UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND



Faculty of Humanities / Institute of Distance Education

Department of English Language and Literature

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION - JULY 2017

COURSE TITLE

COMPOSITION, WRITING AND STYLISTICS

COURSE CODE

ENG 302 / IDE-ENG 302

DURATION

TWO HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF FOUR

QUESTIONS.

ANSWER TWO QUESTIONS IN TOTAL,

QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER

ALL QUESTIONS ARE WORTH 30 MARKS EACH

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QUESTION 1

You are the chairperson of a volunteer organisation that is responsible for identifying disadvantaged students around campus and writing proposals to secure them financial, material and academic support from the UNISWA foundation. Prepare a speech you are going to deliver to other and would-be volunteers on the progress you have made in this organisation since its inception in 2010. [30 marks]

QUESTION 2

Using the topic, "I used to believe in forever, but have since realized that forever is too good to be true," discuss the different stages of creating a text.

[30 marks]

QUESTION 3

Discuss the ways in which the different types of audiences shape one's writing style.

[30 marks]

QUESTION 4

How is expository writing different from descriptive writing? Create texts not exceeding 300 words each where you illustrate the differences.

[30marks]