City or country?

Some people think the country is the best place to live. Others think it is better to live in a city. What do you think? Where is the best place to live? Perhaps you think both places are good for different reasons.

Write to convince a reader of your opinions.

- **Start with an introduction.**
  An introduction lets a reader know what you are going to write about.

- **Write your opinions on this topic.**
  Give reasons for your opinions.
  Explain your reasons for your opinions.

- **Finish with a conclusion.**
  A conclusion sums up your reasons so that a reader is convinced of your opinions.

**Remember to:**

- plan your writing
- use paragraphs to organise your ideas
- write in sentences
- choose your words carefully to convince a reader of your opinion
- pay attention to your spelling and punctuation
- check and edit your writing so it is clear.