Question 3

(Suggested time—40 minutes. This question counts for one-third of the total essay section score.)

In 2001 *The American Scholar* published an excerpt from a talk given by English author Margaret Drabble. In her talk, Drabble claimed that "Our desire to conform is greater than our respect for objective facts." Using appropriate evidence from your reading, observation, and/or experience, write a carefully reasoned essay defending, challenging, or qualifying Drabble's assertion about conformity.

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