

WRITING

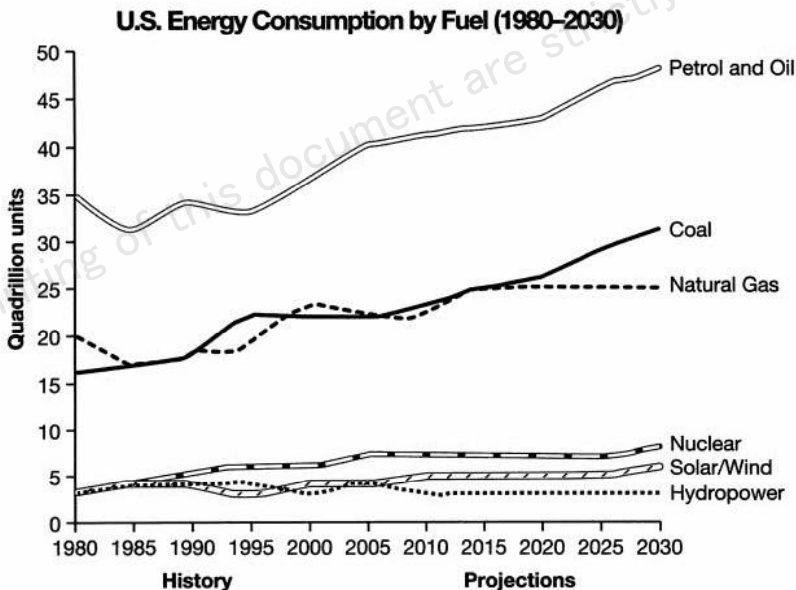
WRITING TASK 1

You should spend about 20 minutes on this task.

The graph below gives information from a 2008 report about consumption of energy in the USA since 1980 with projections until 2030.

Summarise the information by selecting and reporting the main features, and make comparisons where relevant.

Write at least 150 words.



WRITING TASK 2

You should spend about 40 minutes on this task.

Write about the following topic:

Every year several languages die out. Some people think that this is not important because life will be easier if there are fewer languages in the world.

To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

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

Write at least 250 words.

SPEAKING

PART 1

The examiner asks the candidate about him/herself, his/her home, work or studies and other familiar topics.

EXAMPLE

Bicycles

- How popular are bicycles in your home town? [Why?]
- How often do you ride a bicycle? [Why/Why not?]
- Do you think that bicycles are suitable for all ages? [Why/Why not?]
- What are the advantages of a bicycle compared to a car? [Why?]

PART 2

Describe a person who has done a lot of work to help people.

You should say:

- who this person is/was
- where this person lives/lived
- what he/she has done to help people
- and explain how you know about this person.

You will have to talk about the topic for one to two minutes.

You have one minute to think about what you are going to say.

You can make some notes to help you if you wish.

PART 3

Discussion topics:**Helping other people in the community**

Example questions:

What are some of the ways people can help others in the community? Which is most important?

Why do you think some people like to help other people?

Some people say that people help others in the community more now than they did in the past. Do you agree or disagree? Why?

Community Services

Example questions:

What types of services, such as libraries or health centres, are available to the people who live in your area? Do you think there are enough of them?

Which groups of people generally need most support in a community? Why?

Who do you think should pay for the services that are available to the people in a community? Should it be the government or individual people?