

Watch the rewrite movie, then have a go yourself and change the same paragraph to make it more formal. Then check your version against the possible corrections and final version.

Responsibilities of Students

I have a lot of responsibilities as a student. These are as follows. Firstly, I have to turn up to all my classes because if I don't, I'll probably lose my EMA money and could even get thrown on the course. But if you're ill, you can provide a doctor's note to let the college know that you've got a good reason to be absent. Secondly, as a student, you have to do a lot of assignments e.g. essays, presentations, evaluations etc and make sure that you meet the deadlines for the assignments or they won't count. If I fail any of these assignments, then I can do them again. This is both a good and bad thing. It means I get a second chance to do them better. But it also means that they can drag on forever. I also think that maybe it makes people a bit lazy as they know they can just do things again and again, so they don't really try as much at the beginning. Something else I have to do as a student is stick to college rules. We are all given a student manual at the beginning of term saying what we can and can't do. So for example, I can't smoke on campus; I can't make too much noise in the library; I have to wear ID at all times. I think the rule on smoking is crap because there is lots of open space round the college. Why should the college lecture us on our habits, especially when they are legal? Overall then, I've got three main responsibilities as a student, turning up, doing the work, and following rules.

Corrected version

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~~I-Students~~ have ~~a lot of numerous~~ responsibilities ~~as a student~~. ~~These which~~ are as follows. Firstly, ~~I they~~ have to ~~turn up to attend~~ all ~~my their~~ classes because if I ~~don't otherwise~~, ~~I they will~~ probably lose ~~my their~~ M1 money and ~~could even get thrown off their place on~~ the course. ~~But However if you're in~~ case of illness, ~~you they~~ can provide a doctor's note to ~~let inform~~ the college ~~know~~ that ~~you've got they have~~ a ~~good valid~~ reason ~~to be absent for the absence~~. Secondly, ~~as a student students~~, ~~you~~ have to ~~do complete~~ a ~~lot of great many~~ assignments ~~e.g. for example~~ essays, presentations, evaluations ~~etc and so on~~ and ~~make sure sure~~ that ~~you meet the~~ deadlines ~~are met~~ for ~~the assignments these~~ or they ~~won't will be count discounted~~. If ~~I they~~ fail any of these assignments, then ~~I they~~ can ~~do redo~~ them ~~again~~. ~~This which is has~~ both a ~~good advantages~~ and ~~bad thing disadvantages~~. ~~On the one hand It it~~ means ~~I they get have~~ ~~a an second chance opportunity~~ to ~~do them better improve~~. ~~But On the other hand it also~~ means that ~~they the process~~ can ~~drag on forever be endless~~. ~~I also think It is also arguable~~ that maybe it ~~makes encourages~~ ~~people a bit lazy laziness~~ as ~~they students~~ know they can ~~just do repeat things again and again work~~, so they ~~don't might not really try make~~ as much ~~of an effort at the beginning initially~~. Something else ~~I students~~ have to do ~~as a student is~~ ~~stick to follow~~ college rules. ~~We They~~ are all given a student manual at the beginning of term ~~saying detailing~~ what ~~we can and can't do is acceptable~~. ~~So Thus~~ for example, ~~I can't smoke smoking is not allowed~~ on campus; ~~I can't make too much excessive~~ noise ~~is forbidden~~ in the library; ~~I have to wear ID must be worn~~ at all times. ~~I think It is arguable that~~ the rule on smoking is ~~crap perhaps unfair~~ because there is ~~lots plenty~~ of open space round the college. ~~It raises the issue of Why why should~~ the college ~~should lecture us~~ ~~students~~ on ~~our their~~ habits, especially ~~when they are legal ones?~~. ~~Overall then In~~ ~~summary~~, ~~I've got there are~~ three main responsibilities as a student, ~~turning up attendance~~, ~~doing the work coursework~~, and ~~following rules behaviour~~.

Final version**Responsibilities of Students**

Students have numerous responsibilities which are as follows. Firstly, they have to attend all their classes because otherwise, they will probably lose their EMA money and even their place on the course. However, in case of illness, they can provide a doctor's note to inform the college that they have a valid reason for the absence. Secondly, students, have to complete a great many assignments for example essays, presentations, evaluations and so on and ensure that deadlines are met for these or they will be discounted. If they fail any of these assignments, then they can redo them which has both advantages and disadvantages. On the one hand, it means they have an opportunity to improve. On the other hand it means that the process can be endless. It is also arguable that maybe it encourages laziness as students know they can repeat work, so they might not make as much of an effort initially. Something else students have to do is follow college rules. They are all given a student manual at the beginning of term detailing what is acceptable. Thus for example, smoking is not allowed on campus; excessive noise is forbidden in the library; ID must be worn at all times. It is arguable that the rule on smoking is perhaps unfair because there is plenty of open space round the college. It raises the issue of why the college should lecture students on their habits, especially legal ones. In summary, there are three main responsibilities as a student, attendance, coursework and behaviour.