

EXERCISE 3

Read the IELTS Writing Task 2 question.

It is sometimes said that old friendships are as valuable as family relationships. Do you agree or disagree?

Then read the information. Highlight the three parts of the conclusion that paraphrase the underlined words from the question.

When you write the conclusion to your IELTS Writing Task 2 essay you should *paraphrase* the main points of the question instead of repeating them exactly. Remember: paraphrasing is when you use *different words to say the same thing*.

Conclusion

In conclusion, I agree that old friendships are extremely valuable but I disagree that friends are as important as relatives.