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منطقة العاصمة التعليمية



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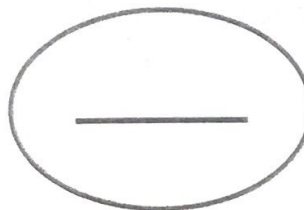
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** الدرجة بالحروف :



I. Reading(30m)

A.Vocabulary (14m)

a) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c, and d: (4x2=8m)

1. I do stretching exercises after my training session to

 - a. cool down
 - b. drop out
 - c. plunge in
 - d. tug on

2. My father was with me because I lost his car keys.

 - a. flexible
 - b. native
 - c. furious
 - d. unique

3. The baby was crying because he had a painful ear.....

 - a. carpet
 - b. sculpture
 - c. community
 - d. infection

4. Car racing is an/ a.....dangerous sport.

 - a. recently
 - b. extremely
 - c. instead of
 - d. securely

b) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list:(4x1½=6m)

(arrow / fictional / astonished / gravity / equator)

5. All the characters of this play are None of them is real.
6. We were all sowhen we heard the little girl singing .
7. The force of.....brings everything down to the earth.
8. My classmate shot the at the target and scored 10 points.

B. Reading Comprehension:(16m)

Read the following passage carefully, then do as required below:

A hat seller was going to the village market to sell his hats. He walked for a long time through the green forest and felt tired, so he decided to take a rest. He saw a tall tree. He sat under it and soon fell asleep. On the tree, lived many monkeys. They saw the man sleeping with a hat on his head. They all came down to see. They found a bag full of colourful hats next to him. Monkeys like to imitate what people do so, they took the hats and wore them on their heads just like the man. Then, they climbed up the high branches of the tree.

After some time, the hat seller woke up. He found his bag empty. All the hats were missing. He looked around, but he didn't find them. He was very sad. All of a sudden, he heard loud noises coming from above, so he looked up and for his surprise he saw ten monkeys in the tree wearing his hats.

The hat seller wanted to get his hats back but the monkeys were too fast he couldn't catch them. An idea struck his mind. He, at once, took off his hat and threw it on the ground and all the monkeys threw their hats on the ground, too. Monkeys are good imitators. The hat seller collected all the hats and went to sell them in the village market.



A) Choose the correct answer from a,b,c and d:(6x2=12m)

9.The best title for the story could be:

- a. The Village Market
- b. The Smart Hat Seller
- c. The Green Forest
- d. The Colourful Hats

10. The underlined word (**imitate**) in the 1st paragraph means:

- a. to jump high
- b. to climb a tree
- c. to do what others do
- d. to fall asleep

11. The pronoun (**they**) in the 1st paragraph refers to:

- a. monkeys
- b. people
- c. hats
- d. heads

12. The hat seller looked up because:

- a. he saw the tree branches
- b. he heard loud noises
- c. he found his colorful hats
- d. he was feeling tired

13. The hat seller's bag was empty because:

- a. the monkeys took the hats
- b. he fell asleep under the tree
- c. he sold them in the village market
- d. he was surprised

14. The lesson readers learn from the story is that :

- a. monkeys are silly animals
- b. colourful hats should be kept in a safe place
- c. empty hats are good for monkeys
- d. smart thinking solves problems

B) Answer the following questions:(2x2=4m)

15. Why was the hat seller going to the village market?

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16. How many hats were there in the bag?

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II. Writing (30m)

A. Grammar (10m)

a) Choose the correct answer: (4x1=4m)

Have you ever (see - saw - seen) giant plants? Plants (need - needed - needs) lots of things to live. While (grow - growing - grew) plants, farmers provide them with water, good soil, lots of sunlight and fresh air. (Water - Watering - Watered) the plants regularly keeps them strong and healthy.

b) Do as shown between brackets : (3x2=6m)

21. My cousin is very short. He can't reach the shelf. (Join using too....to)

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22. The designer decorated the new big villa. (Change into passive)

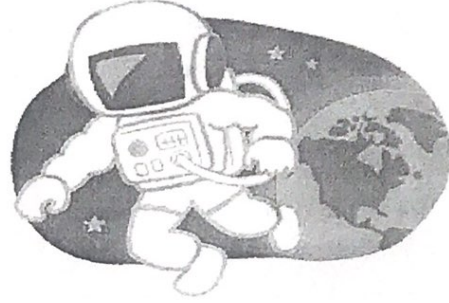
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23. The clouds always block the sunlight. (Change into negative)

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B. Writing(20m)

Astronauts travel into space to live and work. They spend a long time there. They use space shuttles to travel into space. Plan and write a report of two paragraphs (10 sentences) talking about the food astronauts eat in space and the clothes they use there.



* Your writing should include a topic sentence, supporting details and a conclusion.

Topic plan

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The topic

| Rubrics | Total mark | Mark |
|--|------------|------|
| Plan (mind mapping / graphic organizer) | 3 | |
| Exposition of ideas and coherence | 10 | |
| paragraphing and number of sentences | 3 | |
| Grammar | 1 | |
| spelling | 1 | |
| Handwriting & punctuation | 2 | |
| Total | 20 | |

وزارة التربية

منطقة حولي التعليمية

التوجيه الفني للغة الإنجليزية

امتحان نهاية الفترة الدراسية الأولى - الصف الثامن 2018 / 2019

المجال الدراسي: اللغة الإنجليزية الزمن: ساعتان

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

TOTAL MARK (60 Marks)

I- READING (30 Marks)

A- Vocabulary (14 Marks)

14

A -From a, b, c and d choose the correct word that best completes each of the following sentences:(4 x 2 = 8 Marks)

1. There are hundreds ofprogrammes to help people learn English.
a. jobless b. capable c. specialised d. astonished
2. A lot of people like to spend their weekends doinghunting in markets.
a. marble b. wage c. cavern d. bargain
3. In Kuwait, wedifferent products from around the world and export oil.
a. achieve b. import c. reflect d. quit
4. You should keep the medicinelocked in a cabinet and out of reach of children.
a. securely b. instead of c. recently d. unfairly

B) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below: (4 X 1½ = 6Marks)

(dispose of / plunge in / fictional / voluntary / oval)

5. Alice in Wonderland is atale about a girl who jumps in an unreal world.
6. You must this pile of old papers and magazines to organize the office.
7. After his retirement, my father has done differentwork for a charity.
8. All the participating swimmers waited for the pool to be declared open to

B- Reading Comprehension (16 Marks)

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

Robert Fulton was born in Pennsylvania in 1765. He learned to read and write at home. Later, he was sent to school for his education. Fulton showed an early interest in inventions. Fulton enjoyed thinking about ideas for new inventions. Fulton learned to draw as a child and **excelled** in art. When he finished his schooling, he worked as an artist in Philadelphia.

At age 23, Fulton decided to move to England and while living there, he invented many different kinds of machines. He was very interested in how canal systems worked. Canals are deep paths of water for boats to travel through from one body of water to another. Usually **they** are man-made.

Fulton eventually moved to France and worked on canal systems. There, he used his talents for art and invention to design a submarine, which is a boat that can go underwater. Then he built a steamboat, a large boat that is powered by heating water to make steam which makes the paddlewheels move.

When Fulton moved back to the U.S., he took his steamboat invention and established the first steamboat service in the world on the Hudson River in New York. People paid money to travel by steamboat.

Robert Fulton is known as an American inventor who developed the first steamboat service to help people travel from one place to another. He is also called the **“Father of Steam Navigation”**.

a) From a, b, c and d choose the correct answer:(6 x 2 = 12Marks)

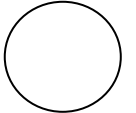
9. Which of the following is the best title of the text?

- a) Kinds of Machines
- b) Steamboat Uses
- c) An Amazing Artist
- d) Steamboat Inventor

10. The underlined word “**excelled**” in the 1st paragraph is closest in meaning to:

- a) learned
- b) succeeded
- c) showed
- d) worked

11. The underlined pronoun “**they**” in the 2nd paragraph refers to:
- boats
 - systems
 - canals
 - paths
12. Fulton used his talents for art and invention to:
- design a submarine.
 - travel to France.
 - design canals.
 - work as an artist.
13. According to the text, which of the following statements is TRUE?
- Fulton learned to read and write in England.
 - Fulton travelled to France to work as an artist.
 - A submarine is similar to a steamboat.
 - People paid money to travel by steamboat.
14. What is the main purpose of the writer?
- To inform us about Fulton’s life.
 - To tell us that Fulton was a good artist.
 - To persuade us to invent steamboat.
 - To explain the places Fulton had visited.



b) Answer the following questions in reference to the passage: (2 x 2 = 4Marks)

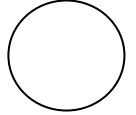
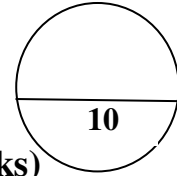
15. What are the canals?

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16. Why is Fulton called the “Father of Steam Navigation”?

