

### Estimated Band Scores

Band Descriptors	Task 1	Task 2
Task Achievement/ Task Response	7	6
Coherence and Cohesion	7	7
Lexical Resource	8	7
Grammatical Range Accuracy	8	7
Overall	7	6.5

#### Task 1

Dear Sir/ Madam

I am writing in response to the advert for the position of senior accountant in Jobs Plus Newspaper 10/4/2019.

I am a **commerce** graduate with over three years of experience in Accounting for luxury retail chains, and I have had an opportunity to spend three initial years of my career working with one of the leading Retail businesses in the country as an Accounting Specialist. In addition, I have also been certified as an Accounting Expert by the National Institute of Accountants. **Having Strong** academic background, scoring over 60% marks in all subjects, and possessing the relevant knowledge and experience **makes** my profile the best match for the vacancy.

I am a team player, **posses** good communication skills and have the ability to perform the job independently.

**During last** three years of employment, I gained a rich knowledge of the luxury sector and the desired exposure in the retail industry. I was declared the employee of the year 2018 for constantly implementing the best industrial practices in my previous job. I firmly believe that my education and experience can contribute to the growth of your organization.

Please find enclosed my CV for details regarding my education and experience. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Thanking you in advance.

Yours faithfully

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## Task 2

Nowadays, many people spend a lot of money on weddings. Do the benefits of this outweigh the disadvantages?

Whether lavish marriages are a good trend or not has been a topic of contention among experts from both the developing and developed worlds over the last few years. This essay will discuss both sides using examples from the Indian Government and Delhi University to demonstrate points and prove arguments.

On the one hand there is ample evidence to suggest that majority of people desire to have grand celebrations. The central reason behind this is twofold, firstly organizing grand functions makes the wedding ceremonies more memorable. Secondly, hiring event managers and planning destination weddings boost the economies of various nations as the idle funds are brought into circulation. For example, empirical research by the Indian Government indicates that 75% of the idle funds lying in saving bank accounts are brought in circulation at the time of weddings. It must not be forgotten that tourism industry of several nations, such as Malaysia, Singapore, and Thailand, get a boost due to the tendency people spend lavishly at the time of marriage. Therefore it is conclusively clear that lavish weddings are desirable both the individual and economic viewpoint.

On the other hand although there is a case favoring, the benefits accruing to individuals and society cannot be overstated. This is largely because more often than not, people tend to spend more than their incomes on weddings and end up being indebted to various money lenders and financial institutions. For instance, recent research by Delhi University shows that over 70% of the middle class people borrow from registered as well as unregistered lenders at an exorbitant rate of interest, which usually gets repaid after 5 years on an average. Consistent with this line of thinking is that the social gatherings at the time of marriage can be made enjoyable and memorable by participation of all rather than by the show of money. Thus it can be stated beyond doubt that weddings should be a

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time to celebrate the union of two families, cherish the customs and traditions without spending lavishly.

From the arguments and examples and given I believe that the demerits of weddings outweigh the merits. It is predicted that our society will prefer simple weddings over big weddings in the near future.

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### Examiner's comments:

#### Task 1

۱. Background in qualification به درستی مطرح شد
۲. Experience in similar position کاملا درست
۳. Energy and enthusiasm خیلی چشمگیر نیست. این قسمت باید کمی پررنگ تر بشه. صرف مطرح کردن team player خیلی کامل نیست.
۴. به طور کلی بخش گرامر و لغات مشکل خاصی نداره و پیوستگی مطالب هم خیلی خوبه فقط بخش task achievement مقداری ضعف داره که در کل خیلی خوب بود.

#### Task 2

##### 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph

۱. Introduction خوبه ولی باید به شکل واضح بگی که هدف از نوشتن چیه. در واقع باید به سوال پاسخ بدی اینکه آیا ازدواج تجملاتی بهتره یا نه.

##### 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph

۲. در پاراگراف دوم از عبارت central reason استفاده کردی که در واقع ایده اصلی پاراگراف رو مشخص کنی ولی در ادامه ک گفتی twofold و مورد اول رو ک گفتی همونجا رها کردی و بسطش ندادی. بسط دادن می تونه با توضیحات تکمیلی باشه یا آوردن مثال. ولی برای مورد دوم هم مثال آوردی و هم بسطش دادی. این یک نکته منفی برای شما محسوب میشه که هر ایده رو به شکل مناسب و یکسان ساپورت نمی کنید. پس به اندازه کافی توضیح بده که چه فوایدی داره و چرا. برای مثال گفتی lavish weddings are more memorable خوب چطور، چرا. چرا یک جشن ساده نمیتونه به یاد موندنی باشه.

##### 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph

۳. در پاراگراف دوم از فواید ازدواج پرهزینه گفتی تو شروع پاراگراف سوم on the other hand استفاده کردی. با این عبارت یعنی پاراگراف دوم با سوم در تضاد هست. ولی در ادامه جمله ای آوردی که باز بیان کننده فایده هست. در ادامه پاراگراف که جنبه منفی داره فقط یک مورد رو بیان کردی و توضیح دادی. باید حداقل دو مورد رو بیان می کردی و بسط می دادی.

۴. از عبارت fat weddings در چند جا استفاده کردی، این عبارت کاملا informal محسوب میشه و در نوشتار جایی نداره.

❖ در نهایت با رعایت نکات بالا و کار کردن بیشتر در بخش کاربرد The می تونید نمره بالاتری رو کسب کنید.