(المفردات – الاستيعاب المقروء – القواعد – التعبير)
(الدرجة الكلية: (60) درجة)

I. Reading (30 Marks)

A) Vocabulary (14 Marks)

a) Choose the best answer from a, b, c, and d: (4X2= 8 Marks)

1- Plants and trees use sunlight as a/an ……. of energy.

a. expedition b. occasion

c. **source** d. label

2- The runners felt nervous about the ……. competition in the race.

a. homemade b. **tough**

c. aromatic d. disposable

3- It is important to ……. updates regularly to keep your mobile secure.

a. reflect b. donate

c. represent d. **install**

4- Parents teach their children ……. lessons to prepare them for the real world.

a. **valuable** b. fake

c. raw d. organic

b) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below: (4X1½= 6 Marks)

(significantly / talent / commonly / customer / consumption)

5- Many people **commonly** drink coffee or tea in the morning.

6- Companies should treat every **customer** with respect and kindness.

7- Responsible **consumption** of water can help protect the environment.

8- The weather will **significantly** improve next week according to the weather forecast.

B) Reading Comprehension (16 Marks)

Read the following passage carefully, and then answer the questions below:

Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait, a remarkable individual whose work continues to inspire generations, was a Kuwaiti physician, Islamic scholar, and philanthropist. Born in Kuwait in 1947, Al-Sumait dedicated his life to serving humanity.

As a high school student, Al-Sumait witnessed something that attracted him to help the poor. Every day, he saw poor workers waiting for their transportation in the heat, outside his school. With the help of his friends, he decided to save up money and buy a car, and from that day, he drove these workers for free. At university, Al Sumait used most of his monthly salary to buy Islamic books and he gave them to mosques. From Muslim students, he also collected money **which** he used to pay for printing and giving Islamic books throughout Southeast Asia and Africa.

By the time he was 35 years old, he had decided to move to Africa with his wife, and he devoted 29 years of his life there helping millions of children. When he arrived in Africa, he became sad by what he saw. There, children were suffering from hunger and diseases, and families were working very hard to **support** their loved ones. In 1981, Al-Sumait founded the Africa Muslim Agency, later renamed as a "Direct Aid Society". The Society has provided huge humanitarian assistance to poor people throughout Africa. It has built 124 hospitals, 840 schools, 204 Islamic centres, 214 women training centers, and 2,200 mosques. It has provided scholarships to 200 African students to aid them in their studies.

a) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c, and d: (6X2 = 12 Marks)

9- What could be the best title for this passage?

a. The Role of Africa Muslim Agency
b. **The Story of a Humanitarian**
c. The Importance of Training Centres
d. The Situation of Children in Africa

10- The underlined word "**support**" in the **3rd paragraph** means:

a. flare
b. start
c. **help**
d. regard

11-What does the underlined word "**which** " in the **2nd** paragraph refer to?

a. **money**
b. books
c. mosques
d. university

12- According to the passage, how did Al-Sumait help the poor workers in Kuwait?

a. He studied physics.
b. He helped his friends.
c. He continued to inspire others.
d. **He bought a car to drive them for free**.

13- According to the passage, one of the following statements is **NOT TRUE**:

a. Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait was a remarkable person.
b. The Direct Aid Society has helped African people in so many ways.
c. **Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait spent 29 years in Africa by himself.**
d. Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait started voluntary work when he was in high school.

14- The purpose of the writer is to:

a. persuade us to read about famous doctors.
b. describe the life of people in many countries.
c. tell us about the work of a famous agency.
d. **give information about Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait.**

b) Answer these questions: (2X2= 4 Marks)

15- How did Abd Al-Rahman Al-Sumait feel when he arrived in Africa?

He became sad by what he saw.

16- Why has the 'Direct Aid Society' provided scholarships to African students?

The 'Direct Aid Society' provided scholarships to African students to aid them in their studies.

II. Writing (30 Marks)

A) Grammar (14 Marks)

a) From a, b, c, and d choose the correct answer: (4X2 =8 Marks)

17- Travelling by train is …… travelling by bus.

a. comfortable b. **comfortable than**

c. most comfortable d. the most comfortable

18- My brother…… in the sea when he suddenly saw a whale shark.

a. will dive b. is diving

c. has dived d. **was diving**

19- In the past, paraffin lamps …… by Kuwaiti people to light their houses.

a. were using b. **were used**

c. are using d. are used

20- If I were you, I …… to the school library to read a story.

a. have gone b. will go

c. **would go** d. had gone

b) Do as required between brackets: (3X2= 6 Marks)

21- The teacher helps us. He is very kind. **(Join using: who)**

The teacher who helps us is very kind.

22- My father bought a (round/ wooden /wonderful) table last week. **(Reorder the adjectives)**

My father bought a wonderful round wooden table last week.

23- The children **(play)**football since 5 o'clock. **(Correct the verb)**

The children have been playing / have played football since 5 o'clock.

B) Writing (16 Marks)

Write on the following topic:

"Being online is helpful but it can also be risky."

Plan and **write** a report of two paragraphs (not less than 12 sentences) **explaining common online risks** and **giving useful safety tips to stay safe online.**

N.B. Your writing should include a topic sentence, supporting ideas, and a conclusion.

Rubrics		
Planning (mind mapping / graphic organizers)	**2**	**16**
Exposition of ideas and coherence	**7**	
Paragraphing and number of sentences	**2**	
Grammar	**1**	
Spelling	**2**	
Handwriting	**1**	
Punctuation	**1**	
2 marks to be deducted from the total mark for changing the format. **Off-point topics receive zero**		

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