*Island Time task sheet:* ***My Cultural Portrait***

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| ***task_icon.jpgWhat?*** | Write a cultural self portrait – what are your cultural backgrounds?

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| **Purpose** – to communicate facts and your feelings about your cultural background | **Audience** – your teachers and classmates | **Form** – a piece of prose, divided into paragraphs, accompanied by 3-4 suitable images |

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| ***Which skills?*** | **Communication –** sentence formation, paragraph organisation |
| ***how.jpg******How?*** | * Look at your mindmap from today - which aspects will you concentrate on?
	+ In which order will you cover those aspects?
* Look at the link to [‘key question and extension questions’](https://docs.google.com/a/online.island.edu.hk/document/d/1uIWoNaPvOpkO1GopsTksSHO_TXDTh7-sCTEuCu8V-ZQ/edit)
	+ Will you just focus on the key question, or will you try to address an extension question as well? (be ambitious but realistic!)
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| ***success.pngSuccessful if...*** | * **Organisation**
	+ Is each paragraph about a particular aspect of your life?
	+ Do all the points in the paragraph relate to the topic?
	+ Are the paragraphs well ordered?
	+ PEE!
* **Punctuation**
	+ Do you start each sentence in the correct place and avoid run-on sentences?
	+ Capital letter to start each sentence, correct punctuation to end
	+ capital letters for proper nouns
	+ correct use of commas (to separate lists and to chunk information)
	+ apostophes! (it’s / its / Brian’s / Brian / Chris’ / Chris)
* **Presentation**
	+ Clear and tidy – not too fussy!
	+ An interesting title
	+ The name of the author
	+ A poignant image to accompany the text
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