**People today can perform everyday tasks, such as shopping, banking, or even business transactions, without meeting others face to face. ~~What are the effects it may have on individuals and society as a whole?~~ Is it a positive or negative development?**

确定话题范围：technological advances

讨论对象： performing daily tasks on the Internet: shopping, banking, and business transactions

表面是综合类：Report +Argumentation 实质是议论文

影响类题目 Analyse the influence of ...

Some people think it is a positive trend that people today can perform everyday tasks, such as shopping, banking, or even business transactions, without meeting others face to face. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion? 写作任务同上

Some people think it is a positive trend that people today can perform everyday tasks, such as shopping, banking, or even business transactions, without meeting others face to face, while others think otherwise. Discuss both opinions and give your own idea. 写作任务同上

Many people today can perform everyday tasks, such as shopping, banking, or even business transactions, without meeting others face to face. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of trend. 写作任务同上

议论文题目的陈述方式常见的有三种(如上)，但实际的写作任务是一致的。

写作任务：analyse the influence of people performing daily tasks on the Internet

首段：

Today, many daily tasks can be accomplished without meeting each other face to face. Generally, I tend to believe it leads to many desirable results.（版本一）

can be accomplished：注意主动、被动语态的转换

It is easy to notice that today many daily tasks can be accomplished without us meeting each other face to face. While some people are worried that it might bring about several problems, I tend to hold a different opinion. =I tend to think otherwise.（版本二）

It is quite common for people to ... = It is not uncommon that...

立论段：

It is evident that fulfilling some tasks over modern technologies, such as the Internet and other computer networks,is highly efficient.

In the past, people had to go to the shopping mall when they needed to make a purchase, but today all can be done online even at a lower price. Besides, people used to go to the bank to make a transaction from one bank account to another**;** instead, now self-service banking is available. More importantly, almost all banks and financial organizations are well-connected to the Internet, which promotes the development of international trade and world economy dramatically.

Thus, obviously, the efficiency of life has been improved significantly due to the technological advances.

让步段:

However, that is not to say that lack of face-to-face communication brings no problems.

One of the biggest concerns is security.

With the increasing virus threats and well-trained hackers, online deals are well exposed to all kinds of risks and losses, for example, the wide-spread problem of identity theft.具象思维

So when making the most of充分利用 the desirable changes brought about by technology, people **should be** aware of its potential downsides **and并列谓语 find** a way to minimize the negative impact.

结尾段：

Overall, there are more favourable effects on individuals and society if everyday tasks are performed on the Internet**, and并列句**I think people and countries alike will benefit from the technological advances on a new level soon.

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