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Examination Paper

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Programme : Diploma in Business (DIB)  
Diploma in Mass Communication (DMCN)

Course : ENL2103: English For Academic Purposes

Date of Examination : 10 March, 2017 (Friday)

Time : 5:00pm – 7:00pm Reading Time : Nil

Duration : 2 Hours

**Special Instructions :**

Answer All the questions. Write your answers in the answer booklet provided.

Materials permitted : Nil

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**Instruction:** This paper consists of **FOUR (4)** questions. Answer **ALL** questions in the answer booklet provided.

**Question 1**

**(25 marks)**

Write **THREE (3) SUPPORTING SENTENCES** and **A CONCLUDING SENTENCE** for each of the following topic sentences.

- a) There are several benefits of going to the university.

Supporting sentences:

A: Do not write here

B: Do not write here

C: Do not write here

**(3 marks)**

Concluding Sentence: Do not write here

**(2 marks)**

- b) There are three reasons why Malaysia is one of the best countries in Asia.

Supporting sentences:

A: Do not write here

B: Do not write here

C: Do not write here

**(3 marks)**

Concluding Sentence: Do not write here

**(2 marks)**

- c) Successful language learning includes several important aspects.

Supporting sentences:

A: Do not write here

B: Do not write here

C: Do not write here

(3 marks)

Concluding Sentence: Do not write here

(2 marks)

- d) Corruption causes a lot of damages in a country.

Supporting sentences:

A: Do not write here

B: Do not write here

C: Do not write here

(3 marks)

Concluding Sentence: Do not write here

(2 marks)

- e) Human beings have slowly destroyed the environment.

Supporting sentences:

A: Do not write here

B: Do not write here

C: Do not write here

(3 marks)

Concluding Sentence: Do not write here

(2 marks)

**Question 2**

**(25 marks)**

Construct a **THESIS STATEMENT** for each of the topic below.

- a) Mobile phones
- b) Animal cruelty
- c) Social Media
- d) Nature conservation
- e) Dieting

**Question 3**

**(20 marks)**

Choose **ONE** of the topics below, and write an **OUTLINE FOR THE ESSAY**.

- a) Experience is more valuable than qualification. Do you agree?
- b) Compare and contrast the two methods of payment; cash or credit card?
- c) Traffic accidents in Malaysia have increased in the recent years. What are the causes of this?

Thesis statement: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (3 marks)

Topic sentence 1: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (2 marks)

Supporting sentences:

A: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

B: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

C: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (3 marks)

Topic sentence 2: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (2 marks)

Supporting sentences:

A: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

B: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

C: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (3 marks)

Topic sentence 3: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (2 marks)

Supporting sentences:

A: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

B: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here*

C: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (3 marks)

Concluding statement: \_\_\_\_\_ *Do not write here* (2 marks)

**Question 4** (30 marks)

Develop the outline from question 3 into a **400-word ESSAY**.

