

The 2nd English Essay Contest (Graduate)

Date: Wednesday, June 8, 2022

Time: 14:00-15:00 (online)

Directions

Read the question and write an essay (500~1000 words, maximum 3 pages). You will have 60 minutes to respond to a question that asks you to express and support your opinion about a topic or an issue. This essay should include an introduction with a thesis statement, 2 ~ 3 body paragraphs which have a topic sentence with a controlling idea, and a conclusion. Be sure to include supporting details and examples in your body paragraphs and to develop your ideas carefully. Your essay should be well organized and you should consider the quality and accuracy of the language you use to express your ideas.

Question

If a goal is worthy, then any means taken to attain it are justifiable.

Write a response in which you discuss the extent to which you agree or disagree with the recommendation and explain your reasoning for the position you take. In developing and supporting your position, describe specific circumstances in which adopting the recommendation would or would not be advantageous and explain how these examples shape your position.