

IELTS General Writing Task Sample Paper 1

Q1. You stayed with your friend and by mistake carried home one of his objects. Write a letter and explain:

- How you enjoyed staying with your friend.
- Explain the object which you brought with you by mistake and explain how the mistake happened.
- Mention how you plan to return the object.

Q2. You recently received a letter from a friend asking for advice about whether to go to college or to try to get a job. You think he /she should get a job. Write a letter to this friend. In your letter:

- Say why he/she would not enjoy going to college.
- Explain why getting a job is a good idea for him/her.
- Suggest types of jobs that would be suitable for him/her.

Q3. Write a letter to your friend expressing your inability to meet on a particular date. Your friend was supposed to visit you soon, but due to some personal problems, you can't meet him/her on the specified date. Write a letter to him or her explaining the situation. In your letter, you have to:

- Apologies to your friend.
- Explain why it's not possible to meet now.
- Suggest an alternative date for the meeting.

Q4. You have recently started work in a new company. Write a letter to an English-speaking friend. In your letter,

- Explain why you changed jobs.
- Describe your new job.
- Tell him / her your other news.

Q5. Last month you had a holiday overseas where you stayed with some friends. They have just sent you some photos of your holiday.

Write a letter to your friends. In your letter:

- Thank them for the photos and for the holiday.
- Explain why you didn't write earlier.
- Invite them to come and stay with you.