



Education

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Warm-up Questions

Look at the picture and answer the following questions as a class.

- 1.** What is happening in the two pictures?
- 2.** What is the biggest difference between the two methods of education?



Word List

English Word	Korean Meaning	English Definition
homeschooling	n. 홈스쿨링	education at home instead of going to school
academic	adj. 학업의	having to do with learning or study
curriculum	n. 교육과정	the courses offered at a school
tutor	n. 개인교사	a person who gives private instruction to a student
concept	n. 개념	a general idea or thought
motivate	v. 동기부여하다	encourage someone to do something
attend	v. 다니다, 참석하다	to be present at
content	n. 내용	the topics or chapters in a book or other written work
competitor	n. 경쟁자	a person or group that competes
allocate	v. 할당하다	to assign
schedule	n. 스케줄, 시간표	a plan of when certain events will be carried out
environment	n. 환경	the things and conditions that are all around one
weakness	n. 약점	a personal problem; defect
suit	v. ~에게 딱 맞다	to be right for
need	n. 요구	something that one wants or must have

Vocabulary Activities

Word Matching

Write the correct word for each English definition.

1. a plan of when certain events will be carried out → _____
2. something that one wants or must have → _____
3. to be right for → _____
4. a general idea or thought → _____
5. a person who gives private instruction to a student → _____

Word Selection

Read the sentence and choose the correct word that best fits.

1. The athlete practiced day and night to beat her (needs / competitors).
2. The project leader (allocated / suits) tasks for each person to do.
3. Make sure to check your (schedule / concept) to see when your doctor's appointment is.
4. Before you start your homework, make sure that your (weakness / environment) is neat and clean.
5. My friends and I will (attend / concept) an afterschool craft class.



Passage

There are many ways for students to receive an education. They can attend a school where they can study together with other students and teachers. Another way to receive an education is through **homeschooling**. Students make and follow **academic** schedules and **curriculum** set by private **tutors** or their parents. Both ways of learning have their benefits and drawbacks.

Studying in a classroom has many more benefits than being homeschooled. First, it is much more effective. When you are in a school classroom, you study with a trained, professional teacher. The teacher explains the **concepts** of what you are studying and they can also answer your questions when you don't understand something. As a result, you will have a better understanding of the subjects. Second, learning in a classroom can **motivate** you to study harder. At school, you will **attend** classes with other students. They can help you when you are having a hard time with the class **content**. You can also be motivated to study harder in order to be better than your **competitors**. Either way, it can help you become a better student.

Still, homeschooling has its benefits, too. In contrast to what some may say, it is much more efficient than studying at school. If you are studying by yourself, you can **allocate** more time to focus on subjects that you are having a hard time with. As a result, it will help you get better grades. When you study in a classroom, you must follow the **schedule** for the whole class, and this can be a waste of time if you are quick to understand the material. To continue, homeschooling provides an **environment** for individual attention. Parents or tutors can focus on one student. It will be easier to find and improve their **weaknesses**. They can also design a curriculum that **suits** the student's individual **needs**. Focusing on one student will allow the child to get the best care and education possible.



Passage Organizer

Topic

Paragraph

Arguments

Details

1st

Paragraph

Arguments

Details

2nd



Comprehension Questions

Using the information from the passage, write down the answers in full sentences.

1. What is the main idea of the passage?

2. In a classroom, what can you do when you don't understand something?

3. How does having a competitor help you become a better student?

4. How can you use time more efficiently while homeschooling?

5. How can homeschooling help students overcome weaknesses?

Finding Evidence Practice

Using notes from the 'Passage Organizer,' choose the details that need to be proven and consider which type of evidence should be used. Use the Internet to find evidence.

In Class	What (Which details in the reasoning will you prove?)	Ex) <i>chemicals in cigarettes cause severe harm to the lungs</i>	
	Type (news, article, statistic, expert opinion, etc.)	Ex) <i>experiment</i>	
	Key Word (words to type in the search engine)	Ex) <i>cigarette harmful chemical</i>	
Homework Research	Source (name, website, institute, etc.)	<i>American Lung Association</i>	
	Time Issued (month, year)	<i>December, 2021</i>	
	Contents (the story, statistical research, report, etc.)	<i>There are approximately 600 ingredients in cigarettes. When burned, cigarettes create more than 7,000 chemicals. At least 69 of these chemicals are known to cause cancer, and many are toxic.</i>	



Critical Thinking Questions

Discuss the following questions as a class and take notes from the discussion.

1. What kind of students would prefer homeschooling?

2. What kind of students would NOT benefit from homeschooling?

3. What is the biggest difference between going to school and homeschooling?

4. What are some troubles you may face when you go to school?

5. How do homeschooled children learn to socialize and make friends?

Vocabulary Activities

Sentence Completion

Using the words from the box, fill in the blanks. Change the word form if necessary.

homeschool	curriculum	attend	content	weakness
academic	motivate	tutor	concept	environment

1. My parents hired a _____ to help me study math.
2. You can check the _____ of the book in the front of the textbook.
3. _____ is recommended for students who study better alone.
4. The school uploaded the _____ for the new school year on the school homepage.
5. The teacher explained the _____ so that it was easy for the students to understand.
6. My cousins and I _____ the same elementary school.
7. My teacher always helps me to overcome my _____.
8. I can only concentrate in a quiet _____.



Brainstorming

Think of different ideas for each category.

Resolution: Homeschooling is better than going to school.

Pro

Con

Benefit

(homeschooling)

Benefit

(going to school)

Necessary

(homeschooling)

Necessary

(going to school)

Contrast

(drawbacks of going to school)

Contrast

(drawbacks of homeschooling)

Layout Organizer

Step 1: Resolution and Argument

Resolution	
Position	
Argument	

Step 2: Reasoning

Definition (What do you mean?)							
Pro	Benefits / Necessary	»»»	Effects	»»»	Contrast	»»»	Side Effects
Con	Benefits / Necessary	»»»	Effects	»»»	Contrast	»»»	Side Effects

Reasoning (Details) - Pre-writing Notes



Step 3: Finding Evidence

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Step 4: Conclusion

Conclusion	Repeat motion / topic	
	Summarize reasons	
	Closing Sentence	



Note-Taking

As you take notes of each speaker, underline the details that seem weak or false.

Pro	Con
<p>Speaker:</p> <p>Argument:</p> <p>Reasoning/Evidence:</p>	<p>Speaker:</p> <p>Argument:</p> <p>Reasoning/Evidence:</p>
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Speaker:	Speaker:
Argument:	Argument:
Reasoning/Evidence:	Reasoning/Evidence:



Persuasive Writing Organizer

Introduction			
Thesis (Topic)	English is more important than math.		
Opinion (Position)			
Signpost (Arguments)	1.	2.	3.
Pro / Con	Benefits / Necessary >>>	Effects >>>	Contrast >>> Side Effects
Body Paragraphs			
Idea	Details		Example
1.			
2.			
3.			
Conclusion			
Paraphrase Thesis			
Summarize the three ideas			

Date:

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Grammar	A	B	C	D	E	Overall Comments
Vocabulary	A	B	C	D	E	
Organization	A	B	C	D	E	
Paraphrase	A	B	C	D	E	
Score						

