

You are going to another country to study. You would like to do a part-time job you are studying, so you want to ask a friend a friend who lives there for some help.

Write a letter to this friend. In your letter

Give details of your study plans

Explain why you want to get a part-time job

Suggest how your friend could help you find a job

Dear Veronika,

I hope this finds you well. I'm sorry for not being in touch with you for a while, as I was busy with the university application process, which ended up well. Fortunately, I have been accepted to study in the University of British Columbia, which is near to your house, and I will have been there within two months. I would appreciate it if you could do me a favor. Let me elaborate on this.

As you may have known, students of architecture are entitled to study five modules each term. This allows us to do a part-time job on weekends, as we are tied up with our studies on the other days. Unfortunately, the tuition fee is pretty high, by which I mean I can't afford it without finding a proper part-time job.

I would be grateful if you could help me to find a job, which some of my classmates have found through filling a form in vocation agency department in the city council. Could you please fill it on my behalf? No matter what vacancy there is for me, as long as the money is good. I'm not sure if you have realized how helpful your kindness would be for me. Looking forward to hearing from you.

See you soon,

Maryam

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In many countries, the amount of crime is increasing.

What do you think are the main causes of crime?

How can we deal with those causes?

Nowadays, we are witnessing the growth of ~~violation-violence~~ in ~~a~~ numbers of societies. There are certain reasons which lie at the root of ~~(commission of)~~ committing a crime, such as financial, and family-related problems. ~~However, despite which~~ there should be efforts to address these problems.

Dysfunctional families are the main reasons for the crimes being on the rise. That is, parental issues, and conflicts between parents might predispose children to gravitate to ~~delinquency the sabotage and-perpetrating a crime~~ in a society. In other words, the less close-knit families, the more increase in the crime rate in communities. Moreover, poverty is another key factor in this regard. For instance, poor families, whose breadwinners, in spite of ~~numerous large numbers of~~ responsibilities, have ~~been laid~~

~~off/become redundant dismissed are~~ more likely to commit a crime in order to provide for the family ~~/make their~~ ends meet.

However, governments, and authority figures should try their utmost to resolve this issue. Firstly, awareness of families could be raised through the ubiquitous media. That is to say, if repercussions of parents' conflicts were shown on a documentary-show basis, there should be less wrongdoing sabotage in the communities. Secondly, governments and entrepreneurs could contribute to people's making a decent living by offering wider choices of employment, on which prospective criminals could rely without being forced to break the rules in order to meet their needs. Last but not least, introducing strict measures could help to control, and manage the cruelty in ~~a~~ society. As can be seen, the more laxity in laws, the more atrocities in a country.

In a nutshell, although dysfunctional/broken families and shortage of money most of the time result in offence the crime to be committed, governments by educating parents to create a constructive atmosphere for their offspring, and providing more job vacancies, as well as enacting more severe laws can reduce the crime rate effectively.

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