# ПИСЬМЕННАЯ ЧАСТЬ ET:



Comment on the following statement:

Making a good salary is more important than job satisfaction.

What is your opinion? Do you agree with this statement? Write **200-250 words**.

Use the following plan:

- make an introduction (state the problem)
- express your personal opinion and give 2-3 reasons for your opinion
- express an opposing opinion and give 1-2 reasons for this opposing opinion
- explain why you don't agree with the opposing opinion
- make a conclusion restating your position
- **1.** Нейтральный стиль письма, не разрешены сокращения и разговорный стиль
- 2. Разрешается отклонение в любую сторону на 10% 180-275 слов
- 3. Абзацы логически связаны при помощи фраз-связок

### ВСТУПЛЕНИЕ

Вступление состоит из 2-3 предложений и перефразирует заявленную тему.

Making a good salary is more important than job satisfaction

### Общая информация:

It is common knowledge that career choice is one of the most important decisions in our life.

### Указание на существование противоположных точек зрения:

Some people believe that it is more essential to love what you do, whereas others prefer to focus on a higher salary while choosing a future profession.

### ВСТУПИТЕЛЬНЫЕ ФРАЗЫ (ПАРАГРАФ 1)

Some people think/believe/consider that ..., whereas others think/believe/consider that ...

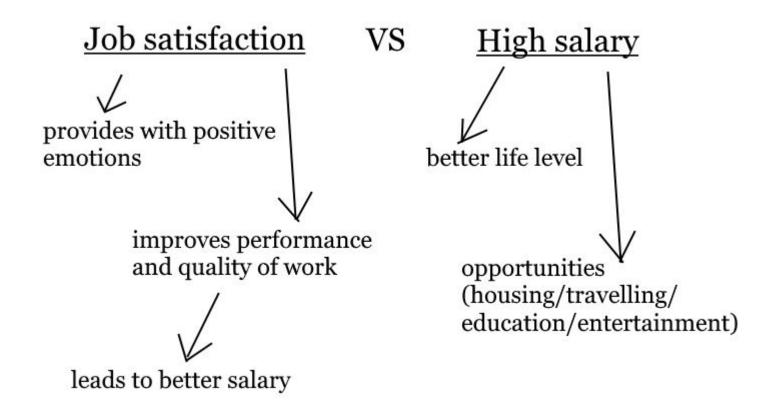
The problem / issue / question of... has always aroused heated / sharp disputes /debates / discussions / controversy

Our modern world is unthinkable / unimaginable / inconceivable without... However, there are plenty of people who believe that it is not necessary / doubt the necessity / importance / use / benefit / good of...

...gaining increasing popularity today, many still dispute / doubt / challenge / bring into question / cast doubt on its use for the society

It is often difficult to decide which position to take whenever there is a debate regarding a choice between... and...

### СОБСТВЕННОЕ МНЕНИЕ (ПАРАГРАФ 2)



### Привести 2-3 аргумента в пользу своего мнения, аргументы должны быть <u>развернутыми</u>!

In my opinion, a satisfying job is way more important than a good income. It fills life with positive emotions giving the energy to accomplish different tasks as we manage our daily routine. Another positive aspect of a fulfilling job is that your performance and, consequently, results are higher if you are keen on the task you are doing.

### ФРАЗЫ-СВЯЗКИ ДЛЯ СОБСТВЕННОГО МНЕНИЯ

#### Связки для выражения своего мнения

I believe/ I consider that.../ I am convinced that ...

I personally favour ...

To my mind.../ In my opinion.../ It seems to me that...

I can't but agree that...

I am against.../ I do not approve of.../ I do not support the idea of.../ I personally frown on...

It is said/ believed that...

It goes without saying that...

#### Связки для выражения аргументов:

Firstly/ first and foremost/ first of all ...

A major benefit is that ...

### ПРОТИВОПОЛОЖНАЯ ТОЧКА ЗРЕНИЯ (ПАРАГРАФ **3**)

- 1-2 аргумента в пользу противоположной точки зрения
- There are people who have the opposing opinion, for them the material aspect plays a more important role than the enjoyment from what they do. They justify that position by claiming that the more money you have, the better life you can afford. In their viewpoint money equals opportunities opportunities for better housing, education and entertainment. (1 аргумент)

### ФРАЗЫ-СВЯЗКИ ДЛЯ ПРОТИВОПОЛОЖНОЙ ТОЧКИ ЗРЕНИЯ

However, not all people share my point of view. They say that ...

They assume/ suppose...

They are in favour of.../ They approve of... / They favour...

There is another side to the issue/question of ...

There are people who have the opposing opinion./ Not all people share my viewpoint.

### ОПРОВЕРЖЕНИЕ ПРОТИВОПОЛОЖНОЙ ТОЧКИ ЗРЕНИЯ (ПАРАГРАФ **4**)

Даем опровержение каждому из предыдущих приведенных аргументов!

However veracious it sounds, I would not agree with the above mentioned idea. If people do their work for pleasure rather than for money, they will eventually become professionals in a chosen area, and specialists are seldom underpaid or underestimated. Eventually, a favourite job becomes a well-paid one.

# ФРАЗЫ-СВЯЗКИ ДЛЯ ОПРОВЕРЖЕНИЯ

To a certain extent it is right, but we should not forget that... / we should consider the fact that... / one should not disregard... / one should take into account ...

However veracious it sounds, I would not agree with the above mentioned idea.

However, I disagree with these contentions.

I am afraid I cannot agree with these people here as I think ...

## ЗАКЛЮЧЕНИЕ (ПАРАГРАФ 5)

В заключении нужно еще раз указать свое мнение по данной проблеме, <u>не повторяясь</u>!

To conclude, I am convinced that an occupation you fancy definitely wins over the one that brings you only money as work occupies a great part of everyday routine and it is more logical to spend this time with pleasure.

### ФРАЗЫ-СВЯЗКИ ДЛЯ ЗАКЛЮЧЕНИЯ

To conclude/ sum up

All in all...

All things considered...

Taking all this into account/ consideration...

In short/ conclusion ...

#### Making a good salary is more important than job satisfaction

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