Темы эссе

1. . Write about city and country you want to live in the future

2. Write about an exciting book

3. Write about the following topic. A gift (such as a camera, a soccer ball, or an animal)

can contribute to a child’s development. What gift would you give to help a child develop? Why?

Use reasons and specific examples to support your choice.

4. Write about the following topic. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

Attending a live performance (for example, a play, concert, or sporting event) is more enjoyable

than watching the same event on television. Use specific reasons and examples to support your

opinion.

5. Write about the following topic. Would you prefer to live in a traditional house or in a

modern apartment building? Use specific reasons and details to support your choice.

6. Write about the following topic. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

People should read only those books that are about real events, real people, and established facts.

Use specific reasons and details to support your opinion.

7. Write about the following topic. It has been said, “Not everything that is learned is

contained in books.” Compare and contrast knowledge gained from experience with knowledge

gained from books. In your opinion, which source is more important? Why?

8. Write about the following topic. It is sometimes said that borrowing money from a friend

can harm or damage the friendship. Do you agree? Why or why not? Use reasons and specific

examples to explain your answer.

9. Write about the following topic. What are some important qualities of a good supervisor

(boss)? Use specific details and examples to explain why these qualities are important.

10. Write about the following topic. A company has announced that it wishes to build a

large factory near your community. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of this new

influence on your community. Do you support or oppose the factory? Explain your position.

11. Write about the following topic. Some people enjoy change, and they look forward to

new experiences. Others like their lives to stay the same, and they do not change their usual habits.

Compare these two approaches to life. Which approach do you prefer? Explain why.

12. Write about the following topic. Some people think that children should begin their

formal education at a very early age and should spend most of their time on school studies. Others

believe that young children should spend most of their time playing. Compare these two views.

Which view do you agree with? Why?

13. Write about the following topic. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

Classmates are a more important influence than parents on a child’s success in school. Use specific

reasons and examples to support your answer.

14. Write about the following topic. It is generally agreed that society benefits from the

work of its members. Compare the contributions of artists to society with the contributions of

scientists to society. Which type of contribution do you think is valued more by your society? Give

specific reasons to support your answer.

15. Write about the following topic. We all work or will work in our jobs with many

different kinds of people. In your opinion, what are some important characteristics of a co-worker

(someone you work closely with)? Use reasons and specific examples to explain why these

characteristics are important.

17. Write about the following topic. People recognize a difference between children and

adults. What events (experiences or ceremonies) make a person an adult? Use specific reasons and

examples to explain your answer.

18. Write about the following topic. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

Most experiences in our lives that seemed difficult at the time become valuable lessons for the

future. Use reasons and specific examples to support your answer.

19. Write about the following topic. Do you agree or disagree with the following statement?

Face-to-face communication is better than other types of communication, such as letters, email, or

telephone calls. Use specific reasons and details to support your answer.

20. Write about the following topic. Some famous athletes and entertainers earn millions of

dollars every year. Do you think these people deserve such high salaries? Use specific reasons and

examples to support your opinion.

21. Write about the following topic. People with ten or more years’ experience at work are

far more knowledgeable than people still in their twenties. It is therefore logical that employers

should always choose older people over young people for work. What are your opinions on this?

22. Write about the following topic. Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant

examples from your own knowledge or experience. In the last few decades, an increasing number

of animal species have become endangered or have died out completely. It appears likely that this

situation will continue. What do you think are the causes of this problem and what measures could

be taken to prevent it?

23. Write about the following topic. Discuss both these views and give your own opinion.

Some people believe that old buildings should be replaced with more modern ones. Other people

argue that we should protect old buildings because they have a special value.