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AI IELTS FEEDBACK

A clearer path to a stronger IELTS essay.

WRITING TASK 2

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ESTIMATED BAND 6.0 / TARGET 7.0

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TASK

Original prompt

Access to clean water is a basic human right. Therefore every home should have a water supply that is provided free of charge.

To what extent do you agree or disagree?

Student response

350 words · 4 paragraphs · 19 sentences

Clean water is a basic necessity and is a fundamental human right. Although I claim that accessing clean water without any cost can have some negative for people, I believe that this matter is beneficial for people in terms of hygiene and the economy.

On the one hand, providing clean water for free can have several negative aspects. Firstly, water is a scarce resource that must be consumed responsibly. When individuals can use clean water without any charge, they may be irresponsible. This situation might contribute to overconsumption and reduce water resources around the world, especially in some countries with lack of water. Another reason is that water purification systems can be extremely expensive for governments. To maintain frustrates and facilities, the government is more likely to need sufficient financial resources, allowing them to develop and operate this infrastructure. Therefore, if clean water is without any charge, governments may not have enough funding and may face significant financial pressure.

On the other hand, having access to clean water without any cost has positive effects on human life. The primary reason as to why free clean water is important is that it is essential for survival, helping improve public health. This means that people may be exposed to a large number of bacteria causing serious diseases, such as diarrhea and malaria. When each household has access to clean water without any coast, they can prevent diseases more effectively. For instance, people are able to wash their hands and vegetables regularly, reducing the spread of infections. What is more, this approach can improve the quality of life

for poor families. If low-income people are required to pay for clean water, they may have to spend a large portion of their income, creating financial pressure. When clean water is provided free of charge to every household, families can avoid economic strain and improve their standard of living by saving money.

In conclusion, clean water is an essential resource for humans. While I understand that free water may have some negative impacts, I acknowledge that this approach helps improve individuals' health and economic conditions.

Word count check

350 words – minimum for Task 2 is 250 ☒

 Typical length for a Band 7 answer: **280–320 words**

 Length is not a problem, but a 350-word essay takes longer to write and check. Most of the extra length comes from repeating “clean water” and “without any cost / charge”. Aim for about 300 words and use the time you save to proofread.

AI SCORE REPORT

Your estimated band,
criterion by criterion.

6.0

estimated overall band



Criterion demonstrated



Needs further improvement

IELTS criterion	Checklist	AI score
Task Response	✓ Relevant, well-supported ideas on both sides ✗ Position never stated directly; prompt only partly paraphrased	6.0
Coherence & Cohesion	✓ Clear structure and a good range of linkers ✗ Body 1 ideas are not introduced in their topic sentences	6.5
Lexical Resource	✓ Good topic vocabulary: scarce resource, overconsumption ✗ Wrong words and spelling (frustrates, coast, claim); repetition	6.0
Grammatical Range & Accuracy	✓ Conditionals, participle clauses and concessions ✗ Pronoun agreement, missing nouns; modal verbs overused	6.0

Your gap to the target band

Target **7.0** · Estimated **6.0** · Gap **1.0**

Fastest route: **Task Response** — stating your position clearly in the introduction and the conclusion can raise this criterion without changing any of your ideas. Then **Lexical Resource**: fix word-choice errors and vary “clean water”.

How to read the AI score

These scores are estimated by LingoLite AI using the four official IELTS Writing criteria. They are designed for regular practice and may differ from an examiner’s score. Before your exam, use teacher correction for a more precise evaluation.

About this report

This feedback was generated instantly by LingoLite AI. It is ideal for regular practice and for spotting repeated errors early. For a line-by-line review, a voice analysis and a personal strategy from an IELTS teacher, choose teacher correction.

01

Introduction

Student paragraph

44 words · ■ language error ■ idea / structure issue

Clean water is a basic necessity and is a fundamental human right. Although **I claim** that **accessing** clean water without any cost can have **some negative** for people, **I believe that this matter is beneficial** for people in terms of hygiene and the economy.

