

Many museums charge for admission while others are free. Do you think the advantages of charging people for admission to museums outweigh the disadvantages?

Red = wrong word purple= word form blue= comments

green=missing word // = new paragraph orange =punctuation

black= spelling

Museum is (Museums are- use plural when talking generally) a place where antique things (informal-objects/items) and earth (what do you mean earth?) are preserved so that the public can view it (them). However, some museums charge an admission fee (try paraphrasing- entry fee), while others do not charge. In my opinion, benefits of charging an admission surpasses its drawbacks .

To begin with ,the Major disadvantage of an admission fee is the reduction in the number of visitors, because majority of individuals tend to visit the museum for the purpose of spending some leisure time.(this clause doesn't fit in with the sentence...why is it important that they go for leisure?) When the museum starts to charge a fee ,people will stop paying a (to) visit there .They will start turning towards other places, like parks to spend their leisure time,As they dont have to buy any tickets for it (them). Moreover,people will be deprived from learning about their country's historical background (these two clauses should become one.)Since,museum (museums) exhibits a variety of artifacts and art forms.Therefore,it helps the public to know more about their country's history and culture.

Apart from **the** aforementioned disadvantages ,this income favours the museum in terms of **O**peration and maintenance because it is utilized for the **maintenance (use a synonym- up keep)** of the museum .**Since, government do not provide enough funds to run a museum. (This sentences is incomplete.)**

Therefore, this admission fee is **essesntial** for purposes such as renovation, paying staff salaries, **and** repairing of damaged relics .Without this money ,museums might shut down.

To conclude ,even though this admission fee results in reduction of visitors ,it is a necessary for the development and operation of the museum.

Task Achievement (6)

- All parts of the task have been addressed. Main body 1 lacks some supporting ideas, but main body 2 is quite strong.
- As it is an opinion essay, include your opinion in main body 1 by adding an extra sentence or two. To get a band 7+ you need to have a CLEAR position throughout the essay.

E.g. Even though some people may be put off by having to pay an entrance fee, I believe the majority of people will be willing to pay such as schools as they want their children to know and understand different parts of their history.

By including a sentence like this at the end of the paragraph, you have re-stated your opinion clearly.

Coherence and Cohesion (6)

- Majority of the essay has some progression.

- Ideas are developed logically with an introduction and discussion of the advantages and disadvantages.
- A range of cohesive devices correctly.
- Conclusion is a little weak, need to paraphrase more.

Lexical Resource (6)

- A good range of vocabulary used suited for the task (artifacts/art forms/ relics)
- Some uncommon vocabulary used (supresses/ deprived)
- some collocations used.
- Informal language used occassionaly

Grammatical Range and Accuracy (6)

- A range of sentences used, but complex sentences tend to have some errors, but doesn't impede communication.
- Common errors- articles, plural forms, punctuation (capital letters)
- "Since, government do not provide enough funds to run a museum."
This sentence is incomplete. Since is a conjunction, so you need another clause to connect to it.
[Since, governments do not provide enough funds to run a museum, finanical aid must be contributed by the visitors.](#)

Overall Band (6)

This essay is much better than the previous ones which I have marked.

Your lexical resource is good for this task, but you are let down by the lack of synonyms used. Remember to paraphrase the question in the introduction, otherwise you will be marked down for copying.

You have tried hard to correct your sentences and now show a range of simple and complex sentences, rather than just using compound sentences. Although, you still have a number of errors, they don't usually impede the communication.

Errors which keep reoccurring in your essays are the use of plural forms and article. Study more on these areas to help eliminate them.