Writing

Two Different Ways of Living

In today's world, people have very different ideas about the best way to live. Some believe that living in a busy city offers endless opportunities for success and excitement. Cities provide access to education, job opportunities, entertainment, and modern conveniences. City life is often described as fast-paced and stimulating, where people can meet others from all over the world and stay connected to global trends. However, city life can also be stressful and expensive, with constant noise, traffic, and limited personal space.

Others, however, prefer the peace and simplicity of life in the countryside. They value clean air, open spaces, and a slower lifestyle. In rural areas, people often have closer relationships with neighbors and a stronger sense of community. Life in the countryside allows people to connect with nature and live more sustainably, away from the pressure of city life. Yet, it may lack access to healthcare, education, and job opportunities found in urban areas.

In the end, both lifestyles have their advantages and disadvantages, and choosing between them often depends on what a person values most: excitement and opportunity, or peace and simplicity.

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Read the text carefully.

What are the two different points of view presented in the text?

Summarise them in your own words.

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Read the text again.

Main Writing Prompt:

Write a comparative essay in response to the prompts below.

• Prompt 1: Which lifestyle do you personally prefer — city life or country life?

• Prompt 2: Explain why you agree with that point of view.

• Prompt 3: Support your opinion with evidence or examples from the text.

Write at least 220 words.

Remember to:

• Organize your essay into clear paragraphs.

• Use linking words and cohesive devices.

• Express agreement or disagreement appropriately.

• Use correct grammar, vocabulary, and structure.

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