



Sèrie 3 Harvard accuses students of cheating

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Choose the correct answer (1-7).

1. According to the article, authorities at Harvard University
a) believe that some students cheated.
2. In 1951, Edward Kennedy
c) was forced to discontinue his studies at Harvard for two years.
3. In the 2009-2010 academic year, Harvard's Administrative Board
a) closely examined nearly 200 cases of academic dishonesty.
4. The article states that scandals of academic dishonesty
c) have recently occurred at several leading universities.
5. According to the article, Duke University required some students who were found cheating on assignments
d) to suspend their studies temporarily.
6. A committee studying possible cases of cheating at Dartmouth College
b) was unable to determine exactly who had cheated.
7. Which of the following expressions can replace the word *withdraw* in the clause "and ask four to permanently *withdraw*"? Make sure that the new clause has the same meaning as the original.
a) Leave.

Rewrite the sentence as indicated.

8. Change the sentence "Its members had to absolve all 78 students for fear of wrongly punishing one" from the active voice to the passive voice.

All 78 students had to be absolved for fear of wrongly punishing one.

Please answer the following questions in English. (Please do not copy text but rather answer in your own words, your answer should be between forty and sixty words in length.)

ELS CRITERIS BÀSICS PER A LA CORRECCIÓ DE LES PREGUNTES DE COMPRESIÓ «OBERTES» (NÚMEROS 9 I 10) SÓN L'ADEQUACIÓ DE LA RESPOSTA AL CONTINGUT DEL TEXT I LA CORRECCIÓ EN L'EXPRESSIÓ. PER TANT, CAL VALORAR SOBRETOT: UNA REDACCIÓ MÍNIMAMENT COHERENT I CORRECTA, SENSE FALTES D'ORTOGRAFIA (O LES MÍNIMES POSSIBLES); UN DOMINI SUFICIENT DEL LÈXIC RELACIONAT AMB LA PREGUNTA, DE LA SINTAXI (QUE NO S'EXPRESSIN AMB FRASES SIMPLÉS, SINÓ QUE UTILITZIN NEXES) I DEL RAONAMENT LÒGIC. SI AIXÒ ES DEMOSTRA EN UN ESCRIT DE 40 A 60 PARAULES, INDICA QUE L'ALUMNE CONEIX L'ESTRUCTURA BÀSICA DE LA LLENGUA ANGLESA.



9. What did Edward Kennedy do while at Harvard, and what happened to him?

Edward Kennedy was a student at Harvard and asked a friend of his to take his Spanish final exam for him. He was accused and found guilty by university authorities of academic dishonesty, and had to interrupt his studies at Harvard for two years.

10. What did authorities at Dartmouth College do about accusations of cheating in a computer science class? Do you agree with their final decision?

Dartmouth officials investigated close to 80 students accused of cheating. After many interviews and studying some 500 pages of evidence, they were not able to determine exactly who had cheated and who had not, so they decided to declare all the accused students innocent.

(Obviously, the person writing the exam can agree or disagree with Dartmouth's actions; the point is for them to write something in their own words about this incident.)