



GAMSAT Section 2: Practice 3

Consider the following comments and develop a piece of writing in response to one or more of them.

Your writing will be judged on the quality of your response to the theme, how well you organise and present your point of view, and how effectively you express yourself.

Reading time: 5 minutes | Writing time: 60 minutes

TASK A

People demand freedom of speech as a compensation for the freedom of thought which they seldom use.

Everyone is entitled to his own opinion, but not to his own facts.

The only security of all is in a free press.

If we do not believe in freedom of expression for people we despise, we do not believe in it at all.

TASK B

Whatever the imagination seizes as Beauty must be truth -whether it existed before or not.

All little girls should be told they are pretty, even if they aren't.

It is amazing how complete is the delusion that beauty is goodness.

But he who dares not grasp the thorn... Should never crave the rose.