

for and against essays

Reality TV shows

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➤ Preparation

Are these arguments for or against reality TV shows? Write them in the correct group. Follow the order.

❶ There are lots of different types of reality shows.	❷ Some competitions are very difficult or dangerous.		
❸ People on reality shows have fun experiences and meet new people.	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 10px; vertical-align: top;"> ❹ They can discover talented people. </td> <td style="width: 50%; padding: 10px; vertical-align: top;"> ❺ They are fun to watch. </td> </tr> </table>	❹ They can discover talented people.	❺ They are fun to watch.
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❾ Reality TV is not an easy way to become famous.	❿ Some people on reality shows behave badly.		

For reality TV shows	Against reality TV shows

FOLLOW THIS STRUCTURE:

- 1. INTRODUCTION = THE SITUATION**
- 2. ARGUMENTS FOR REALITY TV SHOWS**
- 3. ARGUMENTS AGAINST TV SHOWS**
- 4. CONCLUSION = WRITER'S OPINION**

USE THESE LINKERS:

HOWEVER
FURTHERMORE
ONE ADVANTAGE OF
FIRSTLY
IN ADDITION
ON THE OTHER HAND

REALITY TV SHOWS ARE A GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

Write an opinion essay (100–150 words)