Read the following resources before answering the questions below

* <http://www.cbc.ca/news/technology/emojis-forever-pringle-1.4577456>
* <http://www.cbc.ca/news/emoji-equality-google-1.3698970>

Questions

1. List and explain five (5) examples of how "images are becoming the new mode of expression."   
   - a picture can be a thousand words

-emoji’s are convenient so you don’t have to write a thousand paragraphs

- sometime a picture can express exactly what you need it to

- if a crime has been committed a picture is better than someone’s testimony

-emoji’s can make someone’s day.

1. List and explain five (5) advantages of using emojis in communication.

* A text message doesn’t have the same emotional presence when your talking in person
* Instead of writing a long paragraph an emoji can say what you need to
* Frankly sometimes people are tired and cant type so they can use emoji’s to answer a question that they want to answer using words
* emoji’s are universal meaning they don’t have to mean what they look like, you and your friends can assign them new meanings
* All ages can use emojis

1. List and explain five (5) disadvantages of using emojis in communication

-Emoji’s you sent can be used against you in a court of law

-Emoji’s you send can mean something else to someone ( miscommunication )

- some emoji’s don’t work on different or outdated tech.

- can be inappropriately used to influence or heart others

1. Write a supported opinion paragraph (SOP) that addresses the comment "nothing is more important than how emojis are replacing words.". (for or against)

I am against the comment. The comment "nothing is more important than how emojis are replacing words." Is honestly not important at all. In our society we are constantly trying to discover break trough’s or get ahead in so many different types of fields. Emoji’s aren’t more important than space travel, medical science and most of all humanitarian rights. The earth will run out of resources eventually and when that happens man will have to look towards the stars for answers. Where will emoji’s be then. In medical science theirs **Epidemiology,** the study of health and deceases. Emoji’s are nothing in comparison to Ebola. People are suffering all around the world and in the end will it be emoji’s that save them or access to food and water. There are so many things that are more important than emojis that is why I’m against that comment.

1. List and explain three (3) examples of how emoji equity affects users.

* Certain apps and software’s have a limited range of emojis that a person can use to express ones emotion
* There may be more emojis one gender can use that the other gender does not have depending on if your male or female
* There are emotions a person cant express using words nut they can’t express them using emojis either because there is a large amount of emotions the face can express that there are no emojis for.

1. List and explain three (3) examples of how emoji equity is being addressed by companies such as Google.

* google proposed a gender inclusive career emojis to the Unicode Consortium
* Google released several career women emojis
* Google released over 300 new emojis to help better represent women

1. Write a supported opinion paragraph (SOP) that addresses the twitter comment   
   “isn't there more serious issues to focus on in regard to women than emojis?” (for or against)  
   I am all for this tweet that’s stating the fact that we don’t have time to worry about emojis when there are more serious issues concerning women such as fair pay. Women around the world are not getting the same amount of money that men receive for the exact same work, sometimes even better. There are women begging on the streets of India and there are people fighting for emojis equality while people are dying that is just morainic. Women get mistreated and they need justice so who cares if their aren’t enough emojis.
   * http://schools.peelschools.org/sec/fletchersmeadow/studentlife/OSSLTprep/Documents/Sample\_%20Writing%20a%20Supported%20opinion%20paragraph.pdf