Strengths

- ☒ A clear background sentence that links directly to the topic.
- ☒ The concession + opinion structure (**Although ..., I believe ...**) suits an agree/disagree essay.
- ☒ Signals the two main reasons (hygiene and the economy), so the reader knows what is coming.

Weaknesses

- ☒ **Incomplete paraphrase**: the key idea of the prompt – **every home should have free water** – is not restated clearly. **TR**
- ☒ **No direct answer**: “beneficial” does not say how far you **agree**. The examiner looks for a clear position. **TR**
- ☒ **“I claim”** presents the drawback as your own view, which conflicts with “I believe”. → **I accept / I admit** **LR**
- ☒ **“some negative”** – adjective without a noun → **some negative effects** **GRA**
- ☒ **“this matter”** is vague → **this policy** **LR**

💡 **Agree/disagree introduction**: It is often argued that [paraphrase]. Although [concession], I (strongly / largely) agree / disagree, because [reason 1] and [reason 2].

AI-improved version

"It is often argued that, since clean water is a basic human right, every household should receive it free of charge. Although supplying water at no cost may have some drawbacks, I largely agree with this view, mainly because it would improve public hygiene and ease the financial burden on families."

جمع‌بندی

مقدمه ساختار مناسبی دارد، اما دو مشکل اصلی روی معیار Task Response اثر می‌گذارد: بخش دوم صورت سؤال، یعنی رایگان بودن آب برای هر خانه، پارافریز نشده و میزان موافقتت صریح بیان نشده است. با یک جمله‌ی واضح مثل I largely agree موضع‌ت را از همان ابتدا روشن کن.

02

Body paragraph 1**Student paragraph**

115 words · ■ language error ■ idea / structure issue

On the one hand, providing clean water for free can have several negative aspects.

Firstly, water is a scarce resource that must be consumed responsibly. When individuals can use clean water without any charge, they may **be irresponsible**. This situation might contribute to overconsumption and reduce water resources around the world, especially in some countries **with lack of water**. **Another reason** is that water purification systems can be extremely expensive for governments. To maintain **frustrates** and facilities, **the government is more likely to need** sufficient financial resources, **allowing them** to develop and operate this infrastructure. Therefore, if clean water is **without any charge**, governments may not have enough funding and may face significant financial pressure.

Strengths

- ☒ Two relevant drawbacks: overuse of water and the cost to governments.
- ☒ Each idea follows a clear cause → effect chain.
- ☒ Good topic vocabulary: **scarce resource**, **overconsumption**, **purification systems**.
- ☒ Clear sequencing: **On the one hand**, **Firstly**, **Therefore**.

Weaknesses

- ☐ **Idea not introduced clearly**: the first supporting sentence says water is scarce; the actual argument (free water leads to waste) only appears in sentence 3. **CC**
- ☐ **“Another reason”** – this is a drawback, not a reason for your view → **Another drawback** **CC**
- ☐ **“frustrates”** is the wrong word → **infrastructure** **LR**
- ☐ **“the government ... allowing them”** – singular noun, plural pronoun → **governments need ... to develop and operate these systems** **GRA**
- ☐ **Collocations**: “countries with lack of water” → **countries facing water shortages**; “is without any charge” → **is provided free of charge**. **LR**
- ☐ **“they may be irresponsible”** → **they may use it irresponsibly** (the problem is how water is used). **LR**

AI-improved version

“On the one hand, supplying clean water free of charge has some drawbacks. Firstly, free water could encourage people to waste this scarce resource. When individuals do not pay for the water they use, they are less likely to use it carefully, which may lead to overconsumption, especially in countries already facing water shortages. Another drawback is the cost to governments. Water purification systems are extremely expensive, and governments need sufficient funding to build and maintain them. If water were provided free of charge, public budgets could come under significant pressure.”

جمع‌بندی

ایده‌های این پاراگراف مرتبط و قانع‌کننده‌اند و به‌خوبی بسط داده شده‌اند. مشکل اصلی در معرفی ایده‌هاست: جمله‌ی اول هر ایده باید دقیقاً بگوید آب رایگان چه مشکلی ایجاد می‌کند و بعد توضیح و نتیجه بیاورد. خطاهای واژگانی مثل frustrates و ناهماهنگی the government با them با یک بازخوانی کوتاه قابل رفع‌اند.

