

Grading guidelines for multiple choice:

25 questions, 4 points per question

Total number of possible points = $4 * 25 = 100$ points

[divided by two for a grade out of 50]

You have to select at LEAST one answer from the four proposed answers. If you do not, the grader will consider that you did not look at the question and will give you 0 out of 4 points. In other words, you will always be better off to select one answer even if you do it randomly.

To get the maximum number of points, you have to select ALL the correct answers, AND ONLY the correct answers.

Assuming that you selected at least one out of the four: each selected answer that had to be selected gives 1 point, each non-selected answer that was not supposed to be selected gives 1 point, otherwise you get 0 (i.e when you select an answer that was not supposed to be selected or when you do not select an answer that was supposed to be selected).

Example:

Which famous economist was teaching International Macroeconomics at PSIA this year?

- a. Nicolas Coeurdacier
- b. Nicolas Cage
- c. Nicolas Anelka
- d. Nicolas Sarkozy

The right answer is a) only. The only way to get 4 points

- Student A had to prepare mentally for the Gala and thus did not attend classes. He gave the following smart answer based on nationality: a), c) and d)

This student will get one point for a), one point for b) (judiciously not selected since Nicolas Cage is from the US) and zero point for c) and d). A total of 2 out of 4.

- Student B found this question very difficult and moved to the next one. He did not select anything and got 0 out of 4.