

SELF-ASSESSMENT ESSAY

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I used a clear 4-paragraph structure (intro, two body paragraphs, conclusion).

My introduction includes the main idea of both passages.

Each body paragraph focuses on one clear point.

My conclusion restates my evaluation in a simple, clear way.

I used specific evidence from both passages (not general statements).

I explained why the evidence supports my evaluation.

I compared the strength of the two authors' arguments.

I avoided personal opinions ("I think...", "I believe...").

My sentences are clear and easy to understand.

My vocabulary is simple but effective (no complicated words needed).

My transitions make the essay flow (ex: however, in contrast, for example).

I stayed focused on the prompt without going off-topic.

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I checked capitalization and punctuation.

My sentences are complete (no fragments/run-ons).

Verb tenses are consistent.

I corrected obvious spelling mistakes.

I wrote at least 300–350 words.

I finished within 45 minutes.

I compared my essay with the model answer.

I wrote a quick reflection (what worked + what I'll improve next time).

REFLECTION NOTES (3-4 SENTENCES)

What I did well::

What I want to improve next time:
