

The student has understood the form, purpose and audience of the task clearly and the writing is focused on this throughout.

Examples are selected well and are used to drive forward the student's argument.

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Assessment: Speech

You cannot deny that the world is, very unfortunately, filled with conflict, war and discrimination. These are things that nobody wants to happen and yet continue to thrive. In order to stop this, we must have tolerance and respect everyone's ~~religion~~ religion, gender, sexuality - just because we are different doesn't mean we can't treat them with kindness.

The first ~~reason~~ ^{reason} peace and tolerance should be spread is that so people can feel welcomed & if they move to another country. There's currently a war between Russia and Ukraine, and as a result many Ukrainians have been fleeing to the UK in hopes for people to welcome them and help them to start a new life. Disappointingly, instead of a warm, inviting country to come to, many people and even the government have been unwelcoming to the refugees. In fact, a recent survey has shown that 83% of migrants did or still feel unwelcome in England. These are absolutely shocking numbers that should make you question why such a high number of migrants feel this way. The only answer I have is that those people who actively make them uncomfortable is that they're ignorant. They take a distaste to anything new or slightly different.

On the other hand, there are people across the world trying to battle this intolerance towards people who come from other countries by welcoming them with

Writing is coherent and accurate. The student is able to develop a clear line of argument.

open arms. One example of people accepting ~~into~~ migrants and refugees is Pope Francis. He often preaches about the importance of loving your neighbour and welcoming everyone to your country. Some people may argue that they should go back to where they came from but would you really want to go back to a place that's torn apart by war? And even if their home country is perfectly safe, it's doing no ~~less~~ harm to you if somebody does move.

Another reason everyone should embrace peace and tolerance is so that people can be themselves and express their true identity. Many people may live in countries where same sex marriage is illegal and can ~~could~~ be given the death penalty just because of something that is uncontrollable. This is, very clearly, not being tolerant of someone's identity ~~and~~. Instead of shutting out something completely just because you don't understand, try to learn and accept it and open your mind to new things. You must see that people simply having a different sexuality ~~doesn't mean~~ ~~as though~~ they are not human. If what they're doing doesn't hurt anyone or themselves, let others express themselves.

A final reason why peace and tolerance should be embraced by everyone is so that war and conflict isn't so prevalent in the world. I think everybody can agree when I say that war is an undeniably terrible thing. The aforementioned war between Ukraine and Russia has only made more disaster. War tears families apart, destroys cities and usually do more damage than anything positive.

A spokesperson from Children of Veterans Inc. has stated that many children they have spoken to feel as though they're missing something from their lives because one of their parents went to fight in war for such a long time.

In conclusion, many reasons are highlighted in this speech why everyone - past, present and future - should embrace peace and tolerance. We should welcome refugees and migrants starting a new life, accept people for their true self and allow them to express themselves and do anything we can to stop any wars or conflicts. Peace and tolerance will make the world a better place.

The student addresses the audience using direct address, meaning the speech is engaging and that they have understood the conventions of this type of writing.