Higher 5 ESOL Writing – Study

Candidate 6

The candidate was awarded 12 marks because of its consistently wide range of grammar and vocabulary in a response that fully achieves the task.

Mark awarded: 12

Content and organisation
The candidate fully achieves the task, using language effectively with clear support for each point made. Writing is coherent and cohesive, devices are used accurately and appropriately, with a positive impact on the reader. Style and layout are generally appropriate with the exceptions of two contractions “that’s” and “doesn’t” in the case of style. Paragraphing is consistent.

Vocabulary and spelling
A wide range of vocabulary is used accurately and effectively, for example, ‘share my thoughts’, ‘life moments’, ‘automatically’, ‘differ’, ‘express their thoughts’, ‘consequently’, ‘time limited’. The range, however, is not optimal. There are occasional errors in spelling such as, ‘curriculumn’.

Grammar and punctuation
A wide range of grammatical structures is used effectively with a high level of accuracy ‘With rapid growth…we need’, ‘instead of improving’, ’in terms of education‘, ’are being typed‘, ’proved that children who used handwriting think faster‘ and a variety of other subordination. Punctuation is consistent and appropriate.