

# Guided Writing

## Reading

1 Read the blog and check (✓) the sentence that best describes it.

- a It gives mostly positive opinions.
- b It gives mostly negative opinions.
- c It gives mostly neutral opinions.

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The actress Miranda Kaye is in the news again. It seems to me that everybody loves her. I have to say I don't see it. In my opinion, she's nothing special. For a start, she isn't a very good actress. Anyone who saw her latest movie will agree with me. At one point in that movie, another character asks Kaye's character, "Why is all this happening?". I think a lot of people in the movie theatre were probably asking themselves the same question. Next, to me, she isn't beautiful. I don't think she looks healthy because she is too thin. I admit she is attractive, but she's not my type. Finally, she is too political. Whenever I see her, she is promoting a political cause, not a movie. I think she should stay out of politics and work on her acting instead. I suppose she is a good person and a good mother, and she cares about the environment, but I don't think she deserves all the praise. Am I the only one? What do you think?

2 Choose the correct option. Then match each opinion 1–3 with a supporting argument a–c.

- 1 She *is / isn't* a good actress.
- 2 She *is / isn't* beautiful.
- 3 She *is too / should be more* political.
- a She spends too much time promoting political causes.
- b Her latest movie wasn't very good.
- c She is too thin.

