



# GAMSAT Section 2:

## Practice 7

*Consider the following comments and develop a piece of writing in response to one or more of them.*

*Your writing will be judged on the quality of your response to the theme, how well you organise and present your point of view, and how effectively you express yourself.*

Reading time: 5 minutes | Writing time: 60 minutes

### TASK A

A patriot must always be ready to defend his country against his government.

People who enjoy waving flags don't deserve to have one.

Every actual democracy rests on the principle that not only are equals equal but unequals will not be treated equally.

Our true nationality is mankind.

### TASK B

I not only use all the brains that I have, but all I can borrow.

The question is not yet settled, whether madness is or is not the loftiest intelligence.

It is not that I'm so smart. But I stay with the questions much longer.

Mediocrity knows nothing higher than itself; but talent instantly recognizes genius.