Take the following test on test-taking skills.

MULTIPLE-CHOICE SECTION

Choose one of the possible responses following each question.

1. Tests are useful tools for which of the following purposes?
2. Determining people’s likely level of future career success.
3. Indication strengths and gaps in people’s knowledge.
4. Defining people’s fundamental abilities and potentials.
5. Evaluation people’s individual worth and contributions.
6. One of the main advantages of study groups is that:
7. Every individual must contribute equally to the group.
8. Group members can help each other during the test.
9. Each member has to memorize only a fraction of the material.
10. Groups motivate their members to do good work.
11. Which of the following is a good way to deal with test anxiety?
12. Visualizing success on the test.
13. Drinking coffee or other stimulants.
14. Telling yourself to stop worrying.
15. Focusing on the importance of the test.

MATCHING SECTION

\_\_\_\_ 1. Essay question A. A question in which the student supplies brief missing information to compete a statement.

\_\_\_\_ 2.Multiple-choice question B. Hurried, last minute studying.

\_\_\_\_ 3. Matching question C. A question in which the student must link information in two columns.

\_\_\_\_ 4. Fill-in D. A question requiring a lengthy response in the student’s own words.

\_\_\_\_ 5. Guessing penalty E. Deduction of points for incorrect responses.

\_\_\_\_ 6. Cramming F. Representing another’s work as one’s own.

\_\_\_\_ 7. Academic dishonesty G. A question that requires selection from several response options.

FILL –IN SECTION

1. Fear of testing that can interfere with test performance is called \_\_\_\_\_\_.
2. The primary source of error on machine-scored tests is incomplete \_\_\_\_\_\_.

TRUE-FALSE SECTION

1. The best way to prepare for an essay test is to review detailed factual information about the topic. T \_\_ or F\_\_.
2. True-false questions require students to determine whether given statements are accurate or inaccurate. T\_\_ or F \_\_.
3. You should never permit yourself to feel panicky during a test. T\_\_ or F \_\_.
4. A good evaluation strategy towards the end of a test is to redo as many question as time permits. T \_\_ or F \_\_.
5. In a multiple-choice question, the words “always” and “never” usually signal the correct response. T \_\_ or F\_\_.
6. If you run out of time at the end of a test, it is best to write brief notes and ideas down in response to essay questions rather than to leave them completely blank. T\_\_ or F\_\_.

SHORT-ANSWER SECTION

1. What are five things you should find out about a test before you take it?
2. What is academic honesty?

ESSAY SECTION

1. Discuss the advantages of using a study group to prepare for an examination.
2. Why is academic honesty important?