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MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

ENG 384 SNAP TEST

Answers

1. During this COVID-19 break, I've engaged in some activities. While some have been productive, a small percentile of these activities have been counter productive. In my first month of arrival I was very enthusiastic of a resumption so I spent most of my leisure time( time after I have done my house chores and eaten my food) reading and trying to understand each concept that had been introduced to me in school during semester in every of my courses including Engineering law and managerial economics. I also spent some of my time learning how to play some tunes on the piano but that wasn't as productive as I expected. The first month however was entirely spent indoors as I didn't attend even church services according to the lock down ordered by the government.

In the second month, my reading zeal was reduced. The volume of knowledge and revisions I digested reduced as it was seeming unsure that a resumption date was not forthcoming. Nevertheless I tried to visit the new topics we didn't treat in school and tried to understand them. It was pretty difficult to understand though as most of the topics require a tutor student relationship. I also involved myself in watching of more series and movies such as Suits, Boruto : Naruto next generations and more.

In the third month, I upped my reading game and tried to assimilate more as there were glimpses of a possible return date or even online exams. I wrote my electrical machines test. I went to church as the lock down was eased. I continued attending the possible online classes. I reduced my TV intake and helped out my mother more in understanding her business model.

2. If you're given a contract to build up a renewable power station and then you give the cost analysis to the client and he approves it and gives you the fund to execute it, but during your execution there is an economic meltdown and the exchange rate of the dollar to naira skyrockets( bearing in mind that some of the equipment needed would be imported) , the project would not be completed at the slated time.

Also, if you're given a contract to build a particular road for 3 months, and the middle of the second month a flood occurs, it becomes naturally impossible for the contractor to execute the road at that particular time.