

Paraphrasing Practice

The media should report more stories which report good news.

Try 1: Reporting positive news should be **prioritized** by the media **when they are reporting more stories**.

Note: Never risk changing the topic of the essay.

Try 2: The media ~~must~~should report more news stories which are positive.

Some people say that more money should be invested in science than in other subjects.

A number of individuals believe that more funds should be invested in science ~~rather~~ than other sectors.

Note: rather than = instead of, but we have "more...than", which is a comparison.

Some people think that the main benefit of international cooperation is in the protection of the environment, while others believe that it mainly benefits businesses.

A number of individuals believe that the main benefit of global cooperation lies in environmentalal protection, while others argue that it mostly benefits businesses.

Some people say that it is possible to tell a lot about a person's culture and character from their choice of clothes

A number of individuals believe that people's choice of clothing items can tell you a lot about ~~a person's~~their culture and character.

Note: make sure you use referencing, when possible, to avoid repetition.

Some people believe that in the future, most cities will become unlivable due to pollution and overcrowding. Others think technological innovation will solve these problems.

A number of individuals think that in the future, most cities will become unlivable because of pollution and overcrowding₂, while others argue that these issues ~~can~~will be resolved by technological innovations.

Some people think that charity organizations should only offer help to people of their own country. But others believe that these organizations should give aid to people in great need wherever they live.

Try 1: A number of individuals believe that aids should only be offered to people by charity organizations **to their own people**, while others argue that these organizations should help people in need regardless of where they live.

Try 2: A number of people believe that charity organizations should just offer to aid the people of their own country...✓