DAY 4 | 24th of April | HOLIDAY WRITING HOMEWORK

Section 1:

- #1 First paragraph Strengths: Your opening paragraph effectively establishes your candidacy and personal qualities. You successfully introduce your character traits of initiative and helpfulness, providing a solid foundation for your speech. Weakness: Limited use of ethos.

 Your introduction could more strongly establish your credibility and experience with specific examples rather than general statements. The phrase "I've always been someone who takes initiative" lacks concrete evidence to support this claim. Exemplar: I've demonstrated my leadership abilities as the coordinator of our successful charity fundraiser last term, where we raised £500 for the local animal shelter, and through my role as team captain in the inter-school quiz competition.
- #2 Third paragraph ("Moreover, I will always plan fun class events...") Strengths: You effectively appeal to pathos by mentioning enjoyable activities like pizza parties and movies that would excite your classmates. Your commitment to democratic decision-making through class votes shows consideration for others' preferences. Weakness: Underdeveloped logos. → Your reasoning dismisses educational activities too quickly with the example about learning "why E= mc²". This limits your appeal to students who might value both fun and intellectual stimulation. The statement "That would be too boring" doesn't acknowledge different learning preferences. Exemplar: *I promise to balance entertaining social events with enriching activities that support our learning goals, ensuring every class member finds something to enjoy while we grow together as a community*.
- #3 Final paragraph Strengths: Your conclusion effectively summarizes your key campaign points, creating a memorable ending with the clever wordplay on "president who is present." Weakness: Repetitive summary. → Your conclusion mainly restates earlier points without adding emotional resonance or a compelling call to action. The phrase "Therefore, vote for Ho Yin" doesn't create urgency or excitement about your candidacy. Exemplar: *Imagine a classroom where your voice matters, where fun and learning go hand in hand, and where your class president is always there for you. That future begins with your vote for Ho Yin today!*

■ Your speech shows enthusiasm and clearly identifies three main campaign promises: helping classmates, being consistently present, and planning enjoyable class events. However, your argument would be more persuasive with specific examples of past leadership experiences to establish your ethos more strongly. Additionally, you could strengthen your logos by explaining exactly how you'll solve problems and report to school leaders - what specific systems will you put in place? Also, consider balancing fun activities with educational ones rather than dismissing learning opportunities entirely. Your repetition of "I will always..." creates emphasis but becomes predictable; varying your phrasing would make your speech more engaging. Finally, incorporating more emotional appeals throughout would help your classmates connect with your vision for the class. Try adding a personal story about how you've helped someone in the past or describe how the classroom atmosphere will feel under your leadership.

Overall score: 44/50

Section 2:

I am running for class president because I believe I can make a substantial difference in this class. I've always been someone who takes initiative, whether it's helping classmates, taking on responsibilities or supporting group work. I will always try to solve your problems as best as I can and I'll do it persistently. I'll never be away so that I can always inform the school leaders about your ideas to improve our classroom and I will always help plan fun class events.

#1 I will always help people, no matter what the issue is and I won't give up. You might be thinking, how could I solve your problems? Even though I might not understand your problems, like I said, I will always try my best to help you, even if you're stuck in a tree! This is why you must vote for me: to help all of you solve your problems.

Additionally, I will never be away from school unless I have a fever of forty or an important reason like my pet rabbit's wedding. This can help our class because I will always be ready to report anything to the school leaders as quickly as possible. You even [even] might think 'What's so special about being here every day ready to report to the school leaders?' Well, let's say I was away for the entire year except a [one] month- I

would only know what is happening during that month and you wouldn't get the chance to help the class improve, especially if the classroom is messy or the work feels too easy. This is another reason why you must vote for me to be your class president as I would always be here.

#2 Moreover, I will always plan fun class events no matter what it is. A pizza party? Sure! A movie with popcorn? You bet! I would never plan a very boring class event like a time where we get to learn ahead and learn why E= mc². That would be too boring. If you are not interested in movies and parties, then we could have a class vote and majority wins. Therefore, you need to vote me [for me] for your class president to ensure we have fun and exciting class plans.

#3 In conclusion, if you want someone who will always help you, someone who is never away and can report essential information to the school leaders and someone who ereats [creates] amazing class event [events], then make the right choice and for vote me [for me] and let's make this class the best class in our school. Therefore, vote for Ho Yin the president who is present!