**Useful vocabulary for composition"expressing opinion"**

**1 абзац Вводные фразы**

* It is popularly believed that….
* People often claim that... Some people argue that…
* A lot of people think that…
* It is often suggested /believed that…
* Many people are in favour of idea that... Many people are convinced that...
* Some people are against…

**2 абзац. Фразы, выражающие свою точку зрения:**

* I would like to explain my point of view on this situation.
* I would like to express my opinion on this problem.

**Фразы, характеризующие преимущества обсуждаемой проблемы:**

* As already stated I’m in favor of… for a number of reasons…
* There are many things to be said in favour of…
* The best/ thing about……. is…

**Фразы, перечисляющие точки зрения:**

* Firstly, /First of all….
* In the first place
* To start with, / To begin with,
* Secondly, Thirdly, Finally,
* Last but not least,

**Фразы, добавляющие новые аргументы:**

* Furthermore, /Moreover, /What is more,
* As well as…. /In addition to this/that…
* Besides, /…….also….
* Not only…., but…… as well.
* Apart from this/that….
* not to mention the fact that

**3 абзац.**

* Some people believe that… however they fail to understand that…
* they fail to consider that… they forget that…
* Some people argue that …. I cannot agree with it as …
* I disagree with this point of view (statement, opinion) because …
* It has become fashionable for some people to argue that…
* Contrary to what most people believe, I think that…
* As opposed to the above ideas…I believe that…

**Заключительные фразы:**

* In conclusion,
* On the whole,
* To conclude,
* To sum up,
* All in all,
* All things considered
* Finally,
* Lastly,
* Taking everything into account,
* Taking everything into consideration

**Выражение личного мнения:**

* In my opinion this subject is very controversial
* In my view…
* To my mind…
* To my way of thinking…
* Personally I believe that…
* I feel strongly that…
* It seems to me that…
* As far as I am concerned…