

IBDP ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS

WRITING

Choose ***one*** of the topics below and write a well-structured essay of 180 to 230 words developing your arguments and supporting them with examples.

- A) In the article "*School is Bad for Children*", how does John C. Holt present the difference between "real learning" and "school learning"?

In your response, you may consider:

His view of children's natural curiosity
The role of teachers and authority
The impact of grades and competition

- B) In the article "*School is Bad for Children*", do you agree with John C. Holt's claim that school harms children's natural curiosity? Why or why not?