



Practice ACT test dates

Making the Grade, LLC will be administering practice tests monthly. The testing dates are as follows:

September 5th 9am-1pm
 October 10th 9am-1pm
 November 14th 9am-1pm
 December 5th 9am-1pm

www.makingthegradellc.com

Next ACT test date

October 24th

Registration
 September 18, 2015

Late Registration
 September 19-Oct. 2, 2015

www.actstudent.org



ACT Challenge of the Month

Students must submit their answers online at www.makingthegradellc.com. Students who answer both questions correctly will be entered into a drawing to win a prize! Don't forget to visit our blog frequently for more updates on ACT tips and strategies!

English Question

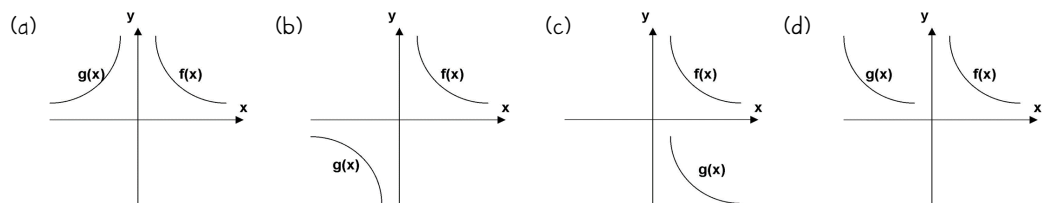
So there he stood, that learned professor of mine, lecturing about the ideas, that have engaged people's minds for centuries.

Choose the best alternative for the underlined portion.

- A. NO CHANGE
- B. Ideas that
- C. Ideas. That
- D. Ideas, which

Math Question

Which of the following graphs could be the correct representation of 2 functions $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ that satisfy the equation $g(x) = -f(-x)$?



Did You Know?

Making the Grade, LLC will be at City Fest. City Fest is a FREE festive event where students can learn about local resources, ECU student organizations, and how to get involved on campus and in the community. City Fest will be held on September 17 from 5:30pm-8:30pm at the Powell Plaza on ECU's campus. Come see us!



Making the Grade ACT Program Dates

Making the Grade, LLC is offering ACT programs throughout the semester to help students prepare for the upcoming ACT test dates. The programs run for 4 weeks and will be held on EKU's campus. The next program begins September 21. Students may choose to participate in one or all 4 sections of the programs.

English

Monday
September 21, 2015
5-7 PM

Math

Tuesday
September 22, 2015
5:30-7:30 PM

Reading

Wednesday,
September 23, 2015
5-7 PM

Science

Thursday
September 24, 2015
5:30-7:30 PM

Scholarship Corner



Wendy's High School Heisman

Deadline: October 2, 2015

For: This scholarship is for students who maintain a 3.0 GPA or better. Applicants also need to be proven leaders and role models within their communities. Applicants must also perform in at least one of the 43 school sponsored sports recognized by the International Olympic Committee in the Summer and Winter Olympic Games or the National Federation of State High School Association.

Details: Award amounts and number of winners varies.

Link: <https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com>

HotelsCheap General Scholarship for Higher Learning

Deadline: October 15, 2015

For: This scholarship is for legal residents of the United States who are at least 16 years of age. To qualify, applicants must be enrolled in an accredited post-secondary academic institution in the United States. To apply, applicants must answer four personal, open-ended and thought-provoking questions.

Details: There will be one winner of a \$1,500 scholarship.

Link: <http://www.hotelscheap.org/scholarship>

Williams-Mystic/Joseph Conrad Ocean Essay Contest

Deadline: October 24, 2015

For: This essay contest is for high school seniors and college undergraduates of any major who are attending an accredited college or university. To qualify, applicants must submit a fiction or nonfiction essay between 1,000 and 5,000 words about any topic and in any genre as long as the ocean or a major body of water is the primary setting or aspect of concern.

Details: 1 scholarship will be awarded at \$500 dollars.

Link: <http://mystic.williams.edu/conradcontest>

Coca-Cola Scholars Program Scholarship:

Deadline: October 31, 2015

For: This Scholarship is for college-bound high school students who are attending college in the United States. The applicant must maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher. Applicants cannot be children or grandchildren of Coca-Cola employees, owners or officers.

Details: There are 150 scholarships given and the average award is \$20,000.

Link: www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org