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Q1.

We know you lead a busy life, full of activities, many of which are required of you. Tell us about something you do simply for the pleasure of it.

Q2.

Intro:

Hook

Thesis Statement

BP1:

Topic Sentence

Example

BP2:

Topic Sentence

Example

BP3:(CA)

Topic Sentence

Example

Conclusion:

Restate Thesis

Conclude everything

Q3.

Did you know doing something that gives you pleasure reduces stress and makes you happier? These topics have been researched very much and doctors recommend saving a good amount of time doing things you love.

Q4

Things in my life that I do for pleasure are playing video games and playing outside with my friends.

Q5.

Did you know doing something that gives you pleasure reduces stress and makes you happier? These topics have been researched very much and doctors recommend saving a good amount of time doing things you love. Things in my life that I do with pleasure are mainly playing outside and hanging out with my friends along with playing video games. There are many things that I enjoy but these 2 things bring me the most pleasure.

I love exercising and hanging out with my friends. To satisfy both of my hobbies I go to my friends house and I engage in many sports, friendly competitions, and games. For example, when I'm bored I can always go over to my friends house and the six of us can play some

basketball or football. Another example is in the winter when it is snowing outside. My friends and I can go over to the hills in our neighborhood and go sledding, make snowmen, and have snowball fights. I really enjoy my friends' company and they make my life so much better with their humor, similar interests with me, and great personalities.

After my day comes to a close, I can sit down on my chair and play some video games on late Friday and Saturday nights with my friends. I love competition along with working together with other people. The vast amount of video games complement this perfectly and this is why I love to play videogames so much. We play many different types of video games from sandbox games, to first person shooters, to sports and more. We also watch movies together, chat online, and do our homework together. For example, after a long day of work and gruesome activities I can sit down at my desk and play some relaxing video games with my friends. Another example is when I'm sick, it's a rainy and stormy day, all of my friends are online, and all my work is completed. When everything is pointed towards me playing video games it makes it so much more fun. The setting doesn't seem like it would make much difference when playing video games, but it makes as much of a difference as any other factor.

One reason I see people saying playing video games is not a good hobby is because it is bad for your eyes and very addictive. I think under certain circumstances playing video games could feel like this but as long as you're disciplining yourself you shouldn't have to worry. If someone is playing 5-6 hours a day, 7 days a week, and is not getting enough exposure to sunlight or enough exercise then I think it is definitely a problem. Although playing video games can become a very bad hobby as long as you're limiting the amount of time you are playing a day, finishing what needs to be done, and getting enough exercise, I think it is a perfectly fine hobby.

Playing outside with my friends and playing video games are the two things that give me pleasure. It's very important to do stuff that makes you happier and that's what I believe is the purpose of life.