End Stage 2 English – Discussion – Grade D

Discussion
Should Year 4 Children Be Given Homework?

Many people argue about whether or not Year 4 children should be given homework.

Some people feel that children should be given homework. Some people feel that children should be given homework because they need to learn at school and at home. Some children need more help.

Others say that children who don’t take work seriously will never learn. Why give them homework?

Finally, it would be a good idea to give homework to those who need it.

Grade Commentary

Chris has demonstrated a basic understanding of this form. The structure is evident and two different sides of the argument have been presented. The arguments are disjointed, however, and the point of view is somewhat confused. The spelling and grammar are adequate but the conclusion does not adequately answer the question.

Chris’s response demonstrates characteristics of work typically produced by a student performing at a grade D standard.