

## Section 1:

### #1 (First paragraph about leadership in football) Strengths:

- Strong personal anecdote demonstrating leadership through the football match example
- Effective connection to role model influence (Cristiano Ronaldo)

Weaknesses: Underdeveloped Context Setting → Your opening statement about bringing courage lacks specific examples of how you've demonstrated this consistently in team settings. Rather than stating "I know how to stay calm," you could strengthen this by providing concrete examples from your BJJ experience.

Exemplar: "My experience as a BJJ National Championship finalist has equipped me with proven strategies for maintaining composure under pressure, which I've successfully applied as team captain in crucial football matches."

### #2 (Second paragraph about work ethic) Strengths:

- Clear acknowledgment of both strengths and areas for improvement
- Specific example of multitasking ability validated by teacher feedback

Weaknesses: Limited Professional Context → Your discussion of multitasking focuses primarily on classroom scenarios. You could enhance this by drawing parallels between your academic multitasking abilities and how they would benefit you in a scholarship environment.

Exemplar: "My demonstrated ability to efficiently manage multiple responsibilities, as evidenced by maintaining high academic standards while juggling sports commitments, showcases my readiness for the demanding scholarship programme."

### #3 (Final paragraph about future aspirations) Strengths:

- Clear vision for future goals
- Balance between academic and entrepreneurial aspirations

Weaknesses: Lack of Strategic Planning → While your goals are ambitious, your path to achieving them needs more specific milestones. The mention of "successful ecommerce businesses" would be stronger with concrete steps you're taking now.

Exemplar: "I'm currently developing my business acumen through online courses in digital marketing and financial management, while maintaining excellence in both my studies and football training."

Actionable Task: Rewrite your responses focusing on creating clear connections between your past achievements and future goals. For each experience you mention, explicitly state how it has prepared you for the challenges of the scholarship programme.

**Score: 42/50**

Section 2:

I can bring courage and motivation into your football/soccer first team. I know how to stay calm, and I have been in ~~like~~ [in the] BJJ National Championship finals so I know how to stay calm in tense situations. #1 I believe that I can motivate our team when we are losing and not necessarily trying our hardest anymore. I have been in situations where we are losing in the final minutes. ~~No one really thinks we can win anymore or even tie, for brief moments that is me,~~ [When the team's morale was low, including my own briefly,] I idolise Cristiano Ronaldo, and I knew he would encourage me to try my best in this situation so me and one of my other teammates told all our other teammates to give it all to try to get a goal. We did end up scoring a goal after I headed the ball in, however the other team scored another from a penalty. Although I was sad that we lost, I was proud that I motivated my teammates and we nearly won. So I believe I can offer motivation and encouragement.

#2 One of my strengths is that ~~that~~ I can multitask and get my work done. My teacher sometimes praises me for being the only one who can talk and finish ~~is~~ [his] work. And I am always hungry for more work. I get bored when I am not challenged which can be seen as both a strength and a weakness. I can work on time management as ~~I sometimes I~~ [sometimes I] am wrong on which activity to prioritise first. I am working on this by thinking in the future and doing activities which have a deadline first.

#3 I like being challenged at school whether ~~its~~ [it's] sports or maths or writing [.] I enjoy school because I like having my brain work. While other people might like to relax, I am the opposite. I like recess and lunch because I can run around and stretch my body after sitting for a long time, talk with my friends, possibly make new friends and play soccer. My brain also takes a break during recess and lunch and then when I go to my classroom it is fresh and cleared to be able to learn effectively. In six years I see myself playing for a professional academy about to make my debut [.] I am in year 11 so I am focusing on my studies, while at home I dedicate my time other than studying and training to building multiple successful ecommerce businesses. I have been learning about ~~ecom~~ [e-commerce] and I do believe I can be successful by establishing trustable companies that are doing at least 6 figures a year. I will be doing my HSC exams which I will be preparing intensely and hope to do well.