

ESSAY #2 CHARTS AND STATISTICS: CRIMINAL LAW/CRIMINAL PROCEDURE QUESTION - SCORE: 0

AVG, MIN, MAX and RANK Based on Essay #2 of 44 Examinees							
Essay Statistics	You	Answer 1	Answer 2	AVG	MIN	MAX	RANK
Essay #2: Words	906	1410	1615	661	1	1521	
Essay #2: Characters	4663	7460	8095	3215	1	7363	
Essay #2: Paragraphs	12	18	20	13	1	29	22
Essay #2: Sentences	35	49	60	30	1	58	14
Essay #2: Sentences per Paragraph	2.9	2.7	3	3.1	1	8.2	
Essay #2: Words per Sentence	25.8	28.7	26.9	21	1	41.9	
Essay #2: Characters per Word	5	5.1	4.9	4.7	4	5.1	3
Essay #2: Flesch Reading Ease	39.3	34.2	41.8	50.9	0	64.9	
Essay #2: Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level	13.8	14.9	13.7	10.9	0	18.9	
Essay #2: Irac Intro to Sentence	48.6%	34.7%	35.0%	42.6%	0.0%	75.0%	

Word Size Breakdown	You	Question	Answer 1	Answer 2	Avg
Essay #2: words four letters and less	24.2%	32.0%	21.7%	23.9%	33.7%
Essay #2: words five letters and less	36.0%	44.3%	33.0%	37.4%	47.1%
Essay #2: words seven letters and less	62.4%	77.5%	62.5%	67.5%	73.8%
Essay #2: words ten letters and less	91.4%	95.5%	91.2%	92.7%	94.9%
Essay #2: words more than ten letters	8.6%	4.5%	8.8%	7.3%	5.1%

Score Comparison Statistics You versus other Examinees	Word Count	Essay Score	Grade Level	Essay Score	Essay to Quest. %	Essay Score	IRAC to Sentence	Essay Score
Your Essay	906	0	13.8	0	38.5%	0	48.6%	0
Overall Essay #2 average (44 examinees)	661	42.94	10.9	42.94	37.9%	42.94	42.6%	42.94

Breakdown by Quartile	Word Count	Essay Score	Grade Level	Essay Score	Essay to Quest. %	Essay Score	IRAC to Sentence	Essay Score
1st quartile average (0-25 percentile)	428	34.74	9.9	41.52	32.1%	35.48	34.3%	42.2
2nd quartile average (25-50 percentile)	661	42.44	10.8	39.44	38.3%	44.35	43.9%	45.26
3rd quartile average (50-75 percentile)	867	48.69	12.3	46.74	45.1%	48.11	54.0%	41.87
4th quartile average (75-100 percentile)	1521	47.1	18.9	45.89	58.6%	44.79	75.0%	44.31

Maximum and Minimum	Word Count	Essay Score	Grade Level	Essay Score	Essay to Quest. %	Essay Score	IRAC to Sentence	Essay Score
Essay with highest	1521	55.89	18.9	55.89	58.6%	55.89	75.0%	55.89
Essay with lowest	1	21.3	0	21.3	0.0%	21.3	0.0%	21.3

IRAC Introductory Phrases	You	Answer 1	Answer 2	Average
The issue	3	2	2	1.8
The question				
Another issue				
Under	1		2	2.1
In NY				0.2
In New York	1			0.2
The rule				
The Rule				
As a general				
Generally				0.2
The standard				0.1
In the absence				
Based on				0.1
Here		4	1	2.3
In this	3	1	4	0.9
Assuming		1	1	
Although	1			0.2
Absent				
Because		3		0.3
However	3	4	4	1.2
Instead				
Secondly				
Furthermore				0.2
Additionally	1		1	0.1
In the				0.2
It should be noted				
Note				
In conclusion	3			0.1
In closing				
Thus			3	0.4
Therefore	1		3	1.8
As a consequence				
Hence				0.2
Finally		2		0.1
For the				

