

**Do you miss being a student?**

I do! I loved being a student. I really enjoyed attending lectures, meeting other **like-minded peers**, and I had a great time researching different topics. One thing I don't miss though were all the deadlines. When I was a student, I really struggled to **hand in essays** on time. I would often find myself cramming or feverishly writing essays the night before the deadline - I don't miss that stressful feeling at all.

**Useful language****Vocabulary to describe fond memories of being a student****Nostalgic**

Feeling sentimental about the past.

*"I sometimes feel **nostalgic** about my university days because they were so carefree."*

**Carefree**

Free from responsibilities or worries.

*"Life as a student was much more **carefree** compared to working full-time."*

**Stimulating**

Intellectually or mentally engaging.

*"I miss the **stimulating** discussions in my university lectures."*

**Like-minded peers**

People (often the same age) with similar ways of thinking as you.

*"I really enjoyed meeting **like-minded peers** at uni."*

**Vocabulary to describe negative memories of being a student****Demanding**

Requiring a lot of effort and hard work.

*"Being a student was quite **demanding**, especially during my final year."*

**Financially challenging**

Difficult in terms of money or worries.

*"I don't miss the **financially challenging** aspects of student life, like budgeting every penny."*

**Tedious**

Boring and repetitive.

*"I found writing long essays quite **tedious**, so I don't really miss that part of student life."*

**Hand in essays**

Submit essays.

*"When I was a student, I had to **hand in essays** every week, which was quite stressful."*

## Part 1: Model Answer

Write your answer

Do you miss being a student?

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