

Writing Exercise 3: A Day in My Life

Task: Write about your daily routine. Include at least five actions in the simple present tense and five actions in the present progressive.

Guidelines:

- Start with "Every day, I..."
- Describe what you usually do and what you are doing today.
- Use **pronouns** and try to make the writing personal.

Example Starter: Every day, I wake up at 7:00 am. I eat breakfast with my family. Today, I am reading a book while my sister is playing outside.

Scoring Rubric

Criteria (Total: 20 points per exercise)

1. Content (6 points)

- **6 points:** The writing is fully developed with clear ideas, complete sentences, and relevant details.
- **4 points:** The writing has some ideas but lacks depth or detail.
- **2 points:** The writing is very limited with few ideas and little detail.
- **0 points:** The writing does not address the prompt.

2. Grammar and Structure (6 points)

- **6 points:** The writing uses the correct verb tenses consistently (simple past, simple present, present progressive).
- **4 points:** There are a few grammatical errors, but they do not interfere with understanding.
- **2 points:** Frequent grammatical errors make the writing hard to understand.

- **0 points:** The writing has no clear structure or uses incorrect grammar throughout.

3. Vocabulary and Word Choice (4 points)

- **4 points:** The writing uses a variety of vocabulary and descriptive language effectively.
- **3 points:** The writing uses some variety but is somewhat limited in word choice.
- **2 points:** The vocabulary is very basic or repetitive.
- **0 points:** The writing lacks any meaningful vocabulary.

4. Use of Required Elements (4 points)

- **4 points:** All required elements (e.g., quantifiers, pronouns, relative pronouns) are included and used correctly.
- **3 points:** Most required elements are included, with minor errors.
- **2 points:** Some required elements are missing or used incorrectly.
- **0 points:** None of the required elements are present.

Total Score: 0 to 80 points (for all four exercises)

Scoring Example

- **Content:** 5/6
- **Grammar and Structure:** 4/6
- **Vocabulary and Word Choice:** 3/4
- **Use of Required Elements:** 3/4

Total: 15/20 for that exercise.