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ENGLISH LANGUAGE EDUCATION

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This is an open-booked test

Part A

Read Chekov's *Gooseberries*, Gordimer's *Town and Country Lovers*, Erdrich's *The Red Convertible*, etc, and then discuss such short stories with your group members.

Part B

Choose one of the short stories, and then relate it to a certain part (which discuss the same short story) found in the textbook entitled *Short Stories for Students*.

Part C

Write the title of short story chosen, and then summarize it in your own words. In summarizing, it is highly recommended to include: character and characterization, plot, setting, and theme.

Part D

After accomplishing Parts A, B, and C, you are to write an essay which should have the following characteristics.

- a. You make a thesis based on your intensive reading of the short story chosen.
- b. Based on the thesis, you make some sections; and, based on the sections the topic sentences can be written.
- c. After having a thesis and some topic sentences, you write an essay by using the following pattern.

Introduction
Body paragraph
Conclusion

Notes:

The thesis should be written as the last sentence of the introduction. The topic sentence should be written as the first sentence of the supporting paragraph. There are at least two supporting paragraphs in the body paragraph. The thesis should be rephrased, and then it should be written in the conclusion.