IRAC Intros Used	17	17	21	12.7
Different IRAC Intros Used	9	7	9	5.7

Top 20 words the above average answers used that you did not		
Rank	Word	#
1	dan's	9.5
2	suspect	8.5
3	any	7
4	where	6
5	level	5.5
6	officer's	5
7	encounter	4
8	knowledge	4
9	rise	3.5
10	out	3.5
11	who	3.5
12	drawer	3.5
13	him	3.5
14	no	3
15	fourth	3
16	because	3
17	excluded	3
18	more	3
19	answer	3
20	does	3

Top 20 words you used that the above average answers did not		
Rank	Word	#
1	conclusion	4
2	us	3
3	arrestee	3
4	satisfv	3
5	legal	3
6	acquired	3
7	defense	3
8	negligence	3
9	find	2
10	incriminating	2
11	suppressed	2
12	instead	2
13	dan's	2
14	which	2
15	individual	2
16	burden	2
17	deemed	2
18	significance	2
19	showing	2
20	contraband	2

Top 10 words in above average answer 1 that you did not use		
Rank	Word	#
1	dan's	11
2	level	7
3	encounter	7
4	where	5
5	them *	5
6	officer's	5
7	because	5
8	knowledge	5
9	suspect	5
10	drawer	5

Top 10 words in above average answer 2 that you did not use		
Rank	Word	#
1	suspect	12
2	any	11
3	dan's	8
4	where	7
5	him *	7
6	more *	6
7	rise	6
8	answer *	6
9	does *	6
10	thus *	6

For the two Top 10 charts above, any word marked with an asterisk (*) means that the other above average answer also did not use this word.

Top 15 words in the Question that both above avg. answers used but you did not		
Rank	Word	#
1	requested	4
2	dividend	4
3	withdrawals	4
4	dan's	4
5	car	4
6	who	3
7	insure's	3
8	motion	3
9	no	2
10	walk	2
11	out	2
12	gave	2
13	warnings	2
14	request	2
15	shopping	1

Word Comparison Statistics	You	AVG	Answer 1	Answer 2
Essay To Question Comparison	38.5%	37.9%	50.4%	58.2%
Essay To Answer 1 Comparison	29.0%	25.2%		45.8%
Essay To Answer 2 Comparison	32.2%	28.3%	48.3%	

ESSAY #2 CHART AND STATISTICS EXPLANATIONS: CRIMINAL LAW/CRIMINAL PROCEDURE QUESTION - SCORE: 0

The 'Essay Statistics' chart reports a variety of statistics pertaining to Essay #2. The first data column reports your essay statistics. For example, your Essay #2 consisted of 906 words. The second data column reports the essay statistics for the first released above-average answer for Essay #2. For example, the first released above average answer for Essay #2 had a Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level of 14.9 as compared to your Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level of 13.8. The third data column reports the essay statistics for the second released above-average answer for Essay #2. For example, the second released above average answer for Essay #2 consisted of 60 sentences compared to 35 sentences in your essay.

The next four data columns of the 'Essay Statistics' chart report the average (AVG), maximum (MAX), minimum (MIN) and rank (RANK) essay statistics based on the essays of 44 examinees that failed the July 2011 exam and submitted their essays to me (the released essays are not counted in these statistics). As a result, the AVG columns show the mean score for each essay statistic based on the Essay #2 essays of the 44 examinees that failed the July 2011 exam and submitted their essays to me. For example, the average number of IRAC Intro to Sentences (number of IRAC intros divided by number of sentences) among the 44 examinees was 42.6% (meaning an average of 57.4% of the examinee sentences did not begin with one of the IRAC Introductory Phrases listed above). On this essay, your total words of 906 words was 245 words more than the average Essay #2 words of 661 (based on the 44 submitted scores). Keep in mind these averages are only from those that failed - they may not accurately reflect the essay statistics of all examinees. Please also note the analysis does not distinguish between laptop and handwritten essay scores.

