

FAH Writing Module Short Quiz

Instructions: Each of the sentences below has a problem with regard to its grammar, punctuation, or some other basic aspect of academic writing. Your job is, first, to briefly identify the problem, and then to rewrite the sentence with the problem corrected.

- 1) Christian theologians, aware that the second, of the Ten Commandments, prohibits the creation of graven images, has usually said that the prohibition is against the creation of images of the sort just mentioned.

- 2) Which are idols.

- 3) Art, in this view, has a cognitive role, it gives us knowledge.

- 4) Most religious art for its original context—that is, until it is removed in sacred space and put into a museum or private collection, where it becomes as object to be regarded as art—is instrumental.

- 5) In talking about art and truth—whether we are holding the work of art up against the truth as it is given by a religious system (for instance, Christianity) or by a secular system (for instance, Marxism)—we’re saying that its value depends on something outside of the work itself.

6) Pope Gregory the Great at the end of the sixth century said “that images are the books of the illiterate.”

7) The worshipper seeks to connect with his deity in order to gain some sort of power—for instance, to become fertile or to defeat his enemy.

8) The rewards from such work is immeasurable.

9) Each of us want to be successful.

10) Writing clearly has many benefits.