THE B1 WRITER

Cambridge PET Article Workshop

Nickname: _____   **ID:** ___ ___ ___ ___ ___

TASK 1: ANALYZING THE MODEL

THE ORIGINAL PROMPT:

Articles wanted!

WHAT MAKES YOU LAUGH?

Write an article telling us what makes you laugh and why. Is it important for people to laugh? The best articles will be published in next month's magazine.

TOTAL SCORE: 20/20 (B2 LEVEL)

*[Part 1] "I love to watch comedies a lot because it makes me laugh. **The comedy I love the most is the Chinese Running Man.** I enjoy watching and laughing it with my family."*

*[Part 2] "**In the show, famous actors and actresses must overcome some challenging quests, such as trading a coffee bean with someone else for something more expensive…** The storylines are very interesting and they always tickle my funny bone. Laughing out loud is great!"*

*[Part 3] "Laughing can help us to release stress and make us feel better. **It may also make us more attractive too!**"*

CONTENT CHECKLIST:

- **Part 1**: Did they say **what** makes them laugh? (Yes: Chinese Running Man).
- **Part 2**: Did they say **why** it makes them laugh? (Yes: Actors overcoming challenges).
- **Part 3**: Did they say if it's **important**? (Yes: Releases stress/more attractive).

TASK 2: PLANNING YOUR RESPONSE

Before you start writing, plan your ideas for the main body paragraph (Paragraph 2).

TOPIC SENTENCE (The Main Idea)

SUPPORTING DETAILS (Give examples and evidence)

Self-Correction Radar: ☐ Answered all 3 parts? ☐ Connectors used? ☐ Modals used?

TASK 3: WRITING YOUR ARTICLE

Articles wanted!

TECHNOLOGY AND YOU

Write an article telling us which website or app you like the most and how often you use it. Do you think it is important for teenagers to have a computer? Why?

The best articles will be published in next month's magazine.

WRITING TOOLBOX:

- **Expressing Preference**: "The app I use most frequently is…" / "I am particularly fond of…"
- **Giving Opinion**: "I strongly believe that…" / "In my view, computers are…"
- **Adding Detail**: "Furthermore, they allow us to…" / "For instance, students can…"

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