

Correction of the English Language Exam

2nd Master in Political and Administrative Organization

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There are 10 circled capital letters, and 2 underlined contractions as shown in the text below.

Public policy is the study of what governments do, and do not do. More specifically, it is the investigation of what policies are and how they perform (policy analysis) as well as how they come into being and are implemented (policy process). Comparative public policy is therefore simply the use of comparative approaches to public policy studies. The comparative approach involves the careful use of comparisons of similar units in order to strengthen our ability to make more general or more contextual statements and to learn lessons from other contexts. This could mean comparing a certain type of policy or policy process across political units ("K-12 education policy in the OECD"), a certain type of policy or policy process across time in one political unit ("K-12 education in the U.S. since WWII"); or different types of policies or policy processes within one political unit ("consumer safety policies in child products versus vehicles in the U.S."). In addition to strengthening our generalizations, comparative public policy can act as a laboratory for "lessons learned" to improve the diffusion of better policies and policy processes.

The appropriate title should reflect the content of the text, mainly the comparative public policy.

The meaning of each expression as the following:

WWII: World War 2

As well as: In addition, too, also, besides, moreover, furthermore.

Implemented: Apply, execute, put into effect, put into practice.

Comparative public policy: the use of comparative approaches to public policy studies.

Within: Inside, in.

Improve: Make better, upgrade, enhance, raise, develop.

The punctuation Marks

The punctuation mark	The Name	Why it has been used?
,	Comma	It has been used to show a separation of ideas or elements within the structure of the same sentence.
don't	Apostrophe	It has been used to show contract two separated words.
.	Full stop (BE). The period (AE).	It has been used to end each of the declarative sentence.
()	Brackets or round brackets (BE).	It has been used to contain words that are a further explanation.
“ ”	Double Quotation Mark or Quotation Mark.	It has been used primarily to mark the beginning and end of a passage attributed to another and repeated word for word. They are also used to indicate meanings and to indicate the unusual or dubious status of a word.
K-12	Hyphen	It has been used to join two words together to make it a compound term.
;	Semi-colon	It has been used to connect two independent sentences. In the same time it shows a closer relationship between the both sentences.

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Good Luck