# Final online exam on «English for Academic Purposes»

#### Policy and Assessment Rubrics for B1 level

•developed by the English Language Program for the Ist trimester of 2020-2021 academic year



#### **General Provisions**

- •attendance rate not less than 70% and the term mid. score of 50% and more;
- according to the schedule of online examinations at Nur-Sultan time;
- •the results are published in Moodle and Platonus systems;
- •a mark of 50% or above are not allowed to retake.



### Preliminary preparation

- check access to the Microsoft Teams;
- if there are technical problems contact <a href="mailto:helpdeski@astanait.edu.kz">helpdeski@astanait.edu.kz</a> or <a href="mailto:helpdeski@astanait.edu.kz">helpdeski@astanait.edu.kz</a> in advance;
- log into the Microsoft Teams 15 minutes before the start of the exam;
- open the course "English for Academic Purposes, 1st trimester" and go to "FINAL ONLINE EXAM";
- confirm your participation in the Microsoft Teams platform message box by sending the message "I confirm my presence at the online exam".

### Preliminary preparation

- The Final Online Exam is conducted via a video call. A non-working camera or microphone is a reason for refusal to take the exam by the Examiner.
- •An appropriate environment during the exam should be maintained (exclude the presence of distractions strangers in the room and other background noises: TV, music, etc.).
- Show your ID (or student ID) to the Examiner.
- We ask you to observe the dress code.



#### Participation in the online exam

- •The final exam includes project presentation on the topic "Invention in IT / Technology".
- •The presentation (in the form of slides) on the project must be provided in advance on the Moodle platform. Deadline 13/11/2020, 11:59 PM.
- •The assignment should be performed personally by the student, without the involvement of outside help and without discussing the assignment with other individuals.



# Online Final Exam Assessment Rubric and Criteria (B I level)

Content	
The definition of the invention and the information about the inventor are provided with references to reliable sources	4
Summaries of the history of the invention, stages of its development and its operation are given with references to reliable sources	4
Not less than three perspectives (represented as a mind map or table) are suggested with references to reliable sources	4
The questionnaire includes 10-12 questions of various of question types related to the topic "Inventions in IT/Technology"	4
Findings and data analysis are well-aligned and relate to the graph(s)	4



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Structure	
Title page (slide) includes the following: the topic, the course name, the student's name and group number, the instructor's name, the university, the year.	4
Introduction is given in accordance with recommendation and include a hook, a context, an outline	4
Body reveals all the items of the Content Part of the given Assessment Rubric	4
Conclusion summarizes the presentation and epiphany would be welcomed.	4
Both in-text referencing and reference list are organized according to APA style (not fewer than 3 sources)	4



# Online Final Exam Assessment Rubric and Criteria (BI level)

Design	
The overall number of slides is 10-12	4
All the slides are with headings	4
There are no more than 15-20 words per slide (except definitions). Bulleted lists or numbered lists are used for slide organization	4
Graphs/charts/tables are with captions and keys	4
The design (colors, images, animations) is not overloaded, easily visible	4



# Online Final Exam Assessment Rubric and Criteria (BI level)

Presentation	
Greeting and introduction is interesting and enjoyable	8
The presentation is delivered in an interesting and enjoyable manner without reading the text all the time. The speaker uses good pronunciation.	8
The presenter's speech is grammatically accurate and the speaker uses academic vocabulary	8
The presentation is coherent and cohesive. Linking words are used appropriately	8
The speaker can answer the examiner's questions without efforts	8

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