

## TEST 4, WRITING TASK 2

This is an answer written by a candidate who achieved a **Band 7.0** score.

World has become digitised. It is like more convinient to the people around world whereever he/she is can use their mobile app and order something in just fraction of seconds. In my opinion development has equal advantages and disadvantages.

To begin with brighter side first, it is time-saving you do not need to invest your time in travelling from your house to shop and then asking and wondering instead just look in your gadget and pay from their, they will deliver at your door-step. There are heavy discounts of branded things so it will attract more customers. There is always free shipping so you do not need to pay any extra money for the product you have purchased. For an instance if you are buying an air conditioner then check the cost in the local shop near your area and on mobile phones it is much more cheaper online.

Now lets have a look at darker side, information gets misused. Credit card or debit cards which you use to pay money sometimes gets licked. For example if your card number gets licked than sometimes wrong people say that I am calling from so and so bank please give me your pin number so that your card will work properly. In this way if customer gives pin number then their bank balance will become empty. In clothing material differs. It is not always what you see is what you get.

To summarize with every coin has two sides in the same way paying for goods with the help of cellphone is advantageous as well as dangerous. If proper security is imposed in apps while doing transaction then also it can overcome only one disadvantage.

Here is the examiner's comment:

The candidate's position is stated in the opening paragraph and the candidate goes on to outline some advantages and disadvantages of the subject. The example about fraudsters obtaining credit and debit card pin numbers is not totally relevant to the argument, although it is perhaps comparable to people hacking into a phone and stealing security details. Ideas are presented logically and there is a clear progression throughout the answer. Cohesive devices are used [*To begin with* | *For example* | *To summarize*], although there are occasional errors [*For an instance* / *For instance* | *lets* / *let's*]. The range of vocabulary is wide enough to show some less common items and collocations [*time-saving* | *heavy discounts* | *free shipping* | *misused* | *pin number* | *bank balance* | *advantageous*]. However, there are also some errors in spelling [*convinient* / *convenient* | *whereever* / *wherever* | *their* / *there* | *licked* / *leaked* | *than* / *then* | *imposedd* / *embedded?*], in dependent prepositions [*deliver at* / *to your doorstep* | *heavy discounts of* / *on branded things*] and in word formation [*digitised* / *digitalised*]. There is a variety of complex structures with occasional errors [*around (the) world* | *fraction of seconds* / *a fraction of a second* | *In my opinion (this) development* | *To begin with (the) brighter side first* | *much more cheaper* / *much cheaper* | *if (the) customer gives (his/her) pin number* | *To summarize with* / *To summarise* | *with the help of (a) cellphone*].