

**Level : 4 MS 3**

**Time allotted : 1 h 30 mn**

*Manners are behaviours used every day to make a good impression on others and to feel good about oneself. No matter where you are - Whether you are eating at a fancy restaurant, in the cafeteria, or at home with friends and families, good table manners make for a more pleasant meal . While you may not need to worry about confusing your salad fork with your desert fork when dining with friends , some basic table manners should never be forgotten . Here are some easy-to-follow Do's and Don'ts :*

*On one hand , you should sit properly ( and straight ) in your chair and talk to people about pleasant things instead of nonsense . Keep in mind that placing your napkin on your lap may be useful very frequently at any dinner table . Don't forget to wait until everyone is seated before starting to eat and asking someone to pass the food you need , rather than reach across the table . It is regarded very inconsiderate . You should chew with your mouth closed . you should say "excuse me" or "I'm sorry" if you burp . It is advisable to say "no thank you" if you don't want a certain dish or are full .*

*On the other hand , you should not overload your fork or plate . It is unacceptable to chew with your mouth open , it is considered impolite . It is not recommended well-mannered to push your plate away when you finish eating lean on the table .*

Adapted : <http://mtstcil.org/skills/manners-1.html>

**Part one :**

**A- Reading comprehension : ( 7 points )**

**Tast one : Match the answers in column B with the corresponding questions in column A . (3points)**

<b>- B</b>	<b>- A</b>
<b>1-</b> What should you say if you burp ?	<b>a-</b> When everyone is seated .
<b>2-</b> What is the best time to start eating ?	<b>b-</b> Chewing with one's mouth open .
<b>3-</b> What is not impolite while eating ?	<b>c-</b> You should apologize .

**Task two : Read the following statements and write True False or Not mentioned ( 2 points )**

- 1- At a meal table , you should not sit improperly .
- 2- It is regarded impolite to chew with your mouth closed .
- 3- Thanking the host is respectful .
- 4- Chewing food with your mouth wide-open is polite .

**Lexis : ( 2 points )**

**Task one : find in the text words that are closest in meanings to the following ones .**

- a ) – companions = .....
- b ) – behaviours = .....

**Task two : Find in the text words that are opposites to the following ones .**

- a ) – Bad ≠ .....
- b ) – Shut ≠ .....

**B- Mastery of language : ( 7 points )**

**Task one** : Add the correct prefix to form the opposite adjective . ( 2 points )

- a- Real                      b- Properly                      c- Visible                      d- Responsible

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1- .....	1-.....	1-.....	1- .....

**Task two** : Complete the following sentences using the comparative of inferiority form of the adjectives in brackets . ( not as .....as ) ( 3 points )

- a- Eating healthy food is ( **dangerous** ) junk food .  
b- Walk for half an hour every day . You will not feel ( **unhealthy** ) before .  
c- Eat dairy products with moderation will not get you ( **weak** ) any other fat person .

**Task three** : Match the words that have the same rhyme . ( 2 points )

A	B
1- fair	a- late
2- make	b- meet
3- tough	c- enough
4- meat	d- pair

**Part two** : ( 6 points )

**Situation of integration** :

- You and your friend were invited to a wedding . During and after dinner , you witnessed some very unacceptable manners your friend was doing while speaking to people .
- Write an e-mail to him / her in which you suggest a piece of advice about how to behave with people at a formal dinner table .

**These cues may help you** :

1. To be careful with language . ...
2. Not to shout when speaking . ...
3. To make polite conversation with those guests around.
4. To thank the host and hostess for their hospitality before leaving .

**Instruction** : Use the modal auxiliary Should / Should not and Time sequencers ( First , Then , ...)

- Do not forget the form of the letter .
- Mind your handwritings !

**Best of luck !**

