

Section 1:

#1: "There is one particular person that opens my eyes and that's Phoebe Litchfield. Not only is she a good cricketer, but she stays persistent and determined, no matter what. She could never have achieved being the first woman batter to score three 50-plus scores in a three-match ODI series both against India, or being the youngest Australian woman to score an ODI century without persistence and determination."

a. Strengths:

- You effectively introduce your subject and provide specific achievements.
- You emphasise key qualities (persistence and determination) that contribute to success.

b. Weaknesses: Main issue: Lack of cohesion The opening sentence feels disconnected from the rest of the paragraph. You jump from a general statement to specific achievements without a smooth transition. The phrase "opens my eyes" is vague and doesn't clearly connect to the achievements you later mention.

c. Exemplar: "Phoebe Litchfield's remarkable cricket career exemplifies the power of persistence and determination. Her achievements, including being the first woman batter to score three 50-plus scores in a three-match ODI series against India and becoming the youngest Australian woman to score an ODI century, are a testament to these qualities."

#2: "One ethical dilemma that I faced involved being bullied. Lots of people think I'm an easy target to bully. Ever since I found out about my interest in cricket, and what Phoebe Litchfield's mindset is, I always believed that encountering challenges creates the birth of success, and to be mentally robust whenever I get challenges coming my way."

a. Strengths:

- You make a personal connection to the subject.
- You demonstrate how Litchfield's mindset has influenced your own thinking.

b. Weaknesses: Main issue: Underdeveloped ideas The ethical dilemma mentioned at the beginning is not fully explored or connected to the rest of the paragraph. The transition from bullying to cricket and Litchfield's mindset feels abrupt and needs more explanation.

c. Exemplar: "Facing bullying presented me with an ethical dilemma: how to respond to negativity without compromising my values. Inspired by Phoebe Litchfield's resilient mindset in cricket, I've come to view such challenges as opportunities for personal growth and developing mental robustness."

#3: "What Phoebe Litchfield's actions won't just keep on influencing me, but will also guide other people through hard times as well, whether they like cricket or not. This legacy constructed by one of the best women cricket players will provide a blueprint of how to deal with challenges and will leave a new mindset in my heart and soul."

a. Strengths:

- You broaden the impact of Litchfield's influence beyond yourself.
- You conclude with a strong statement about the lasting impact on your mindset.

b. Weaknesses: Main issue: Overstatement The claims made about Litchfield's influence are quite broad and not fully substantiated. The phrase "one of the best women cricket players" needs more context or evidence to support it.

c. Exemplar: "Phoebe Litchfield's approach to challenges in cricket offers valuable lessons that extend beyond the sport. Her resilience and determination provide inspiration for navigating difficulties in various aspects of life, leaving a lasting impression on my own approach to obstacles."

Actionable task: Rewrite the first paragraph, focusing on creating a clear connection between Litchfield's qualities and her specific achievements. Ensure each sentence flows logically from the previous one to improve overall cohesion.

Overall score: 42/50

Section 2: Revision Guidelines

There is one particular person ~~that~~ [who] opens my eyes and that's Phoebe Litchfield. Not only is she a good cricketer, but she stays persistent and determined, no matter what. She could never have achieved being the first woman batter to score three 50-plus scores in a three-match ODI series ~~both~~ against India, or being the youngest Australian woman to score an ODI century without persistence and determination. #1 With achievements also comes challenges. At the age of 18, she ~~was secured~~ [secured] a spot in the Australian International Cricket Team, which was not easy for her on an international level at that age. She also had to deal with severe pressure, since she was playing for her whole country. Like many cricketers, she experienced periods of low performance, such as during the Women's Ashes in 2023, but she bounced back with strong scores in subsequent matches.

#2 One ethical dilemma that I faced involved being bullied. Lots of people think I'm an easy target to bully. Ever since I found out about my interest in cricket, and what Phoebe Litchfield's mindset is, I always believed that encountering challenges creates the birth of success, and to be mentally robust whenever I get challenges coming my way. Her dedication, intrepidity and discipline to the sport ~~is~~ [are] sublime and perpetual, motivating me to charge and step forward to challenge scepticism.

#3 ~~What~~ [How] Phoebe Litchfield's actions ~~won't~~ [will] just keep on influencing me, but will also guide other people through hard times as well, whether they like cricket or not. This legacy constructed by one of the best women cricket players will provide a blueprint of how to deal with challenges and will leave a new mindset in my heart and soul.