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(المفردات - القواعد - الوظائف اللغوية - الكتاب المقرر - التعبير الكتابي - الاستيعاب المقروء - التلخيص - الترجمة)

Total Mark (560 Marks)

I. VOCABULARY (100 Marks)

A -From a, b, c and d choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences: (5x10 = 50 marks)

- Children are taught to show respect and towards their grandparents.
a. frontier b. mountaineer c. unemployment d. reverence
- The fire spread quickly via stairways to the entire building.
a. engulf b. promote c. highlight d. bestow
- They are always with the noise made by the passing planes.
a. geriatric b. afflicted c. vacant d. sentient
- Drinking plenty of water and resting will help you recover easily from the seasonal flu.
a. exceptionally b. frequently c. seamlessly d. customarily
- Journalists will have the..... after the prime minister delivers his speech.
a. metropolis b. dispute c. opportunity d. summit

B -Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below:(5 x10 = 50 marks)

(resign / cycled / clamber / commentary / narrated / emission)

- The children enjoyed the lively manner with which their grandmother her life's story.
- The of smoke and toxins from so much traffic is only going to harm the Earth.
- If you are not sure whether you can over the wall, don't run the risk.
- Tonight, there is a / an on the spread of the virus. Don't miss it.
- The company's administration placed great pressure on him to because he had failed to finish the project on time.

II-Grammar (60 Marks)

A – From a, b, c and d choose the most suitable answer: (4 x 10 = 40 marks)

11. I feel drowsy and tired because I didn't sleep well last night.
a. both b. either c. neither d. nor
12. The law has to be by everyone, regardless of their social status.
a. respects b. respected c. respect d. respecting
13. The children were wet because they football in the rain for an hour.
a. had been playing b. play c. has played d. played
14. Salim ride a motorbike, but last year he sold it and bought a car.
a. use to b. used to c. didn't use to d. is used to

B – From a, b, and c, choose the correct answer as required: (4 x 5 = 20 marks)

15. I little expected to collect enough money to buy my dream house. (Begin with: Little)
a. Little did I expected to collect enough money to buy my dream house.
b. Little I expected to collect enough money to buy my dream house.
c. Little did I expect to collect enough money to buy my dream house.
16. People don't service their broken machines at home themselves. (Causative)
a. People have their broken machines serviced at home.
b. People had their broken machines serviced at home.
c. People have serviced their broken machines at home.
17. "Our teacher asks too many questions." (Reported speech)
a. The students complained that their teacher asks too many questions.
b. The students complained that their teacher had asked too many questions.
c. The students complained that their teacher asked too many questions.
18. Amal didn't study. She didn't clean the house also. (Join using: neither)
a. Amal neither study nor clean the house.
b. Amal neither studied nor cleaned the house.
c. Neither Amal studied or cleaned the house.

III- LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS (40 Marks)

- Write what you would say in the following situations:(4 x 10 = 40 marks)

19. Your brother believes that space exploration is a waste of money.

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20. You want to join an expedition and need to persuade your father.

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21. Your teacher asks you why you want to study engineering.

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22. Your friend suggests watching the final match in the stadium.

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IV- SET BOOK QUESTIONS (40 Marks)

- From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer: (4 x 10 = 40 marks)

23. Why do most people prefer restoring old buildings than building new ones?

- a. Old buildings are houses for workshops and arts.
- b. Old buildings are part of our heritage and have historical values.
- c. Old buildings can be used for training the young people.
- d. People can socialize and make groups there.

24. Why do many wealthy people move from the city to the countryside?

- a. Because they have their own holiday resorts, there.
- b. To find better business opportunities among villagers.
- c. To escape from the overcrowding, pollution and stressful life in the city.
- d. Because farming in the countryside became less and less profitable.

25. How has space technology affected aircraft technology?

- a. Airplanes are now lighter, less noisy, and faster than before.
- b. Airplanes nowadays are more difficult to fly than before.
- c. Airplanes in the past were lighter and now they're heavier.
- d. Airplanes are now able to fly closer to space than before.

26. What kind of preparations do people have to make before going on expeditions?

- a. They should have cave diving training.
- b. They should have no equipment.
- c. They should go solo.
- d. They have to check everything very well in advance.

V- WRITING (120 Marks)

Write on the following topic: (Expository)

Sleep is undoubtedly one of the most essential requirements for the human body to function properly.

- Plan and write an essay of 14 sentences (160 words), about the importance of sleep and the bad consequences of sleep loss.

