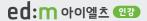
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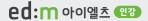
Academic writing task 2

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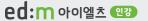
Some people think that the only way to improve the safety of our road is to have stricter punishment for driving offenders. To what extent do you agree or disagree?



Agree – enforcing punishment for driving offences is necessary to improve the road safety

1) Decreases risks on the roads

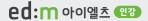
Car drivers can be discouraged to drive dangerously and will make efforts to drive more safely if they know the fact that they will be punished heavily as a result of their actions.



Agree – enforcing punishment for driving offences is necessary to improve the road safety

2) Decreases accident rates

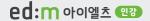
Imposing heavier punishment can be the most effective way of reducing the rate of collision in many countries.



Agree – enforcing punishment for driving offences is necessary to improve the road safety

3) Decreases rate of re-offence

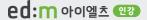
Penalties for dangerous drivers can act as a deterrent, which means that people will avoid repeating the same offence as well as figuring out the fact that their actions can cause negative consequences.



Disagree – heavy punishment for driving offenders is not the only way

1) Education

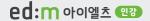
Educating people properly before they start driving can be a better way of warning them about the importance of safe driving than punishing driving offenders.



Disagree – heavy punishment for driving offenders is not the only way

2) Public transportation improvement

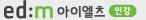
Governments and local councils should invest in developing and improving public transportations in order to discourage people to drive their private cars.



Disagree – heavy punishment for driving offenders is not the only way

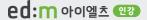
3) More difficult driving tests

In order to reduce possible accidents, countries should consider making driving tests more difficult or setting higher age restrictions for driving.



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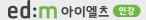
The tradition of eating meals with families together is disappearing. Why? What effects can be shown on the family and society?



What are causes?

1) Busy lifestyle of people in modern society

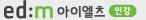
people spend most of their time in schools or workplaces and this makes them spend less and less time together.



What are causes?

2) People do not want to cook proper food

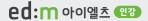
Instead of cooking proper food, people's tendency towards eating ready-made meals are becoming more significant. It makes them not to eat with their families, and rather eat on their own.



What are causes?

3) Many people live apart from their families

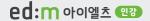
Due to some reasons such as studying abroad, working in other cities, they cannot spend time with their families.



What effects can be shown on the family and society?

 Bonding between family members will disappear and eventually lead to isolation

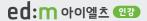
As family members do not spend time together even when they are having meals, their bonds would not stay strong and become weaker and weaker. This may lead them to face conflicts.



What effects can be shown on the family and society?

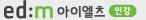
Difficulty to adjust in the society

As people do not spend time with their families, they may find working with others in the society very difficult. This means that they would lose chances to interact with others as well as isolating themselves.



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Employers think that formal academic qualifications are more important than life experiences and personal qualities when they find new employees. What are the causes? Is it positive or negative development?



What are the causes?

1) Easier way to examine a candidate

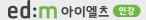
By examining academic qualifications of candidates, employers can identify their education backgrounds and basic qualifications



What are the causes?

2) Shows attitudes of candidates

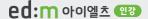
The academic transcript reflects the candidates' studying attitude and the willingness of learning. Employers may consider that employees who achieved outstanding academic results tend to perform better than others.



Is this a positive or a negative development?

Positive development

Considering education backgrounds of candidates is still important as it means that they have learnt relevant theories and knowledge, useful skills, and spent a lot of time on researching their own works. It gives employers ideas what kind of person candidates are, what kind of knowledge they have obtained, and whether they have worked hard or not.



Is this a positive or a negative development?

Negative development

There are many things which people can only learn through experiences. Employees learn how to cooperate with others at work, how to handle their tasks within given period, and so on. It is unfair to examine an employee only by considering their academic qualifications.

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Thank you!

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