



O'level
Foundation
Week 7

The Write Tribe

COMPO PLANNING

Composition Topic

Nowadays, parents put too much pressure on their children to succeed by enrolling them in various classes outside school. Is this positive or negative development?

Positive

Negative

NO!
It is
**NEGATIVE
DEVELOPMENT!**

3. There are healthier ways to develop a child

*Helicopter parenting isn't the only way. Have you heard of
free-range parenting?*

Instead of monitoring every activity of your child like Helicopter Parents do, Free-Range parents give children enough autonomy wherever possible to ensure they grow up to be self-reliant. The idea of "free range" comes from livestock that are kept under natural conditions. Children under free-range parenting have the independence and autonomy to dictate many aspects of their lives without having their parents constantly monitoring them. Free range parents help build their children's confidence and self-sufficiency by encouraging them to learn as they go and not butting in all the time. Parents do not dictate their schedule and allow the children to have unstructured play time instead of engaging them in structured activities. Time spent outdoors on their own is also emphasised over screen time or indoor supervised play. Free range parents make critical decisions such as education and house rules, but the line is drawn at decisions that children can make on their own.

**They have less
stress**

**They learn to
solve problems
on their own**

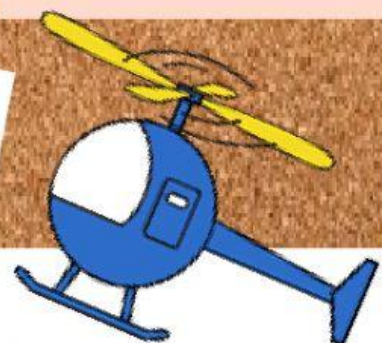
**They learn to be
self-reliant**

**They manage
their own time**

**They pursue what
interest them**

**They face
consequences
and learn from
experiences**

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QUIZ TIME!

1. Gearing towards high achievement in exams _____

- a. help children do better in school and life.
- b. affects children's social skills, health and overall happiness negatively

2. According to the research above, does being result-orientated make the future generation more materialistic?

- a. Yes
- b. No

3. A toxic environment can kill brain cells?

- a. True
- b. False

4. Stress and abuse produces more _____?

- a. Dopamine
- b. Vasopressin
- c. Cortisol

5. Cortisol causes _____

- a. children to become more intelligent
- b. brain cells to wither



6. What is the prefrontal cortex for?

- a. Fight or flight response
- b. Making decisions

7. High level of stress can affect the development of the prefrontal cortex

- a. True
- b. False

8. I love monitoring every activity of my child. I ensure her timetable is filled with activities that will help develop her. I am a _____ parent.

- a. free range
- b. helicopter

9. I encourage children to learn as they go and not butt in all the time. I believe they should have independence and autonomy. I am a _____.

- a. free range
- b. helicopter





Which side are you?

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WHY? ADD YOUR OWN THOUGHTS HERE.

INTRODUCTION

Thesis statement

because

Supporting claim #1

and

Supporting claim #2

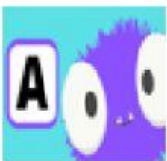
Paragraph 2



Topic sentence



Explanation



An example



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Paragraph 3



Topic sentence



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CONCLUSION

THESIS
RESTATEMENT

SUMMARIZE
SUBPOINTS

FINAL
IMPRESSION

