

### Writing Instructions

- Choose either Task 1 (Email/Letter) or Task 2 (Essay). Write on only ONE of these tasks.
- Once you have chosen your task, darken the circle for "Email/Letter" or "Essay" on your writing answer document.
- You will have 30 minutes to write your answer.
- Use #2 (soft) pencil only.
- Use only the lines provided on the writing answer document to complete this section. You should write about one page.
- Do not write your answer in this booklet.
- You will not be graded on the appearance of your paper, but your handwriting must be readable.
- You may use the planning area provided in this booklet, but it will not count toward your score.

### Writing Prompt

#### Task 1: Email

Your high school is considering introducing a new course, either an online safety course or a first-aid course, which will be compulsory for all students. The principal would like students' feedback.

- Write an **email** to the principal expressing your ideas about which course should be introduced. Give reasons to support your ideas.
- Start your email, "Dear Mr. Barrett,"

#### Task 2: Essay

One of the best ways to learn about wild animals is by visiting a zoo.

- Write an **essay** on whether you agree or disagree with the statement above.
- Include specific reasons and examples to support your opinion.

### Remember

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