1. Read "Man and his God" (ANET: 589-591) and the "Babylonian Theodicy" (ANET: 601-604), and review the book of Job. Please list the similarities and differences between each of the two extra-Biblical treatises and the book of Job. How do you account for these? (Please treat similarities and differences separately for each.) (300-400 words; 12 pts.)

2. Read Job 28, Proverbs 8, and Sirach 24 (a.k.a. Ecclesiasticus 24, which is found in the Apocrypha), noting the different depictions of wisdom in each chapter. Then write a summary of what a Jew of the late intertestamental period would have understood about wisdom, based solely on these three chapters. (200-250 words; 8 pts.)