**15: Do you agree or disagree with the following statement? People holding different views cannot achieve success as a team.**

It becomes a highly debatable topic whether people are able to achieve success by holding a various view or not. When it comes to the success of a team, a common belief is essential. There are people for a same purpose gathering together to form a team. Although some people may think holding different view would not be successful when they are as a team, I disagree with. To support this, I will explore them in the following.

First of all, when all team members are on the same page, evaluating a task is a lot easier. Due to the fact that all representatives try to defend their desired approach and criticize others', it is possible to gain useful knowledge regarding the benefits and disadvantages of the suggested proposals by listening to opposing opinions. Therefore, listening to different beliefs of members about a solution to follow will eventually lead to the most suitable option among all. My experience as a student of architecture illustrates this perfectly. In one project we were asked to build the maquette (maket\*) of the Taj Mahal, which is located in India, in a group. Although, by looking at project from the outside appears to be easy, the majority of the tasks were completed difficulty, Worst of all is that we were stumped by an unexpected challenge; how to build the dome. We attempted several procedures to build the dome, but were unsuccessful. However, we eventually tried to use the cutting ball as a doom and it worked out perfectly. I have remembered, it was really arduous for us to build each size of doom separately, because the Taj Mahal has nearly 9 dooms with different scales, but as a team, we were able to develop it perfectly and received a high score. If we had built it individually, we would not have been able to finish it on time, moreover we could not have been able to attain a high grade.

Second, people learn how to increase their tolerance and be more flexible into criticism in order to accomplish their goal because the primary goal of all teams is to achieve success. However, some people believe that having a various idea may give rise to conflict among people by standing on their own idea , I do believe that this a miniature model of whole society and in real life people know how to behave with people who have a various idea. By way of illustration, according to the survey, those which work together and have various idea towards anything, are able to achieve success because of being skilled to interact in tandem with groups without kinds of problems.

Finally, as I mentioned above, I do believe that people holding different views can attain success as a team because they can enrich each idea by bombarding it from various point of view and achieve their ultimate goal. ((482 words, 60 minutes☹))