

TOEFL PREPARATION COURSE

STRUCTURE AND WRITTEN EXPRESSION OVERVIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer the following questions using the pages 129-133 as reference.

1. What register of the language is tested in this section?
2. Where in the book can you find the vocabulary to study for this section and for the reading one?
3. What is the advantage of knowing the instructions to this section in advance?
4. How long should you consider to answer each item in this section?
5. What should you try to identify first in order to answer correctly? Mention examples.
6. What portion of the sentence should you read for structure questions?
7. What's the first question you should ask yourself to find the right answer?
8. The following are usually the elements that are missing or incomplete:
_____.
9. Are grammatical segments (multiple answers) incorrect by themselves? When do they become incorrect?

Written expression part.

10. Knowledge of these elements will help you answer the Structure and Written Expression Section:
_____ & _____.
11. What is the first question you should ask yourself to approach the items in this part?
12. This step is suggested to identify the incorrect portion of the sentence: _____.
13. Why are most incorrect segments wrong in this part?
14. Do you have to look for errors outside the underlined segments? Should you try to provide the correct answer?
15. What is the best way to improve your overall mastery of English grammar? How can you develop it? What is this course NOT a substitute of?

READING OVERVIEW QUESTIONNAIRE

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer the following questions using the pages 243-247 as reference.

1. What knowledge and abilities are tested in this section?
2. What kind of register is evaluated?
3. Are questions based on passages or your background knowledge on the topics presented?
4. How many questions will you have to answer? What is the estimated time you should spend on each passage & corresponding questions?
5. What are the main strategies suggested to approach this section more efficiently?
6. According to the level of difficulty, the passages and questions would be directed to what kind of students?
7. Your knowledge of _____ will determine your success in this section as well as the development of _____ & _____.
8. Where in a passage could you search for its *topic* and *main idea*?
9. This strategy is useful to find *key concepts* and *vocabulary*: _____.
10. How can you find out the type of information you are searching for?
11. Use these elements from the questions to scan for answers: _____ & _____. After you find the answer, you would have to _____.
12. If you finish this section before the time is up, you can always: _____.