

## 2022 International English Essay Challenge for College Students

### Group A

*(Please Choose one of the two topics to write.)*

Topic 1:

**Directions:** Read the following opinion and give your own comments. In your article, you should explain whether or not, or to what extent you agree with this opinion. Support your argument with relevant reasons and examples.

Write your essay for about 200-220 words neatly on the ANSWER SHEET.

*For some individuals, technology is something we can conveniently use to text someone or watch Netflix. Others speak of AI, AR, or Metaverse with contempt and fear. But from my perspective, technology itself is neither good or evil, it is a staple of our lives, society, and the world. Nothing has shaped human history as much as the advance of technology.*

Topic 2:

**Directions:** Read the following opinion and give your own comments. In your article, you should explain whether or not, or to what extent you agree with this opinion. Support your argument with relevant reasons and examples.

Write your essay for about 200-220 words neatly on the ANSWER SHEET.

*Conflicts can be as small as a disagreement with friends or family or as big as a world war. Is conflict inevitable? Probably the answer is yes. For example, "Human evolution has been defined by conflict", says E.O Wilson, one of the world's leading biologists. All groups of animals are struggling for existence. For human it maybe worse: Limited resources. Unlimited wants.*

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### Group B

*(Please Choose one of the two topics to write.)*

#### Topic 1:

**Directions:** Space exploration is a field that has always fascinated people. The idea of what else is out there, the possibility of finding new life forms, and the prospect of discovering things about our own planet are just some of the reasons why space exploration fascinates so many of us. Write an argumentative essay based on the topic of **Space Exploration** with your own thoughts and feelings. You should write about 160-180 words neatly on your ANSWER SHEET.

#### Topic 2:

**Directions:** If you don't know your culture and heritage, it means you don't know where you come from and where you are going. Embracing your cultural identity can help you feel more satisfied, more connected to yourself, your relationship, and your loved ones, and give you more confidence in who you are. Write an argumentative essay based on the topic of **Cultural Self-confidence** with your own thoughts and feelings. You should write about 160-180 words neatly on your ANSWER SHEET.

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### Group C

*(Please Choose one of the two topics to write.)*

Topic 1:

**Directions:** Choose two keywords to describe the current state of your life — and give the relevant examples. You should write a descriptive essay or a story about 150 words neatly on your ANSWER SHEET.

Topic 2:

**Directions:** Are you more scientific-minded or creative-minded? How does that affect your life? You should write a descriptive essay or a story about 150 words neatly on your ANSWER SHEET.