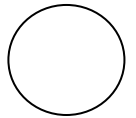
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II- WRITING (30 Marks)
A- Grammar (10 Marks)



A) Choose the correct answer between brackets: (4 X 1 = 4Marks)

17. We (are visiting \ visit \ visiting) France this summer. My family decided to plan for the trip (so that \ to \ in order to) they could see all the interesting places. Paris is the (expensive \ more expensive \ most expensive) city in France. The Eiffel Tower in Paris has had 30 thousand visitors (for \ since \ yet) March.



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

18. They travelled to Canada three years ago.

(Ask a question)

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19. Cairo is a crowded city. Hong Kong is a crowded city too.

(Join as ...as)

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20. You didn't visit Failka Island,?

(Add: question tags)

B- Writing (20 Marks)

Write on the following topic:

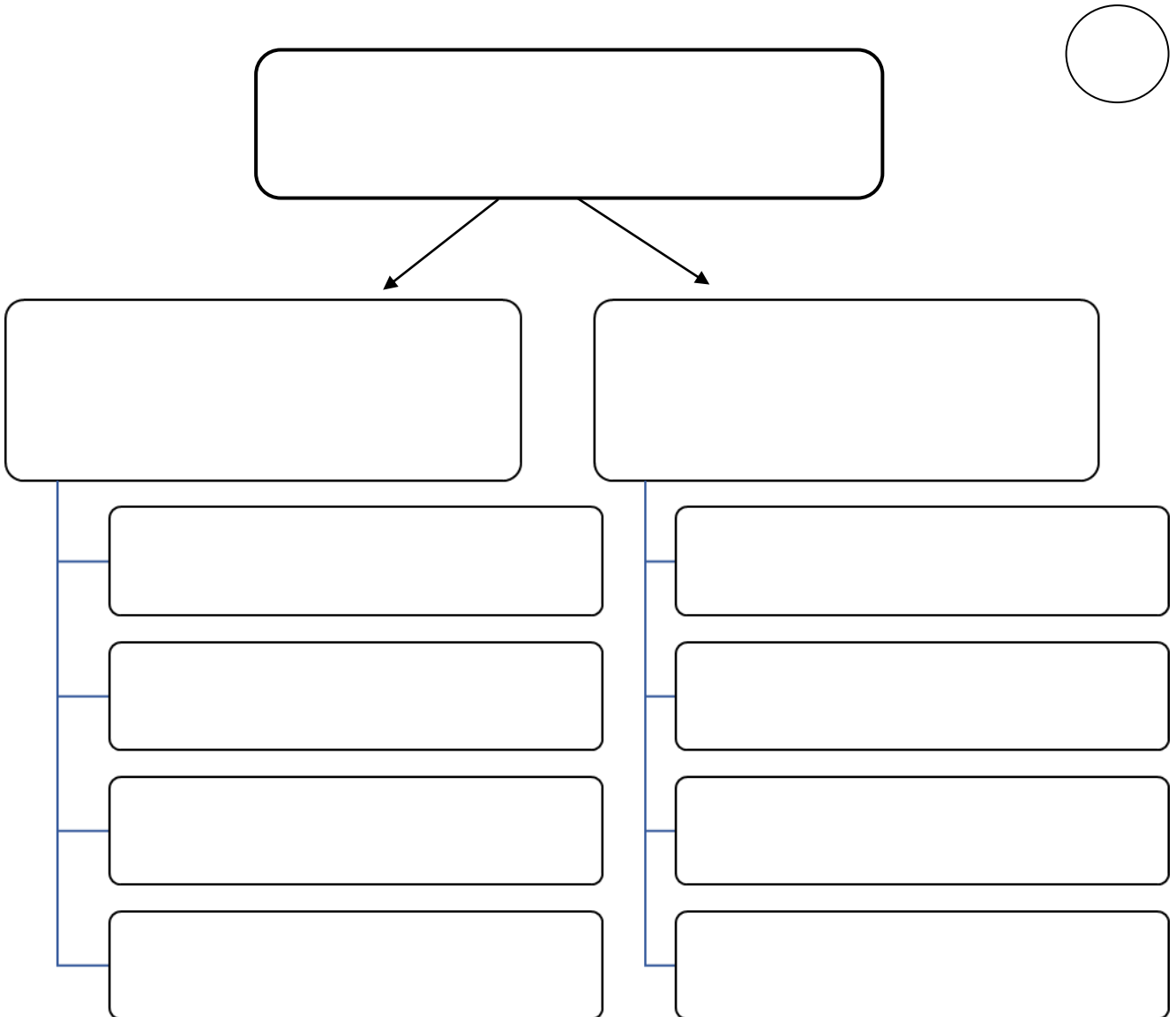
“Sports are the answer to children obesity”.

