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PART 2

Stage 1 Player Of The Year 2020/21

I have a genuine love and great interest in cricket. I started playing cricket as a fun weekend sport. But soon, as I started my second season I took it as a challenge for myself. I wanted to improve my game and skills. So my dad and I regularly went to the cricket nets and he would teach me and help me learn more about the sport. After watching him play and his true desire for cricket, he became my role model. I managed to score some good runs, and **for that** my club awarded me **with the** Stage 1 Player of the Year award. My dad has continued to assist me and sacrificed a lot for me, so for that, I thank him. My mum would always take me to my training and games on time, and she was also a big part of it. And of course, my teammates and coach **who** always supported me.

Excellence In Debating

I have a sheer passion for public speaking and debating. One day, the lunch announcements were on and whoever wished to compete and represent our school in the Public Speaking Competition for Stage 1. I went to try out for fun and to my surprise, I got selected. A couple of years later, I got introduced to debating **and that was the one that** **which** stood out to me more than public speaking. Our RFF teacher would come to our class and take class debates, and she asked me if I was interested in representing our school in the **Premier's Premier** Debating Stage 2 Competition. We managed to win the Zone Competition and came runners-up in the Western Sydney Debating Competition. As a small reward, I also got an Excellence in Debating for 2022 award **at on** Presentation Day. My teacher always supported me and put all her faith in me. I would like to thank her for all her efforts and all the things she has taught me about debating which made me become a confident public speaker.

School President/Captain

“A leader is the one who knows the way, goes the way and shows the way.” I am very fond of public speaking hence becoming a leader is something that interested me. Every year, students from Year 5 who wish to become **a** school **leaders**, perform a speech and the school hosts an election. I figured that this was the perfect opportunity for me. I watched many speeches and Martin Luther King Junior became my role model. I managed to pass the class and grade rounds to finally present a speech in front of the entire school. On Presentation Day, I was officially announced **as** the School President for 2022. My parents and I would stay up late at night changing and helping me with my speech. For that, I thank them as they supported me and continued to assist me.

This was an exceptional journey of achievements and inspiration you shared and that's great to know about your marvellous talents and potential.

You may work on the highlighted parts of the sentences to improve clarity, sometimes writing longer phrases and sentences may make your main idea ambiguous. While you can choose a shorter phrase, to sum up, your thoughts. This will make your speech/ sound conspicuous and plausible.

Moreover, you may add a bit more emotional quotient to your writing. Utilise the variety of words through wordhippo, and incorporate emotions within your writing so that others can relate to you.

You have to work on the grammar as well, there are noticeable lapses in your grammar which may be the reason for your mark deduction.

Otherwise, you did simply amazingly, keep up the hard work and keep chasing your dreams.