
Football Game – NRU	\$71	\$280
Theme Parks	\$70	\$210
Basketball Game	\$34	\$135
Cricket Game	\$24	\$80
Cinema	\$15	\$55

## WRITING TASK 2

You should spend about 40 minutes on this task.

Write about the following topic:

***In many countries today there are many highly qualified graduates without employment.***

***What factors may have caused this situation and what, in your opinion, can/should be done about it?***

Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant examples from your own knowledge or experience.

Write at least 250 words.