

In many cities, planners tend to arrange shops, schools, offices, and homes in specific areas and separate them from each other. Do you think the advantages of this policy outweigh the disadvantages?

The urban landscape is characterised by the segregation of various functions into distinct zones. These zones include shops, schools, offices, and homes, thereby creating a vibrant tapestry of city life. Although some people praise this division for its efficiency and organisation, I argue that it would have a significant negative effect on **social vibrancy and human connection.** →

intro ok

Undeniably, advocates of urban segregation emphasise its organisational advantages, as concentrating foot traffic by clustering commercial areas can contribute to the success of businesses and stimulate economic growth. For instance, busy marketplaces are filled with shoppers, lively office complexes are buzzing with productivity, and residential neighbourhoods enjoy a peaceful atmosphere. By separating these functions, noise and congestion can be minimised, resulting in distinct zones that cater to their specific needs. In this vision, the city undergoes a transformation, functioning like a highly efficient machine with each component operating flawlessly in its assigned position. Also, the benefits of safety and security are worth to be mentioned. By implementing zoning regulations, certain activities can be confined to specific areas, ensuring that residential zones remain tranquil and undisturbed accordingly. → body 1

này cũng được nha, ý 1 cũng tạm ổn có thể tham khảo thêm các ý khác phía dưới

Nevertheless, valid concerns do exist regarding the negative consequences of urban segregation. Through the physical separation of various aspects of life, there is a potential risk of creating isolated environments that lack the serendipitous interactions and exchange of ideas that naturally occur in mixed-use spaces. For example, neighbourhoods without local shops and businesses might miss out on the opportunity to reach a wide range of customers. Children in these areas are limited in their chance to experience the daily routines of working life. In this scenario, the city transforms into a collection of sterile zones, relinquishing the vibrant human connections and cultural exchange that contribute to the dynamism of urban life. Furthermore, the implementation of segregated zoning can result in the creation of neighbourhoods that are not easily accessible to individuals from certain income brackets, thereby intensifying existing social and economic disparities. Unfortunately, this spatial segregation will perpetuate current disparities and impedes upward social mobility in the long run. → ok nhé

In conclusion, it is argued that urban segregation has a notable detrimental impact on the vitality of social interactions and human relationships.

364 words → cũng được nha, vào thi dễ viết không kịp

- Dạng outweigh nếu target dưới 7.0 thì có thể viết theo hướng TOTALLY bố cục bài như sau (nếu theo hướng ADVANTAGES > DISADVANTAGES)
 - Body 1: Nêu lí do thứ 1 vì sao ADVANTAGES > DISADVANTAGES

- Main idea: A city arranged on the basis of clearly-defined functional areas can make people's life much easier and more efficient >> IELTS

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- Supporting idea:

- Functional zoning allows for the efficient allocation of resources by concentrating similar activities in specific areas.

- This can lead to optimized infrastructure development, reducing the wastage of resources.

- Example: if all government offices are located in the same area, they will save tremendous amount of time when they need to get their bureaucratic paperwork completed (HOẶC: When we want to buy a specific model of computer, for example, we can simply visit the city's hi-tech market) >>

IELTS TUTOR hướng dẫn [Cách dùng động từ "locate" tiếng anh](#)

○ Body 2: Nêu lí do thứ 2 vì sao ADVANTAGES > DISADVANTAGES

- Main idea: it is convenient for government to manage the areas when the areas are built for some specific purpose separately. >> IELTS TUTOR hướng dẫn [Cách dùng danh từ "convenience" tiếng anh](#)

- Supporting idea:

- When areas are built for specific purposes, such as residential, commercial, or industrial zones, it allows for more efficient allocation of resources.

- The government can tailor its services and infrastructure development based on the unique needs of each area.

- Example: The educational authorities can be established in the area where the schools are located.

- Cách 2: Theo hướng Partly (partly - CHỈ RIÊNG với dạng OUTWEIGH này thì nếu target 7.0 có thể viết còn các dạng khác không nên viết partly nhé)

- Body 2: On the other hand, viết về disadvantages

- Main idea 1: Strict separation can result in a lack of diversity within neighborhoods.

- Supporting idea: Mixing residential, commercial, and recreational spaces can create vibrant and diverse communities, fostering social interactions and a sense of community.

- Example: Transit-Oriented Developments (TODs), which integrate residences, shops, offices, and green spaces near public transportation, enhance diversity by attracting residents from various backgrounds, promote social interaction through walking and cycling, and create vibrant community hubs with parks, plazas, and cafes.

- Main idea 2: Overly rigid zoning may limit the adaptability of cities to changing needs.

- Supporting idea: As economic and social dynamics evolve, the fixed separation of areas may hinder the city's ability to respond effectively to new demands and trends.

- Example: The Downtown Retail Desert, characterized by strict zoning regulations reserving extensive downtown areas exclusively

for commercial use, results in vacant storefronts as rigid zoning impedes the transformation of unused retail spaces into mixed-use developments, perpetuating vacancy, diminishing urban vibrancy, limiting foot traffic, creating a negative feedback loop, and missing opportunities for economic diversification and innovation in city centers.

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○ Intro câu 2, advantages = disadvantages (this trend could have positive and negative consequences in equal measures)