Outline (20 Marks)

Introduction:

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Body:

Paragraph 1 :.....

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Paragraph 2 :.....

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Conclusion :.....

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-VI READING COMPREHENSION (110 Marks)

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

It is easy to make a delicious-looking hamburger at home. But would this hamburger still look delicious after it sat on your kitchen table under very bright lights for six or seven hours? If someone took a picture or made a video of this hamburger after the seventh hour, would anyone want to eat it? More importantly, do you think you could get millions of people to pay money for this hamburger?

These are the questions that fast-food companies worry about when **they** produce commercials or print ads for their products. Video and photo shoots often last many hours. The lights that the photographers use can be extremely hot. These conditions can cause the food to look quite unappealing to potential consumers. Because of this, the menu items that you see in fast food commercials are probably not actually edible.

Let's use the hamburger as an example. The first step towards building the perfect commercial hamburger is the bun. The food stylist—a person employed by the company to make sure the products look perfect—sorts through hundreds of buns until he or she finds one with no wrinkles. Next, the stylist carefully rearranges the sesame seeds on the bun using glue and tweezers for maximum visual appeal. The bun is then sprayed with a waterproofing solution so that it will not get **soggy** from contact with other ingredients, the lights, or the humidity in the room. Next, the food stylist shapes a meat patty into a perfect circle. Only the outside of the meat gets cooked—the inside is left raw so that the meat remains moist. The food stylist then paints the outside of the meat patty with a mixture of oil, molasses, and brown food coloring. Grill marks are either painted on or seared into the meat using hot metal skewers. Finally, the food stylist searches through dozens of tomatoes and heads of lettuce to find the best-looking produce. One leaf of the crispest lettuce and one center slice of the reddest tomato are selected and then sprayed with glycerin to keep them looking fresh.

So, the next time you see a delectable hamburger in a fast-food commercial, remember: you're actually looking at glue, paint, raw meat, and glycerin! Are you still hungry?

A) From a, b, c and d choose the correct answer

27. Which of the following would be the best title of the passage?

- a. The food Stylist
- b. Bright Lights
- c. Hamburgers
- d. Fast food Commercials

28. The underlined word ‘soggy’ in the 3rd paragraph means:

- a. wet
- b. ugly
- c. attractive
- d. tasteless

29. What does the underlined word ‘they’ in the 2nd paragraph refer to?

- a. questions
- b. millions of people
- c. commercials
- d. fast food companies

30. According to the passage, the food stylist’s job is to.....

- a. make food products look perfect
- b. make the most delicious products
- c. cook tasty hamburgers
- d. cook the inside and outside of the bun

31. According to the passage, which of the following is NOT TRUE?

- a. It takes a few hours to shoot photos to produce a commercial.
- b. The sesame seeds are carefully rearranged by the stylist on the bun.
- c. The meat will remain moist only if the inside of the meat is left raw.
- d. Glycerin is used to make lettuce and tomato look fresh.

B) With reference to the passage, answer the following questions .

32. Why are the menu items that you see in fast food commercials not edible?

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33. Why does the food stylist only cook the outside of the meat?

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34. How does the food stylist make the hamburger look nicely grilled?

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35. How are the grill marks made on the fast-food commercial?

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VII - SUMMARY MAKING (60 Marks)

- Read the following passage, then do as required:

In fact, children would sometimes skip meals and family outings just to spend time in front of the computers playing these games. The dangers of such games are many. For one, when children spend hours in front of the computer screens, nothing else matters. They lose interest in their studies. What becomes a priority, is their game. They become addicted to the games and will become agitated if they do not get their daily 'fix'. Moreover, when children spend so much time alone in their little virtual world, they have no interest in socializing with other children. This will lead to antisocial behavior. These games are expensive too. An original copy of the Counter Strike game children these days are so fond of, can easily cost a hundred dollars at least. Nevertheless, they are willing to spend their entire allowance on just one game.

In a paragraph of FOUR sentences ONLY, summarize and paraphrase the passage above in answer to the following question:

What are the dangers of playing video games on children?

Answers must include the FOUR following ideas:

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Content / relevance of ideas	Paraphrasing	Spelling and grammar	Paragraph format	Total
30	20	5	5	60

VIII – TRANSLATION (30 Marks)

- Translate the following into good English :(2 x 15 = 30 marks)

سالم: من النادر أن نجد بيوت للمسنين في الكويت.

فهد: هذا لأن تعاليمنا الإسلامية تحثنا أن نعامل كبار السن بشفقة واحترام .

Khalid:

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Ali:

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