

IELTS NOTES

For Wellington

December 11th, 2024

FANBOYS

Yet:

- I will go to the mall, yet it is far away.
- I dislike the color green, yet my car is green.

So:

- We have no water at home, so I will buy some at the store
- I like studying French, so I will travel to France next year.

Present Tenses:

Present Simple: Subject + Verb 1 + Object

- Facts
- Habitual routines
- Opinions
- Feelings

1. In my opinion, I agree because there are numerous problems with the statement
2. Personally, I disagree
3. I agree and disagree with the statement.

Present Perfect: Subject + has/have + Verb 3 + Object

The role of women in the workforce has evolved significantly over the years, but gender inequality still exists.

1. **The role = The position**
2. **Women = females**
3. **In the workforce = in companies**
4. **Has evolved = has changed**
5. **Significantly = a lot**
6. **Over the years = over time / over the decades / over the centuries**
7. **But = however / yet**
8. **Gender inequality = unequal gender**
9. **Still exists = still present**

The position of females in companies has changed a lot over time, yet unequal gender rights are still present.

Expressions with the Present Perfect:

1. **It has been understood that...**
2. **It is widely accepted that...**

It has been widely understood that the roles of female employees have changed a lot over time, yet unequal gender rights are still present. In my opinion, I agree because there are numerous problems with the issue, and I will discuss gender inequality further.

Subordinating Conjunction

Complex Sentence

1. S + V + O + Subordinating Conjunction + S + V + O
2. Subordinating Conjunction + S + V + O, S + V + O
 - I think that + S + V + O
 - I believe that + S + V + O

Coordinating Conjunction

1. S + V + O, + Coordinating Conjunction + S + V + O

Zero Conditional (100%)

- If + Subject + Verb 1 + Object, S + V1 + O

First Conditional (50-99%)

- If + Subject + Verb 1 + Object, S + will + V1 + O

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Do you agree or disagree with the use of animals in scientific research?

REVIEW

Verbs “Intentions”

- Discuss
- Analyze
- Evaluate

I will discuss my opinion about this issue. **NOT OK**

I will discuss my opinion about pollution. **OK**

Future Simple

Subject + will + Verb 1 + Object

- I will discuss the issue of pollution further.
- I will analyze the issue of gender inequality further.
- I will evaluate the issue of animals in scientific researcher further.

GRAMMAR

Subject + Modal Verb + Verb 1 + Object

- Many people might believe that animals are not helpful in scientific research.
- In society, plenty of individuals may think that monkeys, rats, mice, and rabbits are not helpful in scientific research.

BRAINSTORMING

- Vocabulary
 - By giving examples
 - animals
 - monkeys, rats, mice, and rabbits

Non Defining Relative Clauses:

1. Subject + Verb. + Object, RP + S + V + O

New Zealand is a cold country, which my mother adores.

2. Subject, RP + S + V + O, + Verb + Object

March, when I was born, is my favourite month.

Relative Pronouns (RP)

- Which
- Who
- Where
- When

COMPLEX SENTENCES

1. Subject + Verb + Object + Subordinating Conjunction + S + V + O
2. Subordinating Conjunction + S + V + O, S + V + O
3. I believe that + S + V + O
4. I think that + S + V + O

The use of animals in scientific experiments is a contentious issue.

Do you agree or disagree?

Paraphrase:

- Parts of Speech
 - Scientific (Adjective) -> Science (Noun)
 - Experiments (Plural Noun) -> Experiment (Singular Noun)
- Synonyms
 - Contentious -> Difficult/Challenging
- Examples
 - Animals
 - Mice
 - Rabbits
 - Hamsters

PARAPHRASE

1. The use of = Used in
2. Animals = Mice, rabbits, rats, and hamsters
3. Scientific = science
4. Experiments = experiment / experimentations
5. Is = has been
6. A contentious issue = a challenging/difficult topic.

It has been commonly agreed that mice, rabbits, rats, and hamsters used in science experimentations has been a challenging topic, and in my opinion, I completely agree that animal experimentation might be difficult to accept for many people. In this essay, I will discuss my opinion on animal research further.

WISE MEN TECHNIQUE

- What? NOUN
- When? In/at/on/during/throughout + NOUN
- Where? In/at/on + NOUN
- Who? With + NOUN
- How? by + NOUN

