TEST Credit Make-Up Opportunity

HOW IT WORKS…

1. Test corrections will not be available until everyone that missed the test has completed it. I will let you know when this happens.

2. Using item analysis, I will select questions from the test that a large portion of students have missed (40%). This might end up being a large or small number of questions.

3. Write everything NEATLY on a separate sheet of paper. You may type it.

4. In order to get credit back, you MUST attempt to correct ALL the questions. This includes putting the test corrections in the correct format (as stated below). If you don't do so, I will skip your paper and not bother correctly it! You have TWO days from the date given to complete the test corrections.

5. I will post the correctable questions on hoffmanmi.com

6. You can earn back 50% credit on the percentage you missed up to 85% (B). For example, let's say you scored 37 out of 50 points. This means you earned 74% on the test (or missed 26%). If you get all the test corrections right, you could earn an additional 13% which would take your percentage on the test up to 85%. If you don't get all the corrections right, the percentage added to yours will be pro-rated appropriately.

HOW TO FORMAT YOUR CORRECTIONS…

Write the number of the missed question (only the ones that are identified – not every question!) and the correct answer. Under this, write an **EXPLANATION as to WHY it is the correct answer. Do not explain why the other responses are wrong!**

For example:

32. Ecology is the study of

    a. plants
    b. animals
    c. global climate change
    d. relationships between organisms and their environment

*****Example Correction: This is what you would actually write on your paper…**

32. D. (relationships between organisms and their environment)

EXPLANATION: While the study of ecology does include plants and animals, it is more than simply studying them separately. Instead, ecology looks to study the connections and interactions between living (biotic) factors and non-living (abiotic) factors within the environment. It's a "big picture" field of study.

You **MUST** include the explanation! Questions missing an explanation receive NO credit.
In addition, incorrect explanations also receive NO credit.