

Midterm Exam Solutions

Word – Short Answer

1. Using Word, you are writing an MLA paper for your English class. The MLA format requires you to create a page header. Describe the steps of creating a blank header in a Word document. (Don't write about how you add your last name and page number.)
(Pages: 470 – 473) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Insert tab → Header button → Blank option

2. Explain **one** way to open the Word Application on a Windows 10 computer.
(Pages: 365 – 366) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click the Start button → scroll through the list of apps until the Word app name appears → Click the Word app name to open the app.

3. What are the Rulers in Word used for? Describe **one** use.
(Pages: 454 – 459) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: The Rulers can help you creating first-line indentation in a research paper.

4. Where should you click to change the table in Figure 1, “Table: Before” to the one in Figure 2, “Table: After”?

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
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Figure 1: Table: Before

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
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Figure 2: Table: After

(Pages: 494 – 498) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Right-click inside the 2nd row, and select to insert a row below this 2nd row. Alternatively, right-click inside the 3rd row, and select to insert a row above this 3rd row.

5. (a) Why does Word show a strange colorful underline in the phrase in Figure 3?

The girl eat this.

Figure 3: Phrase in Word

- (b) Mention **one** way to fix the issue and remove this underline with the help of Word (do NOT say “I can simply delete it and re-type it.”)

(Pages: 419 – 423) (7.14 points)

Correct answer:

- (a) The word “eat” should be corrected to “eats” because “girl” is singular, so Word warns you by drawing a blue double underline under that word.
- (b) You can right-click the word or phrase with that underline, and from the options shown, click on the right correction. The correction will replace the mistake, and the underline will disappear. [Alternatively: open the Review tab, and click the Editor (also called Spelling and Grammar) button to view the detected grammar and spelling errors and correct them.]
6. You changed the font of some text in a Word document by mistake. Describe **one** way of un-doing this change.

(Pages: 63 – 64) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: (easiest:) Click the Undo button in the Quick Access Toolbar at the top-left of the Word window OR use the Ctrl+Z / Cmnd+Z shortcuts.

7. Where should you click to change the watermark in the picture 4, “Watermark: Before” to the watermark in the picture 5, “Watermark: After”?

(Pages: 556 – 560) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click the Design tab → click the Watermark arrow → click the “Custom Watermark...” option → next to the option Layout, click on “Horizontal” instead of “Diagonal” → click on Apply, and close the dialog box.

PowerPoint – Short Answer

8. (a) What is the object displayed in Figure 6?

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Figure 4: Watermark: Before

Figure 5: Watermark: After



Figure 6: Object with Buttons

- (b) What happens to the object when you click on the triangle button at the bottom-left of the object?

(Pages: 980 – 987) (7.14 points)

Correct answer:

- (a) This is a video added to the PowerPoint slide.
(b) When we click on the triangle button, the video starts playing.

9. Name **two** tabs in PowerPoint that Word does NOT have. **Hint:** Look at PowerPoint's tabs on the screenshot given on the textbook page listed below.

(Pages: 883) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: (Example:) Transitions, Animations

10. How do you delete a slide? Mention **one** way.

(Pages: 904 – 907) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Right-click the slide you want to delete inside the Slides tab → Click the “Delete” option.

11. Explain why the 1st slide in a PowerPoint presentation is called the “Title Slide,” according to our lectures.

(Pages: 1155 – 1156) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: The Title Slide comes with placeholders for both the title and subtitle of the entire presentation, so it serves as the title of the presentation.

12. You are are working on a PowerPoint presentation with 3 slides. The thumbnails (small pictures) of your slides are displayed in the Slides tab/area shown in Figure 7, “My Slides”. Where should you click to change the Slides tab to the one in Figure 8, “My Slides: Changed”?

(Pages: 907 – 908) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click on Slide 2 in the Slides tab/area → Drag it below the Slide 3 → When you notice that Slide 3 move above Slide 2, release the mouse. Now, the two slides exchanged their order!

13. Which button do you need to click to add the text pointed by the red arrows in Figure 9? (Note: the object the question is asking about is below the red arrows. The arrows are for illustration only and should NOT be a part of the answer.)

