

Part 2. Article  
Time: about 40 min  
Number of words : 140-190  
Type: Semi-formal

**Article**  
**(to be published in a popular website for teens)**

The Worst Present I Have Ever Received

**Article - Plan**

**Introduction:**

Start in an interesting way. Probably using a question.

**2nd paragraph:**

Say what the situation was and what you had expected.

**3rd paragraph:**

Say what the present really was and why it was a disappointment. Talk about your reaction.

**4th paragraph:**

Say what happened next. How you dealt with your feelings. Was there a turnaround of events?

**Conclusion**

Summarize your feelings about the present.

**TITLE: The Worst Present I Have Ever Received**

Have you ever felt the disappointment of .... / the sense of letdown at... but none of that was as bad as....

It was just after my school exams..../... I was sure I would be rewarded..../When I saw the wrapping from a well known .....brand I was thrilled.

I unwrapped the present with shaking hands. I couldn't wait.... Little did I know what I was about to see. It wasn't .....but.... I muttered a weak "thank you" trying to hide...

My grandmother looked at me with mischievous eyes. She asked if I really liked..... and then produced another package...

It was the best and the worst birthday present ever, all- in- one package or rather... two packages. ...