

# Mock-07 for CSS-2024

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## English Essay

### 9. Being human is overlooked in our pursuit of being demigods.

#### Outline:

##### 1. Introduction

###### Thesis Statement:

The human ambition to achieve excellence is unstoppable. In order to attain this excellence, humans overlook the very essence of their own existence. The human desire of becoming a supernatural powerful demigod often disregards the idea of being a mortal human.

##### 2. Why humans pursue to be a demigod:

- a. Being demigod is emblematic to excellence.
- b. Humans yearn to escape human weaknesses
- c. Humans are power seekers by nature.
- d. The ambition to attain perfection blinds man.

3. How our pursuit of being demigods overlooks the idea of being human:

a. The ruthlessness in crushing obstacles in the way of becoming demigod.

b. The unconquerable ego that never submits.

c. Disharmonious relationship between man and nature.

d. Discontent, ungrateful and greedy approach to life.

4. Innate humanness is better than pursuit of ~~or~~ being demigod.

5. Conclusion



## Essay:

Human beings are created in a way that they always desire to become perfect and achieve an excellence. This ambition of humans to attain extraordinarily powerful status is unstoppable. In order to fulfill this human yearning, the very essence of human existence is overlooked by humans. The idea of becoming a demigod fascinates humans. It is because demigods are infinitely powerful and immortal beings who exist in human form, but exercise divine powers. The parable of Egyptian Pharaoh aptly justifies the human pursuit of being demigod. The remarkable kingdom of Pharaoh and limitless power and control on his people enabled him to assume himself as a god. Despite many warnings and wake-up calls, Pharaoh did not accept God's message. His ultimate end indicates the consequence of forgetting one's humanness and embracing supernatural or divinity.

Human beings pursue to become a demigod because it enables

them to escape their weaknesses. Being a demigod is similar to that of becoming a perfect powerful creature. Humans yearn for perfection and power that is ensured by becoming a demigod. In pursuit of becoming a demigod, humans mostly become ruthless, heartless and arrogant beings that crush any possible obstacle in their way, without considering the significance of that particular hurdle. Humans become blind in pursuit of power. They invest all their energies and time in seeking power. The relationship between man and nature deteriorates as man ascends the path to perfection.

Human beings possess an innate yearning for attaining excellence. Being a demigod is emblematic to excellence. That's why humans tend to become something more than human. Human love for beauty is inculcated in human hearts by their creator. This desire for beauty encourages man to pursue excellence in whatever he does.

Another reason behind human



quest for becoming a demigod is the idea of escapism from human weaknesses.

Humans possess unlimited potential to achieve whatever they desire, but God did not create man flawless. The human weaknesses are many in number and man tries to escape these. The idea to love and being loved is one of major human weaknesses. Although, love proves to be a strength in many cases. But the need to be loved by someone weakens human. The demigods being unaware of this weakness fascinate mankind.

Humans are powerseekers by nature. Being a demigod enables man to exercise power. On the contrary, humanness makes an individual dependent and powerless. Man seeks power to survive better in this world. The powerless and weak individuals always suffer. As a famous Greek historian and general, Thucydides, said; The strong do what they can and the weak suffer what they must. Thucydides' idea is based on realism. In the world full of power-

worshippers, the strong shall do what they want to do and the weak must endure what they have to endure. Power seeking, however, is not evil in itself. The use of power by a man determines the nature of that attained power. As it is often quoted that to seek power is not bad, but to ~~mis~~ misuse power is!

One of many reasons to attain the status of a demigod is the human ambition to be the best. Humans covet to be the best. Humans are blinded by the spark of perfection. The extraordinary nature and excellence of demigods allure human beings to do whatever it takes to become a demigod.