The MAX and MIN columns report the highest score and lowest statistics for that category based on the Essay #2 essays of the 44 examinees that failed the July 2011 exam and submitted their essays to me. Again, keep in mind these maximum and minimum numbers are only from those that failed - they may not accurately reflect the statistics of all examinees. On this essay, your total words of 906 words was 905 words more than the minimum Essay #2 words of 1 words. In contrast, your total words of 906 words was 615 words less than the maximum Essay #2 words of 1521 words (based on the 44 submitted scores).

The 'Word Size Breakdown' chart reports compares your Essay #2 word sizes to the words in the Essay #2 Question; the two released above average answers; and the averages of the 44 examinees that failed the July 2011 exam and submitted their essays to me. For example, in your Essay #2 answer, 62.4% of your words were seven letters or less. Meanwhile, in the Essay #2 Question, 77.5% of the words were seven letters or less. In the first released above average answer for Essay #2, 62.5% of the words were seven letters or less. In the second released above average answer for Essay #2, 67.5% of the words were seven letters or less. For the 44 examinees, on average, 73.8% of the words in their essay were seven letters or less. Therefore, your essay contained 11.4% less words that were seven letters or less as compared to the the 44 examinees that failed the July 2011 exam and submitted their essays to me.

The 'score Comparison Statistics' chart compares a number of statistics to the essay scores. The first row reports your essay statistics (for example, your essay had an Essay to Question % of 38.5% and a score of 0. This means that 38.5% of the words in the Question appeared in your essay answer). The second data row reports the score comparison statistics for the Essay #2 average of the 44 examinees who submitted essays. For example, these 44 essays had an Essay to Question % of 37.9% and an average score of 42.94. Other statistics include Word Count vs Score, Grade Level vs. Score, and IRAC to Sentence vs. Score. For example, these 44 essays had a average Flesch-Kincaid Grade Level of 10.9 (with average score of 42.94).

The 'Breakdown by Quartile' section of the 'score Comparison Statistics' chart compares the statistics to essay scores based on Quartile averages of the 44 examinees who submitted essays. For example, the 1st quartile average (0-25 percentile) for Word Count was 428 words with a score of 34.74; the 2nd quartile average (25-50 percentile) for Grade Level was 10.8 with a score of 39.44; the 3rd quartile average (50-75 percentile) for Essay to Question percentage was 45.1% with a score of 48.11; and the 4th quartile average (75-100 percentile) for IRAC to Sentence percentage was 75% with a score of 44.31. Keep in mind that the smaller the essay sample, the decreased statistical significance of the quartile breakdowns.

The 'Minimum and Maximum' section of the 'score Comparison Statistics' chart shows the highest and lowest statistics for each category along with their corresponding scores. For example, the essay with the highest word count consisted of 1521 words with a score of 55.89; the essay with the lowest Grade Level had a Grade Level of 0 with a score of 21.3; the essay with the highest Essay to Question percentage was 58.6% with a score of 55.89; and the essay with the lowest IRAC to Sentence percentage was 0% with a score of 21.3. Again, keep in mind that the smaller the essay sample, the decreased statistical significance of these superlatives.

The 'IRAC Introductory Phrases' chart reports how often you used certain IRAC phrases in your answer and compares your essay answer to the two above average answers. For example, for the phrase 'The issue', your essay used this IRAC phrase 3 times in your essay (Please note that the phrase 'The issue' covers instances of 'The issue is' or 'The issue is whether' or 'The issue here' or any other variant of 'The issue...'). In contrast, the first released above average answer used this IRAC phrase 2 times and the second released above average essay used this IRAC phrase 2 times. Among the 44 examinees, 20 of the 35 listed IRAC Intros were used.

In Essay #2, you used a total of 17 IRAC Introductory statements stemming from 9 different IRAC Phrases. In contrast, the first released above average essay used a total of 17 IRAC Introductory statements stemming from 7 different IRAC Phrases. The second released above average essay used a total of 21 IRAC Introductory statements stemming from 9 different IRAC Phrases. The above average essays used approximately 10.53% more IRAC Intros than your essay.

