

THINK OF THESE TOPICS: FOR AND AGAINST ARGUMENTS. YOUR THESIS. SHARE IDEAS WITH YOUR CLASSMATES

1. Are school uniforms beneficial?
- 2. Is global climate change caused by humans? (videos below)**
3. Are we too dependent on computers?
4. Should animals be used for research?
5. Should cigarette smoking be banned?
6. Are mobile phones dangerous?
7. Are law enforcement cameras an invasion of privacy?
8. Do we have a throwaway society?
9. Is child behaviour better or worse than it was years ago?
10. Does access to condoms prevent teen pregnancy?

POSITIVE

NEGATIVE

THESIS

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NOW CHOOSE ONE OF THE TOPICS TO WRITE ABOUT. DON'T FORGET THESE TIPS.

1. use **formal language**, avoid words like *things, stuff, get*, etc.) and contractions (*can't, don't, won't*, etc.).

2. **use a well-defined structure**

3. Keep impartial and just **express your opinion in the last paragraph**, as a conclusion.

4. Your ideas must follow a logical order and be well-connected (**coherence and cohesion**)

5. **Use your own words, do not copy and paste, plagiarism is not allowed**

6. Check some models in your textbooks or on a reliable website, blog...

a) draft

**INTRODUCTION**

**BODY PARAGRAPH ONE**

**PARAGRAPH TWO**

**(PARAGRAPH THREE)**

**CONCLUSION**

b) Title of the Essay

<https://youtu.be/WfGMYdaCIU>

<https://www.eslvideo.com/quiz.php?id=38965>