

THINK ABOUT IT, WRITE ABOUT IT!

(BOTH TOPICS TAKEN FROM ACTUAL CELC ADMINISTRATIONS
PRIOR TO SPRING 2012)

MSU-CELC Test of English Writing Ability

INSTRUCTIONS FOR WRITING ABILITY SECTION:

For this section of the test, a proctor has given you a special answer form.

Using a Number 2 pencil **ONLY**, write as much as you can, as well as you can, in an original composition on **ONE** of the two topics below. You have 35 minutes to complete the composition.

1. Some people have proposed banning cars from the downtown area of large cities. They say this will encourage the use of public transportation. Do you think this proposal is a good idea? Explain why or why not. Be sure to support your answer with examples, reasons, and explanations.

OR

2. Compare the lifestyle of your parents when they were children with your own childhood. Then discuss who had the greatest freedom and who had the most fun. Be sure to support your answer with examples, reasons, and explanations.