Section 1:

#1 (First paragraph) Strengths:

- Clear thesis statement presenting three main arguments
- Strong opening with a thought-provoking question

Weaknesses: Underdeveloped Introduction → Your opening relies heavily on rhetorical questions without providing sufficient context about the current state of animal testing. Phrases like "floating around in our minds" and "valid answer" could be strengthened by incorporating specific examples or current debates.

Exemplar: "The ethics of animal testing remains a crucial debate in modern science, particularly as we balance human medical advancement with animal welfare. Based on careful consideration, I strongly believe animal testing should be ethical for three key reasons:"

#2 (Second paragraph) Strengths:

- Attempts to support claims with data
- Clear topic sentence that connects to the thesis

Weaknesses: Limited Evidence Development → Your argument about reducing human suffering needs more specific examples of how animal testing has led to medical breakthroughs. The paragraph focuses on general statements like "test new products and drugs" without providing concrete examples.

Exemplar: "Animal testing has been instrumental in developing life-saving treatments, such as insulin for diabetes and vaccines for infectious diseases, significantly reducing human suffering while maintaining strict ethical protocols."

#3 (Fourth paragraph) Strengths:

- Attempts to address counterarguments
- Shows understanding of risk assessment

Weaknesses: Circular Reasoning → Your argument repeats the same point about reducing human suffering without advancing new supporting evidence. The phrase "Now you may think that I am just repeating what I am saying right?" acknowledges this issue without resolving it.

Exemplar: "While the ethical implications of animal testing are complex, the controlled environment of laboratory testing on animals prevents potentially catastrophic human trials, protecting both individual lives and broader public health."

Actionable Task: Rewrite your second paragraph focusing on one specific medical breakthrough achieved through animal testing, ensuring you detail both the testing process and its direct impact on human health.

Score: 43/50

Section 2:

Dear PM Anthony Albanese,

~~Should animal testing be ethical? That is a broad question that has been floating around in our minds without a valid answer.~~ [Is animal testing ethical? This fundamental question challenges our scientific and moral frameworks, yet remains contentiously debated.] So I shall state my opinion to this question. I strongly believe that animal testing should be ethical because it reduces the suffering of humans, creates benefits to humanity and reduces the suffering of us if we are tested. Now that you know my three reasons, let's have a deeper dig into animal testing and why it should be ethical. #1

To start off, animal testing reduces the suffering of humans. Animal testing is to test new products and drugs on animals. This is a clear reduce [reduction] of ~~us~~ [our] suffering. Furthermore, 99% of animals who are tested are not harmed at all. This statistic clearly shows that animal testing usually doesn't have any downsides to it. ~~I mean,~~ [Specifically,] 1% of all animals tested are not harmed. That is a very small number and thus we do not need to worry. We can test on animals by trying out cures for diseases and other disorders. Hence, animal testing must be ethical because it reduces the suffering of us humans because of diseases and disorders. #2

Additionally, animal testing creates benefits for humanity. We can develop more drugs, cures and ~~immunisations~~ [immunisations] to protect human beings. There are many illnesses that do not have a cure and by testing on animals a cure, we could save not millions but maybe billions! Clearly, animal testing can save many lives even if we are testing on a rat or a mouse. ~~Small changes can lead to big differences definitely secures its spot in this argument.~~ [The small-scale testing on animals leads to significant breakthroughs that secure this argument.] We learn from our mistakes when testing on these animals. Thus, we should make animal testing ethical for the benefits for humanity.

~~To finish off~~ [Furthermore], animal testing is ethical because it reduces the suffering of humans. Now you may think that I am just repeating what I am saying right? However, it would reduce the suffering of us humans when we are doing the same. You may think about it, humans are ~~heavily~~ more essential than animals. If we are tested we would be in [at] a huge risk and could wipe out

more than one hundred thousand people! That is a large amount and we wouldn't want to have another Great Dying but for humans. Therefore, I believe that animal testing should be ethical because it reduces the suffering of humans in a way that it reduces the suffering of us if we are doing the same. #3

To sum up, I believe that I have stated my points clearly and in a well ~~organized~~ [organised] way. I strongly believe that animal testing should be ethical because it reduces the suffering of humans in two different ways and there are a lot of benefits for humanity. I believe that I have answered the broad question sufficiently and accurately.

Sincerely,
Kingston