Plan and write a composition of **two paragraphs** of not less than **(10 sentences)**

About the reasons why children are overweight and how sports and diet help to solve the problem of obesity.

***Your writing should include a topic sentence, supporting details and a conclusion.**

Plan (3 Marks)



The Topic (17 Marks)

| Rubrics | Mark | Mark | Total Mark |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|------------|
| Outline | 3 | | 20 |
| Exposition of ideas and coherence | 10 | | |
| Paragraphing and number of sentences | 3 | | |
| spelling | 1 | | |
| Grammar | 1 | | |
| Handwriting, spacing and punctuation | 2 | | |

وزارة التربية
الإدارة العامة للتعليم الخاص
التوجيه الفني للغة الانجليزية
امتحان نهاية الفصل الدراسي الأول للعام 2018\2019
الصف : الثامن المجال الدراسي : اللغة الإنجليزية
(المفردات - الاستيعاب المقروء - القواعد - التعبير)
الاختبار في (6) صفحات الدرجة : 60 الزمن : ساعتان
خاص بالمدارس العربية الأهلية

نموذج الاسئلة

I- Reading (30 Marks)

A- Vocabulary (14 Marks)

a) Choose the correct word from a, b , c and d : (4 x 2 = 8 Marks)

1- Doctors advised me to go to the mountains to breatheair.

a- harsh b- flexible c- pure d- furious

2- The Kuwaiti champion couldall the hardships and won the cup.

a- hire b- promise c- import d- overcome

3- Diving was a family work which passed on from one to another.

a- chandelier b- antiquity c- atmosphere d- generation

4- It isimportant to prepare well for the race next week.

a- unfairly b- recently c- frequently d- extremely

b) Fill in the spaces with words from the list : (4 x 1½ = 6 Marks.)

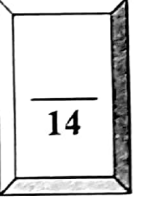
(donate – gravity - led – schedule – justice)

5- The valuable research to the discovery of a new drug to cure cancer.

6- My mother is going to most of her money to children charities.

7- The flight was enjoyable but the plane arrived fifty minutes ahead of

8- There is no effect on the moon; so new experiments are carried out there.

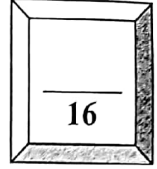


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B. Reading comprehension (16 Marks)

Read the following text carefully then answer the questions below:



Although he invented the game of basketball at Massachusetts, USA, Dr. Naismith was a Canadian. Working as a physical education teacher at Springfield College, Dr. Naismith noticed a **lack** of interest in exercise among students during the wintertime. The New England winters were fierce, and the students refused participating in outdoor activities. Naismith determined that a fast-moving game that could be played indoors would satisfy **them** after the baseball and football seasons had ended.

In December of 1891, Dr. Naismith hung two old peach baskets at either end of the gymnasium at the school, and, using a soccer ball and nine players on each side, organized the first basketball game. The early rules allowed three points for each basket and made running with the ball a foul. Every time a goal was made, someone had to climb a ladder to get the ball back.

Nevertheless, the game became popular. In less than a year, basketball was being played in both the United States and Canada. Five years later, a championship was held in New York City, which was won by the Brooklyn Central team. The teams had already been reduced to seven players, and five became standard in the 1897 season. When basketball was introduced in the 1904 Olympic Games in St. Louis, it quickly spread throughout the world. In 1906, a metal circle was used for the first time to replace the basket, but the name basketball has remained.

A-Choose the correct answer From a, b, c & d: (6x 2 = 12 Marks)

9. What is the main idea of the text?

- a. The Olympic Games in St. Louis in 1904
c. The American winter

- b. The development of basketball
d. Dr. James Naismith

10. The meaning of the underlined word "lack" in paragraph 1 is :

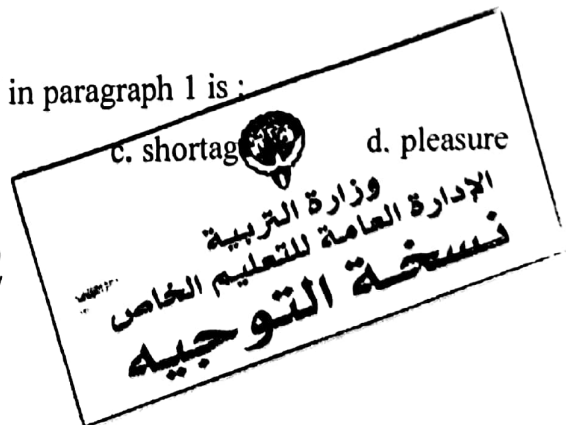
a. theme

b. infection

c. shortage

d. pleasure

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11. The underlined pronoun "**them**" in paragraph 1 refers to:

