

Section 1:

#1 (Opening paragraph): Strengths:

- Strong scene-setting with vivid sensory details of the developers and their actions
- Effective use of dialogue to create tension and reveal the plot conflict

Weaknesses: Inconsistent Point of View → Your writing shifts between perspectives, particularly in describing Mia's observations. Phrases like "their malicious eyes seethed with greed" and "their potbellies were making them look like sumo wrestlers" feel disconnected from Mia's viewpoint.

Exemplar: "Mia watched as the developers huddled near the fountain, their voices low but clear enough for her to catch fragments about 'unprecedented profits' and 'unfathomable gains.' Their cigarette smoke tainted the park's clean air."

#2 (Middle section about gathering votes): Strengths:

- Good pacing of action with clear stakes
- Strong emotional investment in the environmental cause

Weaknesses: Rushed Plot Development → Your story accelerates too quickly from problem to solution. The convenience of Amy's mother being the minister of environment and immediately helping feels contrived. Consider phrases like "she totally agreed to help them without the faintest sign of reluctance."

Exemplar: "After sharing her discovery with her friends, they brainstormed ways to gather community support. Amy hesitantly suggested approaching her mother, the minister of environment, though success wasn't guaranteed."

#3 (Climactic scene): Strengths:

- Creates genuine tension with the time pressure
- Shows satisfying resolution to the conflict

Weaknesses: Underdeveloped Resolution → Your ending feels abrupt with phrases like "The developers were breath-taken at our underlying effort and decided to call of the construction." The developers' sudden change of heart needs more justification.

Exemplar: "The developers examined our petition, their expressions shifting from dismissal to surprise as they noted the influential names and sheer number of signatures. After a tense discussion, they announced their decision to preserve the park."

Actionable Task: Rewrite the middle section (gathering votes) by creating more obstacles and challenges in collecting signatures. Show specific encounters with different community members and their varied reactions.

Score: 40/50

Section 2:

#1 Mia stood in ~~pin-dropped~~ [pin-drop] silence, near the majestic Bethesda Fountain, as she surreptitiously eavesdropped on a small bunch staring at the bald developers as they hissed out words of deceit, poisoning the otherwise untrammelled skies with their evil. ~~Their malicious eyes seethed with greed, their potbellies were making them look like sumo wrestlers their.~~ [Their malicious eyes seethed with greed, their potbellies making them look like sumo wrestlers.] The opulent men enthusiastically looked at the lush green expanse around them. The wealthy men stood, as another ~~a wind~~ [wind] of burnt ash swept across the atmosphere. ~~The cause of this was because,~~ [This was because] the men were smoking obscene amounts of unhealthy, toxic cigarettes. Their words lingered like ~~a omen~~ [an omen] of enormity: "unprecedented profits... unfathomable capital gains... ~~unprecedented profits... unfathomable capital gains...~~" Mia's jaw dropped to the floor and her heart had skipped a beat. ~~No this~~ [No, this] could not be happening. Ten percent of the whole Central Park was going to be cast away for commercial use.

#2 As a rightful citizen and a young minor [,] she felt the urge to leave the topic unsettled. She would not let the developers win the battle. Running back to her house as fast as her puny, slender legs could carry her, she was panting by the time ~~she got to her house when she finally arrived~~ [she finally arrived home]. Impulsively, she decided to dial her friends ~~numbers~~ [numbers;] she just felt like she had to end ~~their~~ [their] parade to serve right for the nature lovers of the community. While she waited for her friends to arrive [,] she researched a bit more about the excavation happening at the park. Apparently, if you collected one hundred and fifty votes, the excavation would be cancelled and the majority would rule. There was just one huge problem with that. The excavation was this afternoon.

#3 After briefly filling in her friends with the gossip and news, they were ready to vow their absolute best for the sake of the community. To their ~~convincence~~ [coincidence], Amy's mum is the minister of environment and she totally agreed to help them without the faintest sign of ~~reluctence~~ [reluctance] and she thought it was an amazing idea because, as a huge fan of environment needs to be one with nature. One by one ~~environmetalists~~ [environmentalists] chatting away came to sign with ginormous smiles across the face and we even earned a few pat on the backs and words of praise. We decided to finish up at lunch time to count the votes and enjoy some tantalising take-away fast-food. 146 votes! Just one more vote, how difficult could it be was what Mia thought but for the next three hours life bullied us. Thirty more minutes until the excavation! Oh no! Mia was hit by a wave of frustration and ~~trepidation~~ [trepidation], fearing the unknown. Then she remembered, that they forgot to let Amy's mum and ~~them~~ ~~selves~~ [themselves] sign it. Racing back furiously to the ~~libray~~ [library] Mia was greeted abruptly by her mum "I knew you guys would come back," she said with a broad smile ~~tipped~~ [stretched] across her face. Signing it swiftly she pulled us all in for a group hug as we all stared at ~~here~~ [her] in awe. "Off you go, go make me proud, you have a place to be," she shoed us off with the flick of her hand. Again, we raced like dogs back to Central Park just at two minutes on the dot. The developers were breath-taken at our underlying effort and decided to call ~~of~~ [off] the construction. We stood there arms in the air standing triumphantly at our clean victory. We had done it! We had saved the natural environment of our city.