Answers to An opinion essay – exercises

Preparation

1. Video games
2. Sports
3. Sports
4. Video games
5. Video games

1. Check your understanding: multiple selection

1. ✓ There are a lot of different types of games.
2. ✓ Video games are fun to play with your friends.
3. ✓ Video games allow you to play many different sports.
4. ✓ You can compete with people all over the world via the internet.
5. ❌ Playing video games is the best way to stay physically fit and healthy.
6. ✓ It's better to do exercise outside in the fresh air.
7. ✓ You can play video games even when the weather is bad.
8. ❌ Playing sport is more intense exercise than playing video games.

2. Check your writing: matching – useful words and phrases

1. Nowadays, …
2. First of all, …
3. In addition, …
4. I believe that …
5. I disagree that …
6. In fact, …
7. In conclusion, …