**Practice Test 1 - Writing Task 1: Writing an Email**

Time : **27 minutes**

**Read the following information.**

**Noisy Teenagers**   
  
You live in a house near a park. Recently, a lot of teenagers have been meeting in the park at night. They are very noisy.

**In about 150-200 words, write a letter to the local government. Explain the problem and ask them to help solve the problem. Your email should do the following things:**

* Provide information about where you live.
* Explain the problem and how it affects your life.
* Suggest a way to solve the problem.

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To whom it may concern at the government department,

This letter is regarding to the noise issue that I have been experiencing lately.

I am living at an apartment building next to MacDonald Park in Kingston Ontario. Since April, a lot of teenagers have been meeting in MacDonald Park every night to skateboard. They usually turn up the music and I can hear it at my apartment at level twelve. Occasionally, I hear fireworks too. The noise they produced has been seriously affecting the quality of my sleep. I have not been able to get a good sleep for a month and I had to take sleeping pills. The lack of sleep not only negatively affects my work performance during the day, but also my health and stress level.

I strongly recommend the local government to consider restricting the opening hours of MacDonald Park. The park should be closed by nine at night. This will provide the neighbourhood better living environment and avoid unnecessary noise complaints.

Thank you.   
  
Best regards,   
Ben J. Fontaine