

Self assessment discursive writing



Look at the work you have just completed.

Have you included all of the things on this list?

Put a tick by the things you have included in your writing.

In total I wrote 4 paragraphs.	
My first paragraph is an introduction.	
In my first paragraph I have a rhetorical question.	
In paragraph 2, I wrote a topic sentence, which started with <i>There are...</i>	
In paragraph 2, I wrote 3 main ideas showing advantages (for)/disadvantages (against).	
For each main idea I wrote supporting details.	
In paragraph 3, I started with a linking phrase like: <i>Having said all that, However, or On the other hand.</i>	
After the linking phrase I wrote a topic sentence, which started with <i>There are...</i>	
In paragraph 3, I wrote 3 main ideas showing advantages (for) /disadvantages (against).	
For each main idea I wrote supporting details.	
Paragraph 4 is the conclusion, I started my paragraph with <i>Overall..., In conclusion..., or To sum up...</i>	
In paragraph 4, I gave an overview of the two sides of the discussion.	
In paragraph 4, I stated which side of the discussion I support, along with the reasons why.	

Are there any elements which you have not ticked?

If there are, what will you do now to improve your work?