

Alexandria University
Faculty of Arts ,
Damanhour Branch ,
Department of English,
Fourth year
Essay
May.2010.

Answer Two questions.(Total 100 marks)

-Write about one only of the following :(70 marks)

a- The position of women in Egypt.

b- Your Plans about the future.

- Marriage ceremonies differ from one place to another.

- A short story you want to write one day or a short piece of autobiographical writing .

-Define one of the following by giving examples.(30 marks)

a- Academic and non-academic writing.

b- Plagiarism.

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Essay
4th Year, English
2/ July/ 2011

Time, 2 hrs

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Answer all the following questions:

**\*\*1\*\*** Write on the following points:

- a) Two of the essay types
- b) Essay outline
- c) Editing and proofing

**\*\*2\*\*** Write an argumentative essay:

- Essay size: 5 paragraphs
- Length of introduction and conclusion paragraphs: 10-12 lines (Each)
- Length of body paragraphs: 12-15 lines (Each)
- Topic: 25th of January Egyptian Revolution

**\*\*3\*\*** Do as Required:

- 1) Use "Site" and "Cite" in two sentences to show the difference between them in meaning.
- 2) Underline the redundant phrase in these sentences:

- If you didn't hear me, I will repeat the instructions again.
- The old car still remains parked in that field.
- After much thought and consideration, Jim decided to continue seeing Laura.
- It was the consensus of opinion among their friends that the couple belonged together.
- After a period of time, they solved their problems.

- 3) Underline the word within parentheses that best fits each sentence:

- While I was cleaning, I found some (loose, lose) change under the cushions.
- Thunder and (lightning, lightening) kept the campers awake all night.
- The young woman put a lock on her (diary, dairy) when she realized her roommate had been reading it.
- A square has four (right, write) (angles, angels).

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VERY BEST OF LUCK

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Total Marks: (100)

Essay
4th Year, All majors
May, 2012
Time: 2 hrs

Part I: Write a five-paragraph essay on ONE of the following topics: (50 marks)

- a) Modern technology is a double-edged weapon.
- b) Experience is the best teacher. Talk about a memory or an incident that had an enduring effect on your life.
- c) Education is the single most important factor in the development of a country.

Part II: The following paragraph contains 15 different errors. Proof read it for errors in grammar, punctuation, wordiness, mismatched words and phrases or ambiguity:

(30 marks)

When most people think of Walden Pond: we imagines the writer Henry David Thoreau planting a garden; meditate in the silent woods; and living alone for years in a simple cabin that was small. This romantic view of life at walden pond persists although Thoreau spent only two years there. While Thoreau's life there was quite and there was simplicity in it, he made happy many groups of his friends. In addition, committees meet at Walden, and conventions also had meetings there. Thoreau "lived off the land" but wearing store-bought clothes and ate food bought in a store. However Thoreaus famous experiment taught him many valuable lessons about what is essential and that which is not essential in life.

Part III: Write briefly about two techniques of the prewriting stage. (20 marks)

Best Wishes,

Dr. Tamer T. Saudi

