

湖北工业大学

二〇〇五年招收硕士学位研究生试卷

试卷代号 393 试卷名称 西方语言与文化艺术

试题内容不得超过画线范围，试题必须打印，图表清晰，标注准确

考生请注意：答题一律做在答题纸上，做在试卷上一律无效。

I. Fill in the Blanks (10%)

1. Most people associate the Elizabethan age with two things. The first is _____. The other is _____.
2. The leader of the party with the largest number of members returned to the House of Commons becomes _____. He is invited by _____ to form government. The party with the next largest number of supporters in the Commons becomes the official _____ to the Government.
3. Every child in Britain must by law receive full-time education from the age of _____ to _____.
4. All American children are offered _____ years of free public education.
5. In the United States, classes of students are divided into _____ academic levels called _____.

II. Explanations (60%)

1. Charles Darwin
2. John Milton
3. the Bible
4. Standard English

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5. Open University
6. Family Allowances
7. the B.B.C and its program
8. The Commonwealth of Nations
9. George Washington
10. American Dream

III. Answer the following questions (80%)

1. Discuss the negative and the positive side of the Industrial Revolution in Britain (20%)
2. What are the major characteristics of the Englishman? Please give one example to each. (30%)
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3. What is characteristic of religion in America? Why is there not a decline in religious observance along with scientific and economic advance? (30%)