



## Crafton Hills College Tutoring Center

### Asynchronous Workshops

#### Timed Writing

**Student Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Course:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Professor:** \_\_\_\_\_

#### Overview

In this self-paced asynchronous workshop, you'll learn how to improve your timed writing test taking skills, so you know how to better prepare for and take tests through a combination of a Prezi and instructional videos.

#### Learning Outcomes

Students will learn about skill based and content based timed writing tests (also called blue book tests).

#### Activity

Review this Prezi online at <https://prezi.com/view/mpVtuSActjhsmQDGCFVU/> or print out the Prezi pdf, then see the instructional videos below:

#### Review the Following Timed Writing Test Videos:

Tips for Timed Writing Tests: <https://youtu.be/SJ0nsAaOC9Y>

Tips for Short Answer Questions: <https://youtu.be/xoM4tDOEQ-k>

#### Review the Following Sites:

[Timed Writing Test Tips: https://uwaterloo.ca/writing-and-communication-centre/blog/post/9-tips-ace-timed-essay](https://uwaterloo.ca/writing-and-communication-centre/blog/post/9-tips-ace-timed-essay)

[Timed Essay Strategies: https://sites.austincc.edu/tsiprep/writing-review/strategies-for-writing-a-timed-essay/](https://sites.austincc.edu/tsiprep/writing-review/strategies-for-writing-a-timed-essay/)

## Self-Check

If you are still having trouble, consider attending a Writing Workshop or visiting the Online Tutoring Page. If you feel you have a good grasp of Timed Writing Tests, see if you can answer the following questions:

1. What is the difference between a content based and skill based timed writing test?
2. How are you going to study for your next timed writing test?
3. How long should a short answer be?



If you need proof that you attended this workshop, send this form from your student email (with the top section of the first page filled out) to [jmontejano@sbccd.cc.ca.us](mailto:jmontejano@sbccd.cc.ca.us) with the subject line **Last Name Online Workshop Confirmation** to receive a signed pdf copy that you can forward to your professor's email.

Tutoring Center Faculty Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Tutoring Center Faculty Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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