Guidelines to write Essay questions

- Specify the knowledge students are supposed to command in preparing a response
- Specify the kind(s) of reasoning or problem solving respondents are to carry out.
- Point the direction to an appropriate response without giving away the answer

Examples of Essay Exercises

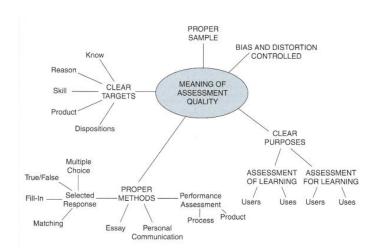
Compare the two groups of writing exercises:

Group A

- 1. Talk about citizenship.
- 2. Describe how you understand analytical reasoning.
- 3. Do memories hinder or help people in their effort to learn from the past and succeed in the present?

Group B

- 1. Why is voting a right and also a responsibility for every citizen?
- 2. Read the figure and then describe how you understand analytical reasoning



3. Do memories hinder or help people in their effort to learn from the past and succeed in the present? Plan and write an essay in which you develop your point of view on this issue. Support your position with reasoning and examples taken from your reading, studies, experience, or observations.