**Essay topics**The true test of the greatness of a work of art is its ability to be understood by the masses

Write a response in which you discuss the extent to which you agree or disagree with the claim In developing and supporting your position, be sure to address the most compelling reasons and or examples that could be used to challenge your position

An art can be in any form be it a sketch, an article a novel or even creation of an animated film The reward that the author or the artist wishes to achieve is to convey to his her audience what he she truly wants to portray and to be understood by their people I agree with this statement and I wish to prove this via two examples  
  
The first example showcases the work of Shakespeare He is known for his great novels such as Romeo and Juliet As you like it Merchant of Venice and many more He is truly known for his references and the unusual characters that he brings out in his plays and articles His work is so great that high school students study his novels as a part of their academic course But sadly he wasn't appreciated for his writing when he was alive The truth is that he was criticized for his work This is because his writings were not understood by the people in his era The synonyms and references that he used in his literature works were so unique that they weren't easily interpreted by those people It is even said that Shakespeare contributed plethora of words to the English dictionary Thus it is when Shakespeare had passed away did he earn the appreciation for his writings Scholars examined his art and found the correct references and idioms and that was when he gained popularity Only if he were alive to see the contribution he made to English fields  
  
My next example to support the given issue is a famous south Indian stand up comedian Kenny Sebastian He is known for connecting with his audiences very well Many comedians that have come to my college usually mock the politics or the current affairs of the country Now not many students or friends that I know read the newspaper or are aware of the general knowledge But Kenny Sebastian does not go into politics His main comedy topics revolve around our daily activities that we all connect to or we go through He talks in general about college activities schools teachers and many other topics that we are sure to know of He associates himself with the public and makes the show very much live and enjoyable for the people Thus his conversation topics are so well understood and interpreted by the masses and this is how he has achieved so much fame and is known for his great work  
  
Thus I would conclude that an artists greatest work can be appreciated only by the people who perceive his work and can truly connect with him