Directions: You will have 90 minutes to write about the topic of “Globalization”. Recall the issues that have been covered today. Now consider these issues as you answer the question below in an academic essay. You will be graded on the language (50%), content development (35%), and the organization (15%) of your essay. Make sure you answer the essay question directly, i.e. without going off the topic. Your essay should have at least four paragraphs, including:

- an introduction paragraph which has a clear and well-structured thesis statement,
- at least two well-developed body paragraphs with topic sentences, supporting sentences, and details/facts/examples,
- and a concluding paragraph.

Question: People around the world are more connected to each other than ever before. Information flow has reached an incredible speed. Goods and services produced in one part of the world are increasingly available in all parts of the world. International travel is more frequent and much easier. This phenomenon has been titled "globalization."

In what ways do people benefit from globalization?
OUTLINE OF YOUR ESSAY

(Do NOT write your essay on this page. Start on the next page.)