03

Body paragraph 2

Student paragraph

159 words · ■ language error ■ idea / structure issue

On the other hand, having access to clean water without any cost has positive effects on human life. The primary reason **as to** why free clean water is important is that it is essential for survival, helping improve public health. **This means that people may be exposed** to a large number of bacteria causing serious diseases, such as diarrhea and **malaria**. When each household has access to clean water without any **coast**, they can prevent diseases more effectively. For instance, people are able to wash their hands and vegetables regularly, reducing the spread of infections. What is more, this approach can improve the quality of life for poor families. If low-income people are required to pay for clean water, they **may** have to spend a large portion of their income, creating financial pressure. When clean water is provided free of charge to every household, families can avoid economic strain and improve their standard of living by saving money.

Strengths

- ✓ Strong, relevant support for your position: health and the economy.
- ✓ Specific examples (washing hands and vegetables) make the argument concrete.
- ✓ Good collocations: **public health, economic strain, standard of living, low-income.**

PARAGRAPH-BY-PARAGRAPH FEEDBACK

- ☒ The economic idea links back to the introduction.

Weaknesses

- **✗ Logic gap:** "This means that people may be exposed to bacteria" – the condition is missing → **Without clean water, people are exposed to ... CC**
- **✗ Content accuracy:** malaria is spread by mosquitoes, not by unsafe water → **cholera or typhoid TR**
- **✗ Spelling:** "coast" → **cost LR**
- **✗ Redundancy:** "The primary reason as to why" → **The main reason why LR**
- **⚠ Unnecessary hedging:** "they may have to spend" is the core of your argument, so state it firmly: **they have to spend. TR**
- **⚠ Repetition:** "clean water" appears 11 times in the essay. Vary it with **safe drinking water, a free water supply, this resource. LR**

💡 **Stronger topic sentence:** "On the other hand, I believe that providing every household with free, clean water is essential for two main reasons."

AI-improved version

"On the other hand, I believe that providing every household with free, clean water is essential for two main reasons. The first is public health. Without safe water, people are exposed to bacteria that cause serious water-borne diseases such as diarrhoea and cholera. If every home has a free supply, people can wash their hands and food regularly, which reduces the spread of infection. Economically, free water would also improve the quality of life of low-income families. When they have to pay for water, a large share of their income goes on a basic need, creating severe financial pressure. A free supply would ease this burden and raise their standard of living."

جمع‌بندی

این قوی‌ترین پاراگراف متن است: ایده‌ها مستقیماً از نظرت حمایت می‌کنند و مثال‌ها مشخص‌اند. برای نمره‌ی بالاتر، جمله‌ی اول را صریح‌تر به نظر خودت وصل کن، در جایی که از موضع خودت دفاع می‌کنی کمتر از may و can استفاده کن و درستی مثال‌های علمی را بررسی کن؛ مثلاً malaria از راه آب منتقل نمی‌شود.

04

Conclusion

Student paragraph

33 words · ■ language error ■ idea / structure issue

In conclusion, clean water is an essential resource for humans. While I understand that **free water** may have some negative impacts, I **acknowledge** that **this approach helps improve individuals' health and economic conditions.**

Strengths

- ✓ Clearly signalled with **In conclusion**.
- ✓ Briefly restates both sides of the argument.
- ✓ **While I understand that ...** is a good concession structure.

Weaknesses

- ✗ **No clear final answer:** the conclusion never says whether you agree that water should be free. This alone can hold Task Response at Band 6. **TR**
- ✗ **"acknowledge"** is used to accept the other side, not to give your own opinion → I **firmly believe** **LR**

PARAGRAPH-BY-PARAGRAPH FEEDBACK

- ✗ "free water may have" → providing free water may have – the impact comes from the policy, not from the water. **GRA**
- ⚠ The first sentence repeats a general fact instead of summarising your position. **CC**

💡 **Accepting the other side:** acknowledge / admit / accept / recognise. **Giving your own view:** believe / strongly agree / am convinced / would argue.

