

CELPIP Writing Practice Test 6

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Task	Topic	Timing
Task 1: Writing an Email	Thank-You After a Food Bank Shift	Time: 27 minutes Length: 150–200 words
Task 2: Responding to Survey Questions	Neighborhood Green Space vs. Parking Lot	Time: 26 minutes Length: 150–200 words

How to take this test

1. Do both tasks in one sitting: 27 minutes for Task 1, then 26 minutes for Task 2.
2. Type your answers in a plain text editor with spell check turned off, as in the real test, and aim for 150–200 words.
3. Compare with the sample answers at the end: did you cover every point, organise paragraphs and use a suitable tone?

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Task 1: Writing an Email

Time: 27 minutes · Length: 150–200 words

Thank-You After a Food Bank Shift

Last Saturday, you spent your first morning volunteering at a food bank in Saskatoon, sorting donations and packing food hampers. You enjoyed the experience very much, but you noticed that some parts of the work were disorganized and slowed the volunteers down.

Write an email to the volunteer coordinator in about 150-200 words. Your email should do the following things:

Tell the coordinator what you enjoyed about volunteering.

Describe a problem you noticed and suggest how to solve it.

Ask about volunteering again in the future.

Your answer: _____ words

Task 2: Responding to Survey Questions

Time: 26 minutes · Length: 150–200 words

Neighborhood Green Space vs. Parking Lot

Your local government has an empty lot in your neighborhood and wants resident input on its use, noticing debates about parking needs versus green space desires. They've sent a survey to hear your preference, aiming to choose a plan that improves daily life for most people. This is your chance to shape your community!

Which option do you prefer? Why?

- Option A: Convert the space into a community park with trees and walking paths.
- Option B: Use the space to create a parking lot for residents and visitors.

Your answer: _____ words

Sample answers

One strong answer for each task. Use them for ideas, structure and vocabulary, not to memorise: examiners notice memorised answers.

Task 1: Thank-You After a Food Bank Shift

Excellent sample answer (written at around CLB 11–12, an estimate, not an official score)

Dear Ms. Bergen,

Thank you for such a warm welcome at the food bank last Saturday. It was my first volunteer shift, and I left feeling genuinely inspired.

What I enjoyed most was the atmosphere. The regular volunteers were patient with newcomers like me, and by mid-morning we had packed more than sixty hampers. Watching families collect them, some with young children in tow, made the effort feel very worthwhile.

If I may offer one suggestion, the sorting area could be organized more efficiently. Donations arrived in mixed boxes, and several of us were unsure where items belonged or how strictly to check expiry dates, so we often had to stop and ask. Clearly labelled bins, along with a five-minute briefing at the start of each shift, would help new volunteers work confidently from the beginning.

I would very much like to make this a regular commitment. Could you let me know whether any weekday evening shifts are available, and whether my 16-year-old son could join me? He is keen to help and needs volunteer hours for school.

Thank you again for everything you do.

Warm regards,

Olena Kovalenko

Basic and good answers for this task: celpass.com/celpip/writing/task-1-writing-an-email/samples/appreciation-for-community-food-bank-volunteering

Task 2: Neighborhood Green Space vs. Parking Lot

Excellent sample answer (written at around CLB 11–12, an estimate, not an official score)

I advocate for transforming the vacant lot into a community park, a decision that promises enduring benefits for our neighborhood's health, aesthetics, and social fabric. Urban green spaces are proven to combat pollution and regulate temperatures, countering the environmental strain a parking lot would impose through heightened emissions and congestion.

A park also addresses the pressing need for recreational areas in our community. Residents, especially those without private gardens, would gain a vital space for physical activity and relaxation, fostering improved mental well-being—an outcome no asphalt expanse could replicate.

The social advantages are equally compelling. With walking paths and open areas, the park would encourage interaction, strengthening community ties and offering a safe haven for children to play. Admittedly, parking shortages concern some, yet expanding public transit or optimizing existing lots presents a smarter fix than sacrificing this opportunity.

In choosing a park, we invest in a sustainable, vibrant future over short-term convenience. It's a vision I wholeheartedly endorse for our neighborhood's long-term prosperity.

Basic and good answers for this task: celpass.com/celpip/writing/task-2-responding-to-survey-questions/samples/neighborhood-green-space-vs-parking-lot

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