

# **The role of family and marriage in contemporary society: sample writing activities**

## **Sample activity 2**

你姐姐向在中国的双亲表白她有意与异族男友结婚，你父母对异族通婚不大高兴。写一封信给爸妈，委婉地替姐姐向他们解释异族通婚如今已获世界各地人民普遍认同的情况。（大约400字）

Your sister has told your parents who are living in China that she is thinking of marrying her non-Chinese boyfriend. Your parents are concerned about the issues they and your sister will face as a consequence of a cross-cultural marriage. Write a letter to your parents to support your sister by telling them cross-cultural marriages are now considered quite common by people all over the world. (Approximately 400 Chinese characters.)