# Lesson 4 – Argumentative essay

**WRITING TASK 2**

You should spend about 40 minutes on this task.

Write about the following topic:

> ***The media should limit how much bad news they report because it discourages people from doing activities which usually involve very little risk.***
>
> ***To what extent do you agree or disagree?***

Give reasons for your answer and include any relevant examples from your own knowledge or experience.

Write at least 250 words.

a. *Plan for the essay*
b. *Write a short paragraph*

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**a. Outline the essay**

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| Argument for | |
| Reasons/Examples | |
| Argument against | |
| Reasons/Examples | |
| Opinion | |



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Write your body paragraphs

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