

Midterm Exam Solutions

Word – Short Answer

1. Which button in Word should you click to change the text:

Good morning!

to the following text:

Good morning!

(Pages: 399 – 401) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the phrase → Click the Home Tab → Click the Font Color arrow → Click on the Blue color

2. 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.

3. What is the purpose of the following partially-shown dialog box in Figure 1?

The dialog box is titled "Bibliography Fields for MLA". It contains the following elements:

- A dropdown menu for "Web site" (currently showing "Web site").
- A "Language" dropdown menu (currently showing "Default").
- Input fields for:
 - Author (with an "Edit" button)
 - Corporate Author (checkbox)
 - Name of Web Page
 - Year
 - Month
 - Day
 - Year Accessed
 - Month Accessed
 - Day Accessed
 - Medium
- A checkbox for "Show All Bibliography Fields".
- A "Tag name" field with the text "Placeholder1".
- "OK" and "Cancel" buttons.

Figure 1: Dialog Box

(Pages: 569 – 570) (7.14 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.

4. Name **three** commands/buttons on the Quick Access Toolbar.

(Pages: 369) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: (For example:) Save, Undo, and Redo

5. Where should you click to change the table in Figure 2, “Table: Before” to the one in Figure 3, “Table: After”?

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
Info	Info

Figure 2: Table: Before

Column 1	Column 2
Info	Info
Info	Info

Figure 3: 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.

6. 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

7. Describe **one** way in which you can change the picture inside a Word document shown in Figure 4, “Apple: Before” to the picture shown in Figure 5, “Apple: After”.

(Pages: 514 – 516) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the picture → Click on any one of the 4 corner sizing handles (those white small circles on the picture’s corners,) and drag it towards the opposite corner (inwards the picture) until the picture becomes as small as needed.

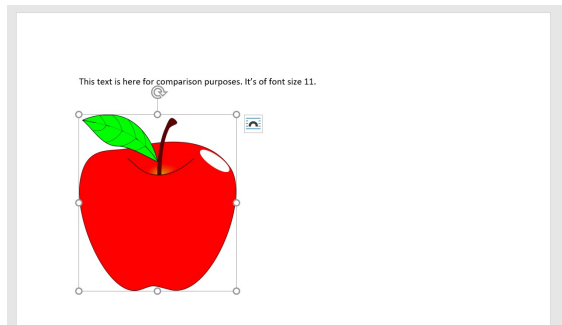


Figure 4: Apple: Before

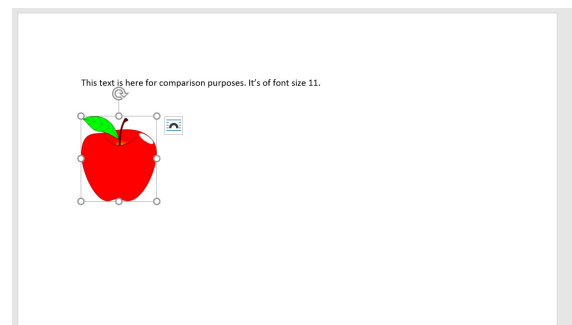


Figure 5: Apple: After

PowerPoint – Short Answer

8. How can you insert a table with 3 rows and 2 columns inside the PowerPoint box shown in Figure 6? Your answer must use the box shown in that Figure.

