

Answers to the essay questions are to be written in the separate essay booklet.

In developing your answer to Part II, be sure to keep these general definitions in mind:

- (a) **describe** means “to illustrate something in words or tell about it”
- (b) **explain** means “to make plain or understandable; to give reasons for or causes of; to show the logical development or relationships of”
- (c) **discuss** means “to make observations about something using facts, reasoning, and argument; to present in some detail”

Part II

THEMATIC ESSAY QUESTION

Directions: Write a well-organized essay that includes an introduction, several paragraphs addressing the task below, and a conclusion.

Theme: Change—Individuals

Throughout history, various circumstances have led individuals to develop or modify ideas. These ideas have often affected societies.

Task:

Select **two** individuals from your study of global history and for **each**

- Describe the historical circumstances that led this individual to develop or modify an idea
- Explain an action taken by this individual as a result of this idea
- Discuss how this individual’s idea affected a society

You may use any individual from your study of global history and geography. Some suggestions you might wish to consider include Pericles, Martin Luther, Queen Elizabeth I, Toussaint L’Ouverture, Karl Marx, Mohandas Gandhi, Jomo Kenyatta, Mao Zedong, Mikhail Gorbachev, and Mother Theresa.

You are *not* limited to these suggestions.

Do *not* use an individual from the United States in your answer.

Guidelines:

In your essay, be sure to

- Develop all aspects of the task
- Support the theme with relevant facts, examples, and details
- Use a logical and clear plan of organization, including an introduction and a conclusion that are beyond a restatement of the theme