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- Point out any other special instructions on the cover sheet. <u>Be specific.</u>
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- 12. Ask for questions.
- 13. When all is done...note the starting time out loud to the class for the handwriters. Remind them of the due time and place. **Write the due time on the white board.** Release folks to move to their writing room to begin the exam.
- 14. Advise ExamSoft SofTest users to open their exam now. SofTest users may download their exam at any time, but may not open the exam until you give the word. (*The exam password is at the top of the cover sheet.*) When everyone is ready, tell them to type the word "Begin" and start the exam.
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- 17. Come back to the room at appointed time to collect finished handwritten exams and exam materials from the computer users, if they aren't being delivered to Registrar's. If you collect the exams, be sure you count them and record your count with the Registrar's Office before the exams are placed where the professor has stipulated. That way if any exams show up "missing" we know how many were collected on the day the exam was scheduled.

Collecting the Exams Only:

- 1. If you are asked to collect the exams only, be sure to attend the handing out so that you hear exactly what the instructor tells the students. Have a copy of the exam instructions as well. If you feel that there is any discrepancy (time stated in the exam instructions that is different that what the prof states) question the professor at that time. Be sure the pick up time is written on the board by the professor (that time is the final time).
- 2. Return to the room to pick up the exams about 5-2 minutes earlier than the time. ExamSoft users will be closed out of the exam when the exam time limit has been reached.
- 3. Be sure to gather the exams and count them at that time to be sure all are in. Do not let anyone extend past the time the exams are due.
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