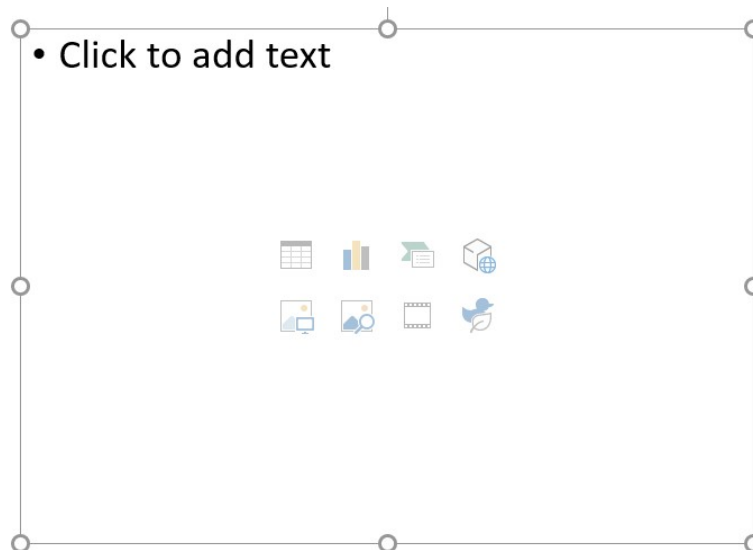


Figure 6: Insert Table Here

(Pages: 1055 – 1059) (7.14 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.

9. If you click on any one of the squares in the picture in Figure 7, what will change in the PowerPoint presentation? Explain in general.

(Pages: 962 – 964) (7.14 points)

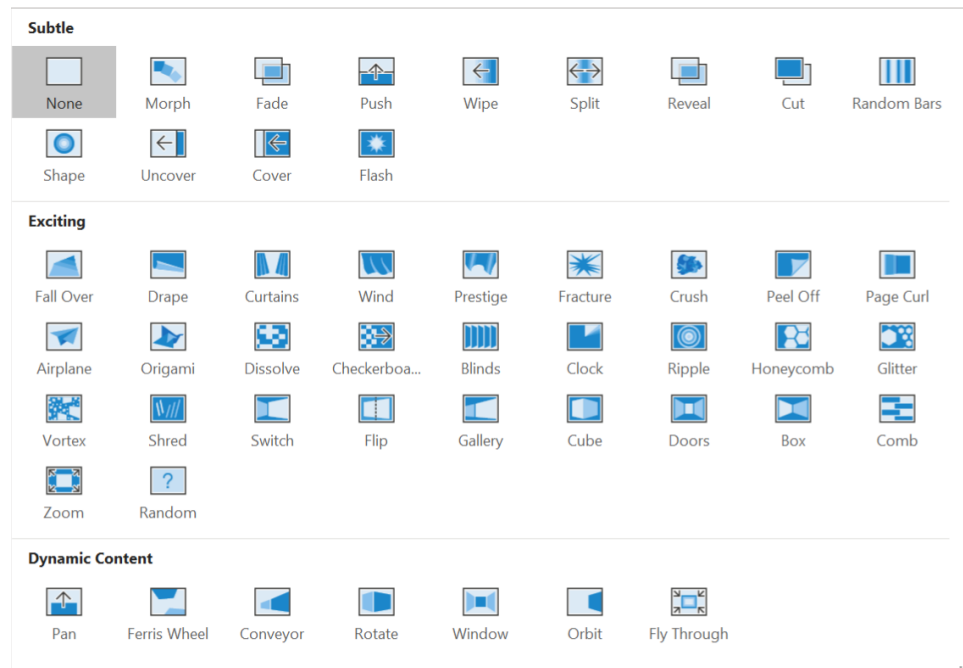


Figure 7: Many Options

Correct answer: Clicking on one of these squares will add a transition between the slides of the presentation.

10. You 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 8, “My Slides”. Where should you click to change the Slides tab to the one in Figure 9, “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!

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. Which button do you need to click to add the text pointed by the red arrows in Figure 10? (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)



Figure 8: My Slides



Figure 9: My Slides: Changed

Just a Title

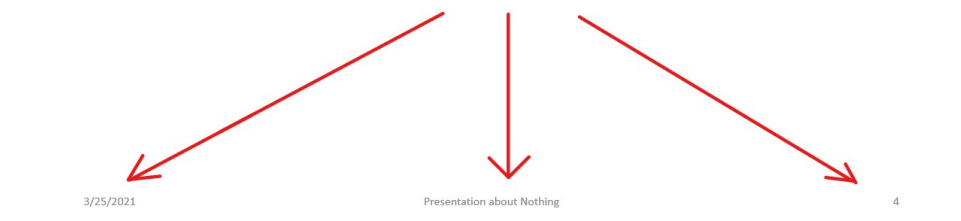


Figure 10: What is This

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.

13. 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) (7.14 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.

