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Revising



After checking the first draft, it is time to write the second draft. Read the tip boxes carefully. They will give you much help on writing up the second draft!

Second Draft

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Capitalise the first letter of each word of the title.

~~love should wait~~

Love Should Wait

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'Controversy' is uncountable. Use an appropriate quantifier.

Over the years, there has been ~~many~~ much controversy over the issue of teenage dating. While most parents insist that it is too early for secondary students to start dating, many teenagers argue that they are

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Cross out a redundant conjunction in this sentence.

mature enough to handle love relationships. ~~Although~~ love and romance seems appealing, but dating is not as simple as an issue we might think. I would like to take this opportunity to explain why students should not start dating in secondary school.

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What is the reason?

To start with, students' studies will be adversely affected if they enter a relationship. The reason behind is not difficult to understand. Since quite a lot of students lack

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What connective can you use to show cause and effect relationship?

self-control and may not be able to prioritise things which are important to them, they may spend most of their time dating and hanging out with their lovers. As a result, their academic results will become worse.



Another reason worth mentioning is that teenagers may simply be too young to deal with potential emotional problems associated with love affairs. It is not common

uncommon for us to hear that many teenagers resort to extreme means such as suicide when they encounter relationship issues. Not long before, a 15-year-old boy plunged to his death after being dumped by his girlfriend. This incident has borne witness to the vulnerability of teenagers

Aside from this, more problems may occur when sex comes into play in the relationship. As we all know, most

teenagers are curious to about sex and they must may have the desire to become physically intimate with their lovers. This may result in serious consequences for teenagers, including pregnancy or even contracting sexually transmitted diseases.

I hope I have made it clear that teenagers are still too young to start a love relationship at this stage. In short, they should concentrate on studying instead of developing a romantic relationship. Love and romance can wait. If love is an experience of life as someone claims, enjoy it later when we are more prepared—both physically and psychologically.

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Use an appropriate **adjective** here.

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Give an **example** of **extreme** means to elaborate the point.

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Replace 'to' with a correct **preposition** here.

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Use another **modal verb** to suggest possibility.

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Give two possible **consequences** of premature sex.