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## Writing an Expository Essay

**2018-2019**

<b>V.</b>	<b>Writing</b>	<b>(Expository/Persuasive)</b>	<b>20 Marks</b>	<b>20</b>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- All not less than 12 sentences / 140 words.</li> <li>- <i>The topic should include an introduction, 2 body paragraphs &amp; a conclusion.</i></li> <li>- Topics within students' experience.</li> </ul>	to be considered for	<b>80</b>
			<b>Outlining: Introduction, body, conclusion</b>	<b>100</b>

• Rubrics for Checking Writing			
Grade	Rubrics	Mark	Total Mark
<b>10</b>	Outlining	20	<b>100</b>
	Exposition of ideas & coherence	40	
	Paragraphing and number of sentences	10	
	Spelling	10	
	Grammar	10	
	Handwriting, spacing and punctuation.	10	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 20 marks to be deducted from the total mark for changing the format.</li> <li>• Off point topics / outlines receive <b>ZERO</b>.</li> <li>• 5 marks to be deducted from the outline if the ideas are not used in the topic.</li> </ul>		

**Topic:**

**Plan** and **write** an essay (not less than 12 sentences) about the importance of designing impressive buildings.

**Outline**

**I- Introduction:**

**Topic:** designing impressive buildings

**Thesis:** Designing impressive buildings is of great importance because they are a major part of the human culture and civilization, and they boost the economy of the countries.

**II-Body:**

**Body 1:** major part of the human culture and civilization (architectural achievements)

**Supporting details:**

- reflecting a specific era
- making the country famous
- reflecting civilization

**Body 2:** boosting the economy of the countries and nurturing feelings

**Supporting details:**

- attracting millions of tourists
- boosting economies
- source of pride – glory – happiness

**III-Conclusion:**

- summarising ideas
- impressive buildings all over the world

## Essay

“**The future of architecture is culture.**” This quotation by Philip Johnson makes it clear that designing impressive buildings is of great importance to humanity. They are not only a major part of the human culture and civilization, but they also boost the economy of the countries where they are built.

**First**, impressive buildings are major parts of the human cultures and civilizations. **In fact**, they show their architectural achievements during a specific era. Some of these buildings have turned many countries to be famous and their citizens to feel proud of their civilization. **For example**, the Wall of China and the Pyramids in Egypt are definitely good examples of the most impressive and outstanding representatives of those famous buildings.

**Second**, they boost the economy of the countries in which they are built. Impressive designs and buildings are so attractive that they keep hooking countless of tourists to visit them on a daily basis. They reap a rich harvest to the economies of these countries. **For instance**, Taj Mahal in India is considered as the jewel of Muslim art in India. It is one of the most universally admired masterpieces of the world’s heritage. It receives up to 50,000 tourists per day. **Moreover**, some of these buildings nurture such feelings as glorify, pride and happiness. **For example**, The Liberation Tower in Kuwait symbolizes Kuwait’s liberation from invaders. It also reminds Kuwaitis of the Liberation Day and their story of sacrifice in defence of their homeland.

In conclusion, impressive buildings are very important for the countries in which they are built. Not only do they reflect their culture, but they also boost their economies and nurture their citizens’ feeling of pride. In this sense, impressive and substantial buildings are built everywhere.