

Part 2:

Paragraph 1: When I was growing up, education had an enormous part in my life. When my parents told me about OC, I knew that this could help boost my learning and let me meet new people. I had two options I was going for: Ulara and Alexandria Park Community School. I studied **really** hard in maths, reading and thinking skills. I was **really** nervous when the days flew by and I studied harder and harder, determined to get into one of the OC classes. And then, a few months after the test, I found out that I was offered a place at Alexandria Park Community School, and that I was on the waiting list for Ulara, so I picked Alexandria. I want to thank my parents for encouraging me and pushing me onward, and for telling me about OC, or else I wouldn't even know about it.

Paragraph 2: When I was at school, my favourite subject was maths. When I got into Opportunity Class, we had to do Math Olympiad, and I was really happy to get the opportunity, and I tried my hardest at it. There were questions about all different topics: number cubes, area, surface area... five questions and only half an hour to complete them. I calmed down and tried my hardest anyway. When our results came out, I was a top 25 % achiever. I **really** want to thank my parents and teachers for helping me and teaching me, at home and **at** school.

Paragraph 3: When I was at school, I was not a fan of public speaking at all. I was very shy, but when I moved to OC, my parents encouraged me to try debating. I was **really** nervous when I was chosen, but with all my **friend's** encouragement, I felt more confident along my path. I want to thank my peers and parents for encouraging me along my path of debating, and my debating teacher for teaching me how to debate properly and how to structure a debating argument and rebuttal.

That's exceptionally amazing that you work hard and achieve your goals, you added some anecdotes which helped us understand your passion and potential.

You may address a few lapses in your writing. You need to work on your vocabulary and utilise a variety of words to express your thoughts eloquently.

Use advanced vocab and add high-impact emotions to move your readers.

Avoid using filler words, i.e. really repetitively. It shows a lack of confidence. Instead, choose a powerful synonym from wordhippo that shows your conviction and plausibility of your ideas.

Hope you find this feedback beneficial, keep up the great work!

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