AI-improved version

"In conclusion, although providing water free of charge may lead to waste and put pressure on public budgets, I strongly agree that every household should have a free supply of clean water, as this would protect public health and improve the living standards of low-income families."

جمع‌بندی

نتیجه‌گیری باید پاسخ مستقیم به سؤال باشد. در این پاراگراف به جای «موافقم» یا «مخالفم» فقط به فواید اشاره شده و فعل acknowledge هم برای بیان نظر شخصی مناسب نیست. یک جمله‌ی صریح مثل I strongly agree کافی است تا موضعت در پایان مقاله کاملاً روشن شود.

LANG

Language analysis

The key language and accuracy issues the AI found in your essay, each with a corrected version and a short reason.

#	You wrote	Suggested	Type · why
1	Although I claim that	Although I accept that	Vocabulary A concession needs accept / admit, not claim.
2	can have some negative for people	can have some negative effects	Grammar The adjective needs a noun.
3	this matter is beneficial	this policy is beneficial	Vocabulary "This matter" is too vague.
4	countries with lack of water	countries facing water shortages	Collocation Natural academic phrase.
5	Another reason is that	Another drawback is that	Cohesion It is a disadvantage, not a reason.
6	To maintain frustrates	To maintain infrastructure	Vocabulary Wrong word.
7	the government ... allowing them	governments need ... to develop	Grammar Singular noun with a plural pronoun.
8	if clean water is without any charge	if clean water is provided free of charge	Collocation "Provided free of charge" is the fixed phrase.
9	The primary reason as to why	The main reason why	Redundancy "As to" adds nothing.
10	without any coast	at no cost	Spelling coast (sea) → cost (price).
11	diarrhea and malaria	diarrhea and cholera	Accuracy Malaria is spread by mosquitoes.
12	I acknowledge that this approach helps	I strongly agree that this policy should be adopted	Function State your own view directly.

Repetition check

clean water ×11 · water ×16 · without any cost / charge ×5 · may ×6 · can ×7

Vary the key noun: **safe drinking water, a free water supply, this resource**. Keep **may / might** for the opposing view, and use firm verbs (**is, will, would**) when you argue for your own position.

Useful language for this topic

- **a basic human right** – Clean water is a basic human right. (you used this well)
- **a scarce resource** – Water is a scarce resource. (you used this well)
- **water shortages** – Many countries already face water shortages.
- **water-borne diseases** – Unsafe water spreads water-borne diseases such as cholera.
- **free of charge / at no cost** – Water should be supplied free of charge.
- **a heavy financial burden** – Water bills are a heavy financial burden for low-income households.
- **public budgets / public spending** – Free water would put pressure on public budgets.

NEXT

Recommended resources

Selected for the weaknesses found in this essay, in order of priority.

Focus	Resource	Why it helps you
Clear position	LingoLite – IELTS Writing Task 2 guide lingolite.org/blog/ielts/writing/task-2	Essay structure and how to state your opinion clearly.
Topic sentences	LingoLite – Strategies for Band 7+ in Writing lingolite.org/blog/ielts/writing/band-7	How to introduce and develop each idea.
Model essays	LingoLite – Academic Task 2 samples lingolite.org/blog/ielts/writing/academic-task-2-samples	Compare how model essays answer agree/disagree questions.
Common errors	LingoLite – Common IELTS Writing mistakes lingolite.org/blog/ielts/writing/mistakes	Checklist for proofreading word choice and agreement.
Modal verbs	English Grammar in Use – Raymond Murphy (Cambridge) Print / library resource	Units on may / might / can / could, to control hedging.

Priority for the next draft

در پیش‌نویس بعدی: ۱) در مقدمه و نتیجه‌گیری صریحاً بگو چقدر با صورت سؤال موافقی؛ ۲) جمله‌ی اول هر ایده را طوری بنویس که خود ایده را معرفی کند، نه پیش‌زمینه را؛ ۳) وقتی از نظر خودت دفاع می‌کنی، may و can را کمتر کن تا استدلال قاطع‌تر شود؛ ۴) برای clean water از هم‌معنی‌ها استفاده کن.