14. Where do you need to click to change the chart in Figure 11, “Chart: Before” to the chart in Figure 12, “Chart: After”? Your answer must use a button from the Chart Tools: Format tab.

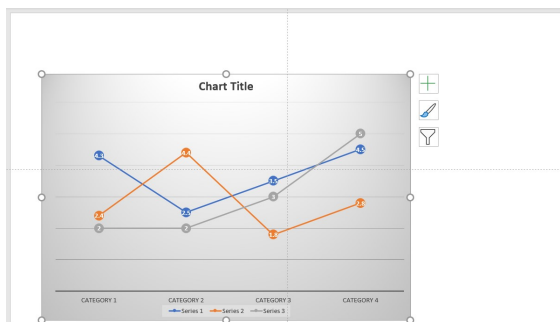


Figure 11: Chart: Before

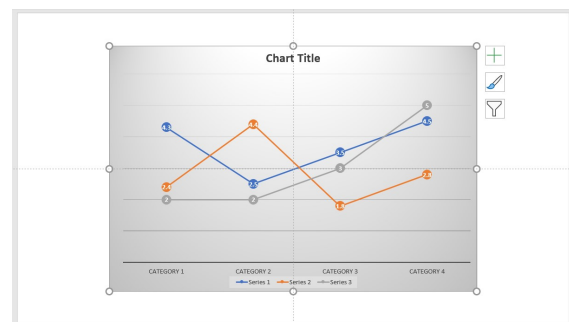


Figure 12: Chart: After

(Pages: 1126 – 1133) (7.14 points)

Correct answer: Select the chart → click on the Chart Tools: Format tab → Click on the Align button → click on “Align Center” → Click on the Align button again → click on “Align Middle”.

Extra Credit

Word

15. What are the Rulers in Word used for? Describe **one** use.

(Pages: 454 – 459) (2.5 points)

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

16. Which button in Word should you click to change the 3 paragraphs:

My name is Jane.

I love cats.

I also love pizza.

to:

(a) My name is Jane.

(b) I love cats.

(c) I also love pizza.

(Pages: 441 – 442) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: Select the paragraphs → Click the Home Tab → Click the Numbering button

PowerPoint

17. 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) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: (Example:) Transitions, Animations

18. How can you move the shapes in Figure 13, “My Shapes” so that they are positioned like those in Figure 14, “My Shapes: Moved”? In your answer, you must use a button on the Drawing Tools (Shape) Format Tab.

(Pages: 939 – 943) (2.5 points)

Correct answer: Select all the 3 shapes by clicking and holding the Control button on the keyboard and clicking on each of the shapes → Click the Drawing Tools (Shape)

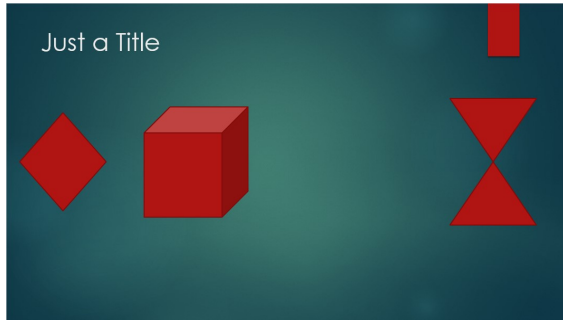


Figure 13: My Shapes

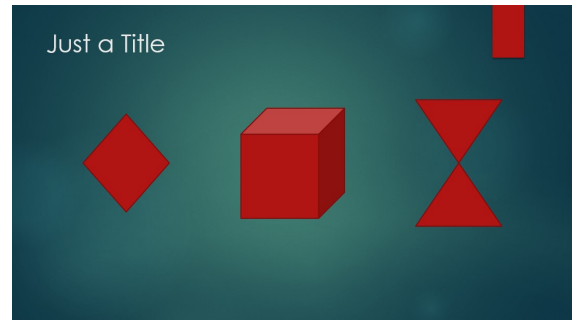


Figure 14: My Shapes: Moved

Format Tab → Click the Align button → Click “Align to Slide” → Click the Align button again → Click “Distribute Horizontally”.

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