

Task A

You saw this advertisement in your local paper, and you decide to apply. The information provided is too general and you want to know more.

Summer in Britain

Professional English family requires young person (17-22) with good English to look after two children (3 and 5) from July to September. Suitable accommodation and all meals provided. Generous salary and plenty of time off.

Please write to Mrs P Young.

Write a letter of application to Mrs Young in which you introduce yourself and tell her why you are interested in the job. In your letter you should also inquire about the following:

- Where exactly in Britain?
- What level of English expected?
- What sort of accommodation?
- How much money?
- How much free time?

Write a letter of about 120 words to Mrs Young. You don't need to include any dates or postal addresses.

Begin your letter like this:

Dear Mrs Young,

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Begin your letter like this:

E/A 1.

Dear Mrs Young,

I read your advertisement in the Daily Birmingham, and at the moment - just after my eyes ran through the whole thing - I felt very happy and surprised. I'm a student here, in Birmingham, but I'm going to finish my studies this term. I've been here since 2000, so I think my English is acceptable. I can honestly claim that I haven't said a Hungarian word (I'm from Hungary) for nearly about a year now. At home I had three younger sisters and brothers, so I got used to looking after the 'little ones', and I really

love it. It won't be a problem.

And now I'd like to know some missing data which I think shows how ~~seriously~~ seriously take the job.

The adv. didn't say that where do you exactly live. It's not a problem, my summer is absolutely free, so I can travel, but I'd like to know it because of the quality and quantity of luggage to bring.

The other thing is that I didn't really catch the meaning of 'accommodation'. I know, what it exactly means, but I'd like to know what sort of accommodation are you thinking about.

My free time is not the most important thing I need, if I make from Birmingham I won't have any of my friends around me, and - another thing - if I do something I like doing it properly and children ~~need medical attention~~ need medical attention.

The last thing I'd like to know a bit more about is the salary. I've just had my driving licence and I started to separate money to buy a car. With this summer job I'd like to finish this procedure.

Hope you'll find my introduction interesting, I'm looking forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Az E/A 1. mintadolgozat értékelése:

Elérhető pontszám: 15 pont

A feladat teljesítése, a megadott szempontok követése	Hangnem, az olvasóban keltett benyomás	Szövegalkotás	Szókincs, kifejezőmód	Nyelvhelyesség, helyesírás	Íráskép
3	2	2	2	2	1

Összesen: 12 pont

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Begin your letter like this:

Dear Mrs Young,

E/A 2.

My name is _____ I would like to apply for
advertisement. I am 18 years old. I live in Buda-
pest. I am good at English therefore I would like
to go to Britain. Firstly I would ask some
information about job. I do not know (which
country) where exactly in Britain? For example
south or east? Secondly I am interested in
money and free time. How much is this?
I like doing some housework. I had to
do any housework in your house? I would
like to visit some interesting place in Britain
therefore I would ask how much free time
I will have?
Finally you wrote about accomodation. But
(I do not know) you (didn't) did not write about
(the) my room. (In my room there are lot of)
(furniture) My room furnished?
I would be grateful if you can answer as
soon as possible. Thank you very much.

Yours faithfully,

Az E/A 2. mintadolgozat értékelése:

Elérhető pontszám: 15 pont

A feladat teljesítése, a megadott szempontok követése	Hangnem, az olvasóban keltett benyomás	Szövegalkotás	Szókincs, kifejezőmód	Nyelvhelyesség, helyesírás	Íráskép
2	1	2	1	1	1

Összesen: 8 pont

Task B

Recently there has been a lot of discussion about fast food restaurants. You have been asked to write an article for your school magazine commenting on the following statement:

“It is a waste of money to eat at a fast food restaurant.”

Write an article of 200-250 words in which you give your opinion.

Include the following points:

- Quality of food
- Price
- Atmosphere
- Many other places worth going to: cafés, teahouses, etc

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E/B 1.

The increasing number of fast food restaurants all over the world (e.g. in Hungary) brings health, social, and sometimes economical problems. It is hard say, but it looks like people can be fooled by advertisements that tell lies about the cost-effectiveness, and nice clima of these restaurants.

The truth is that these companies don't care about they's customers, neither in providing acceptable services for guests wanting to spend a peaceful evening out, nor making eatable food. What they call "hamburger" is greasy substance, that could be consumed with just one by bite. However that is not advised, unless you want to chew a big piece of fat in your mouth. Spending sometimes 3-4-500 Forints for a gastronomical experience like that make some-people look for other places to visit. After a while, when the smell of fried fat is gone, you feel much better.

The fact, that everywhere you look, you see these bright "fat-fries" makes you feel sick for a moment.

* I cannot take any conclusion about this ~~late~~ story. It's hard to imagine why people are so attracted to these places.

I, personally like chinese food. I'm a returning customer of a nice, little restaurant in the city-center. I must say, that it well worth it's money. The food is awesome, big, and absolutely delicious. The clima is nice, peaceful.

It's a place that I can advise to everyone.

* After all

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Elérhető pontszám: 15 pont

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3	4	2	2	1

Összesen: 12 pont

Just a few years ago, nobody (~~would~~) believed that fast food restaurants, offering everyday meals at ridiculously high prices, would become the most popular way of spending ^{free} free time. If you take your time to examine a sandwich offered at one of the above mentioned ~~to~~ places, you will be both surprised and disappointed. The quality control of American franchise restaurants is based on global statistics, ~~which~~ ^{so} that every single component will suit our needs entirely. For the price of an average sandwich you could get a three-course meal at most diners. Still, a majority of the population is willing to pay twice the price for reliability, and ~~for~~ It's true that entering a ~~dining~~ in a diff. one of these restaurants in any corner of your city, - coming on the world feels a bit like going home. ~~Guests~~ will disagree on some ~~prefer~~ when choosing a fancy restaurant, some go for ~~French~~ French cuisine, some for Italian, other for Chinese. But they will get the same hamburger and French fries in Paris, Rome or Beijing if they can't agree on what to eat. For the same reason, young people will prefer these places when trying to find a place for hanging out with friends. Many of us are familiar with the wide ~~a~~ range of restaurants and cafes in the city, and we visit them ~~whenever~~ we're out of money, or have lots of free time. But as today's average consumer has more money but less time to spend, fast food restaurants will probably remain the easiest (and most popular) way to ~~eat out~~ sit down and eat.

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Az E/B 2. mintadolgozat értékelése

Elérhető pontszám: 15

A feladat teljesítése, a megadott szempontok követése	Szövegalkotás	Szókincs, kifejezőmód	Nyelvhelyesség, helyesírás	Íráskép
3	5	3	3	1

Összesen: 15 pont