

ENGL 215 Final Examination



Zoom Meeting Information

- Zoom Meetings are about 60 minutes in length.
- Zoom Meetings are recorded.
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- Participate in the discussion by using the "Chat" window or by raising your hand in "Reactions."
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Tuesday 25 July 2023

- **students writing on campus:**
 - 2.00 p.m. ET – 5.00 p.m. ET
 - Dupuis Hall
- **students writing online:**
 - book your time online
 - via onQ with Examiity

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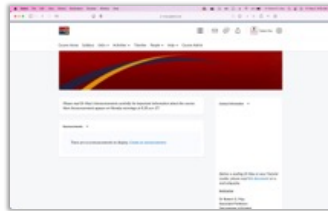
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students writing on campus

- **Examination Paper**
 - contains 3 essay questions
 - choose 1 question only
- **Answer Booklet**
 - compose your essay response here
 - indicate your student number on the front page
 - write in full sentences only
 - double-space your essay response

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<https://onq.queensu.ca>

students writing online

- onQ
 - contains 3 essay questions
 - compose your essay response in a MS Word (.docx) document
 - upload your essay to onQ
- Examity
 - Follow Examity instructions as provided

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Examination Instructions: It is highly recommended that you read this entire Examination through before you begin to write. This Examination is 3 hours in length. Please remember to phrase all of your responses in complete sentences. You will not receive credit for responses in point form or otherwise not phrased in complete sentences. Please double-space your responses in the booklets provided. You will be penalized for failing to double-space your responses.

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General Tips

- Budget your time carefully and wisely. *Take some time to brainstorm; you don't need to write for full 3 hours.*
- Number your response(s) clearly. *Make it clear which prompt you are responding to.*
- Phrase your response(s) in complete sentences. *You will not receive any credit for point-form responses.*
- Remember to double-space your response(s). *You will be penalized for failing to double-space your responses.*
- This is a closed-book Exam. No aids are allowed. *Short direct quotations or indirect quotations are acceptable.*

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Choose 1 (and only 1) of the 3 questions below and respond to it in the form of a standard Essay. Your Essay should have a clearly defined thesis statement in the introduction, a logical argument set forth in the analytical paragraphs with substantial concrete references to the primary sources, and a clear conclusion.

[Three questions will follow.]

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Essay Tips

- Brainstorm a strong thesis for the introductory paragraph. *Reduce the broad topic to a narrowly focused thesis statement.*
- Maintain a clear and coherent organizational principle. *Include introductory, concluding, and analytical paragraphs.*
- Aim to strike a balance between depth and breadth of analysis. *Analyse around 3 different works from the Course Syllabus.*
- Contextualize your ideas with quotations (direct, if possible). *Correct MLA Style (in-text citations, Works Cited) is not required.*
- Respond to 1 Examination prompt only. *You will not receive credit for responding to more than 1 prompt.*

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