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TBW Assignment # 01.

Date: _____

Provide brief answers:

1- What are major fields / genre of technical writing

REPORTS:

A type of genre that give other person some information on a process or a series of events or plan, so the person has to decide which decision to make based on their actions.

PROPOSALS:

A document that pitches for business or technical or research plans or grant plans that help to persuade reader to approve project.

INSTRUCTION MANUAL:

Document that include step by step procedure on using ~~man~~ particular hardware or software.

BROCHURES:

A document in which lay phrases are used to attract customers.

CASE STUDIES:

A document containing experience that helped achieve a goal.

TECHNICAL BOOKS:

Programming language books

API DOCUMENTATION:

Complex information related to API explain in simple words for specific users or industries.

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2- Why are good writing skills crucial for Software Engineers?
Effective technical writing is of high valued in this profession because explaining complex subject matter ideas clearly in a very concise and simple way can always give individual an edge above others. They write progress report in order to tell manager their activities, memos to contact with ~~other~~ colleagues organization, to contact colleagues emails. This shows technical writing is key for the Software Engineers.

3- What is the primary purpose of technical writing?
The primary purpose of technical is to give information of someone. The primary goal is to consider reader to be someone aware of that information and to describe complex information in a simple concise way even if they have no prior knowledge.

4- Define technical writing in your own words?

Technical writing is a way of communicating technical information in form of written document. In short, it is a document that provides direction and instruction to the reader consider him to have no prior knowledge so he can understand easily. Technical writing is considered to be good piece if it is simple, detailed, accurate and audience based communication.