(Pages: 967 – 970) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Click the Insert Tab → Click the “Header & Footer” button → Check the “Date and time” box → Click on the Fixed radio button → Check the “Slide Number” box → Check the “Footer” box → Type: “Presentation about Nothing” → Click the “Apply to All” button to insert this footer.



Figure 7: My Slides



Figure 8: My Slides: Changed

Just a Title

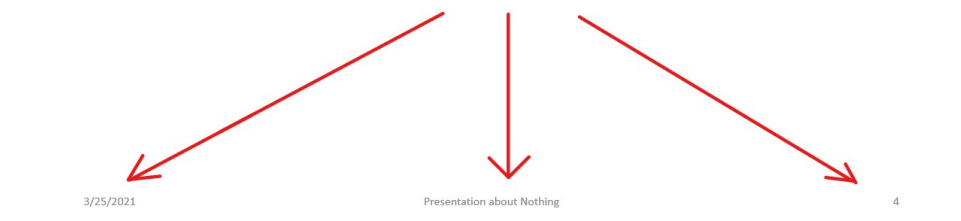


Figure 9: What is This

14. You are editing a bulleted list. What happens when you click on the button in the image in Figure 10?



Figure 10: Button with Arrow

(Pages: 443 – 446) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: When you click on this Increase List Level button, the item in the list changes its importance to 2nd level point, 3rd level point, etc.

Extra Credit

Word

15. Explain **one** difference between a **.docx** Word file and a **.doc** Word file.

(Pages: 380 – 382) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: One of the following answers would suffice:

- A **.docx** Word file belongs to the newest version of Word, while a **.doc** Word file belongs to an older version of Word.
- A **.docx** Word file works with Word 2007 and beyond, while a **.doc** Word file works with Microsoft Word 2003 and older.
- A **.docx** Word file has improved scripts, macros, and other features, compared to a **.doc** Word file.

16. What is the purpose of the following partially-shown dialog box in Figure 11?

(Pages: 569 – 570) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: The purpose of the dialog box is to insert/edit the details of a new bibliographic source into a Word document to later use it inside the bibliography or inside a citation.

PowerPoint

17. How can you insert a table with 3 rows and 2 columns inside the PowerPoint box shown in Figure 12? Your answer must use the box shown in that Figure.

(Pages: 1055 – 1059) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: This object is a content placeholder. Click the “Insert Table” icon inside this content placeholder to open the Insert Table dialog box → Type 3 in the “Number of rows” box and 2 in the “Number of columns” box → Click OK for the table to be added.

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Figure 11: Dialog Box

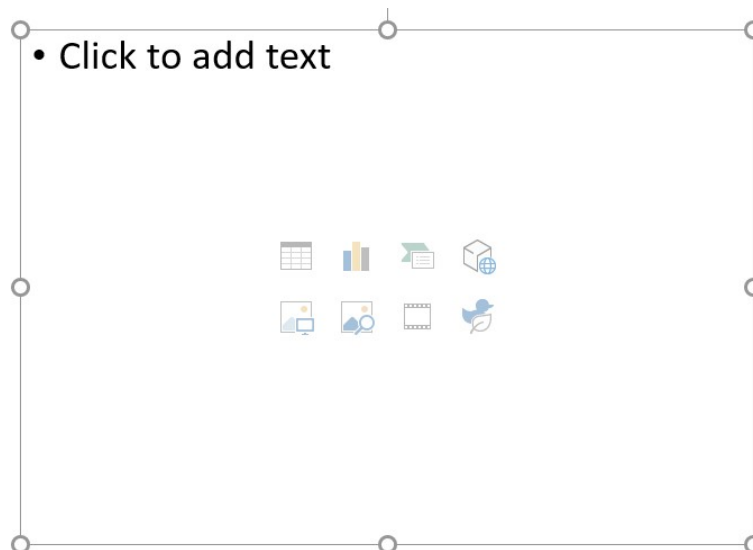


Figure 12: Insert Table Here

18. What is the difference between this list:

- Apple
- Cherry
- Banana
- Strawberry

and this list:

- Fruit
 - Apple
 - Cherry
- Veggies
 - Banana
 - Strawberry

In your answer, speak about the hierarchy of the lists, not the content (the fruits and veggies) and not the way the bullet points look.

(Pages: 443 – 446) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: The first list is a regular first-level bulleted list, while the second list is a multi-level bulleted list with 1st-level and 2nd-level items.

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