

### #1: Interview question response

Strengths: a) You clearly state your career goal of becoming a doctor. b) You explain how the school's quality education aligns with your aspirations.

Weakness: Lack of specificity Your response is quite general and lacks concrete details about the school's offerings. For instance, you mention "good teaching for academic results" without specifying what makes the teaching particularly effective.

Exemplar: "This school's renowned medical programme, state-of-the-art laboratories, and partnerships with local hospitals will provide me with the comprehensive education and hands-on experience necessary to excel as a doctor."

### #2: Introduction of characters (Ada Lovelace and Zahi)

Strengths: a) You introduce interesting characters with unique backgrounds. b) You create intrigue by hinting at mysterious events (the rapidly growing plant and the prophecy).

Weakness: Underdeveloped characterisation While you introduce Ada and Zahi, their personalities and motivations remain vague. For example, you mention Ada's intellectual background but don't show how it affects her actions or thoughts.

Exemplar: "Ada's scientific mind raced, analysing the plant's accelerated growth against everything she had learned from her extensive reading. 'This defies all known botanical principles,' she muttered, her excitement growing with each passing second."

### #3: Climax and resolution

Strengths: a) You create tension with the chaotic changes in the town. b) You provide a resolution to the time travel problem.

Weakness: Rushed pacing The climax and resolution feel abrupt and underdeveloped. For instance, the old man appears and solves the problem too quickly, without much explanation or struggle from the characters.

Exemplar: "The trio debated furiously, weighing the consequences of destroying the artefact against the mounting chaos around them. Zahi's hand trembled as he raised the stone, the weight of their decision hanging heavy in the air."

Actionable task: Rewrite the climax and resolution, focusing on slowing down the pacing. Describe the characters' thoughts and emotions as they grapple with their

decision, and provide more detail about how destroying the artefact affects the time anomalies.

Overall score: 42/50