The 'Top 20 words the above average answers used that you did not' chart compares the words in your answer to an average of the words in the two above average answers. For example, the above average answers used the word 'dan's' an average of 9.5 times in each of the released above average Essay #2 answers while you never used this word in your Essay #2 answer. The list is sorted based on how often the words were used. For example, the 2nd most used word mentioned in the above average answers that you did not use was the word 'suspect'. It was used an average of 8.5 times in each of the released above average Essay #2 answers while you never used this word in your Essay #2 answer.

Please note that this chart is not filtered. The chart may report abbreviations or common words such as prepositions or names. Regardless, it is important to be aware what words you did not use that the above average answers used, even if they are abbreviations or common words such as propositions. You should incorporate such common words into your vocabulary when answering New York bar essay questions. By examining the differences, your goal should be to emulate the above average answer writing style in your essay writing. For example, any word relating to the question or a legal principle is a topic or subject you likely missed in your answer.

The 'Top 20 words you used that the above average answers did not' chart compares the words in your answer to an average of the words in the two above average answers. For example, you used the word 'conclusion' a total of 4 times in your Essay #2 answer while the above average answers never used this word. As with the prior chart, please keep in mind that this chart is not filtered, and common words or prepositions are included in the list.

The 'Top 15 words in the Question that both above average answers used but you did not' chart compares the words in your answer to an average of the words in the two above average answers. For example, the word 'requested' was used in the Question a total of 4 times. Each above average answer used this word in their answer, but you never used this word in your answer.

The 'Top 10 words in above average answer 1 that you did not use' chart compares the words in your answer to the word in the first above average answer and reports the top ten words that the above average answer used that you did not. For example, the first above average answer used the word 'dan's' a total of 11 times in its answer, but you never used this word in your answer. If any of these words were also not used by the other above average answer, they are marked with an asterisk.

The 'Top 10 words in above average answer 2 that you did not use' chart compares the words in your answer to the word in the second above average answer and reports the top ten words that the above average answer used that you did not. For example, the first above average answer used the word 'suspect' a total of 12 times in its answer, but you never used this word in your answer. If any of these words were also not used by the other above average answer, they are marked with an asterisk.

The words on these lists are words you should consider adding to your essay vocabulary, especially when dealing with Criminal Law/Criminal Procedure type questions. For example, the 2nd most used word in the released above average answers that you never used was the word 'suspect'. It was used an average of 8.5 times in each of the released above average Essay #2 answers while you never used this word in your Essay #2 answer.

In the 'Word Comparison Statistics' chart, it compares what percentage of words in your essay appeared in the Question and in the above average answers. The Essay to Question Comparison reports what percentage of the Question words appeared in the essay answers. For example, your Essay #2 answer contained 38.5% of the words in the Question. The average among the 44 examinees was 37.9% of the words in the Question. In contrast, the first released above average answer contained 50.4% of the words in the Question. The second released above average answer contained 58.2% of the words in the Question. For this Essay to Question Comparison, if your percentage is lower than the above average answers, it means that you did not match the facts in the question to your answer as well as the above average answers.

In the 'Word Comparison Statistics' chart, the 'Essay to Answer 1 Comparison' compares what percentage of words in the essays that appear in the first released above average answer. For example, your Essay #2 answer contained 29% of the words in the first released above average answer. The average among the 44 examinees was 25.2% of the words in the first released above average answer. In contrast, the second released above average answer contained 45.8% of the words contained in the first released above average answer.

In the 'Word Comparison Statistics' chart, the 'Essay to Answer 2 Comparison' compares what percentage of words in the essays that appear in the second released above average answer. For example, your Essay #2 answer contained 32.2% of the words in the second released above average answer. The average among the 44 examinees was 28.3% of the words in the second released above average answer. In contrast, the first released above average answer contained 48.3% of the words contained in the second released above average answer.