- a. games b. winters c. students d. activities

12. According to the text, all the following statements are **TRUE** of the early game of basketball except:

- a. three points were scored for every basket
b. nine players were on a team at the beginning
c. the ball had to be brought back from the basket after each score
d. running with the ball was not a foul

13. There are in a standard basketball game nowadays.

- a. nine players b. seven players
c. three players d. five players

14. From the passage, we understand that the original baskets:

- a. were not placed very high
b. are made of metal
c. did not have a hole in the bottom
d. were hung on the same side

B). Answer the following questions:(2x2=4 Marks)

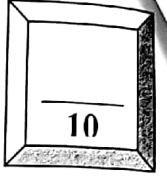
15. Where did Naismith hang the two peach baskets?

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16. Why did Naismith decide to invent basketball?

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II Writing (30 Marks)

Grammar (10 Marks)

17. Choose the correct answer to complete the following paragraph: (4 x 1= 4 Marks)

Last year, we (visit - visited- visiting) my uncle's farm in Abdaly. He changed his farm into a beautiful oasis. Different kinds of fruit and vegetables (growing - were grown – grows). He is determined (to – so that – in order to) realize his dream. He has successfully changed the farm into a producing one. The farm also (includes – including - include) flower fields, an animal pin, a lake and tents.

b) Do as shown between brackets : (3 x 2 = 6 Marks.)

18. Alia has studied medicine for seven years in Kuwait University. (Ask a question)

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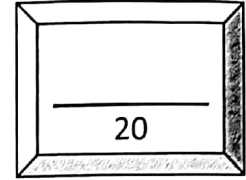
19. When I (leave) the club, it was raining heavily. (Correct the verb)

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20. The students discussed the project with their teacher,? (Tag question)

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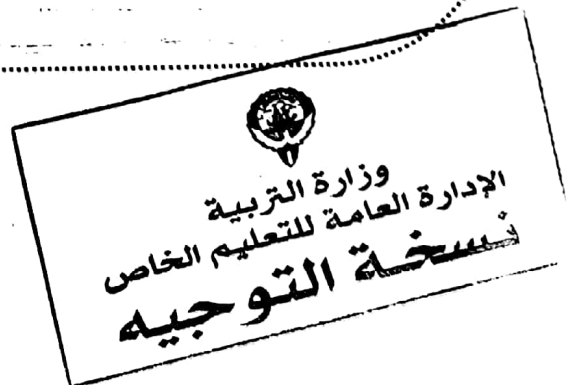
B) Writing (20 Marks)

A sound mind is in a sound body

Plan and write a report of **two paragraphs** (not less than 10 sentences) about the importance of keeping fit and healthy and how to do that.

- Your writing should include a topic sentence, supporting details and a conclusion.

A large rounded rectangular frame containing a writing plan template. At the top is a dashed box for a topic sentence. Below it are two columns, each with a dashed box for a paragraph topic sentence and four solid boxes for supporting details. A bracket on the left side of the columns indicates the two paragraphs. At the bottom of the frame is a dashed line for a conclusion.





الأسئلة في 6 صفحات

وزارة التربية

الإدارة العامة لمنطقة الأحمدية التعليمية

التوجيه الفني للغة الإنجليزية

امتحان الصف الثامن - نهاية الفترة الدراسية الأولى - العام الدراسي 2018 / 2019

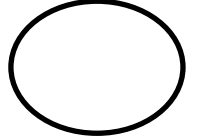
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المفردات - الإستيعاب المقروء - القواعد - التعبير الكتابي

Total Mark (60)

I-Reading (30 Marks)

A) Vocabulary (14 Ms)



a) From a, b, c and d chose the most suitable answer: (4× 2 = 8Ms)

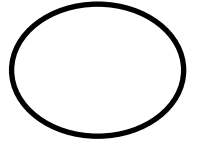
- 1- Two policemen bravely..... the freezing water to rescue a little child.
a) disposed of b) tugged on c) plunged into d) cooled down
- 2- You can achieve your hopes and dreams by hard work and.....
a) sprinting b) determination c) counting d) collection
- 3- Your daily diet should contain a/an amount of vitamins and healthy nutrients.
a) voluntary b) oval c) casual d) adequate
- 4- Scientists have.....noticed that birds act strangely before earthquakes strike.
a) recently b) unfairly c) securely d) extremely

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

(heritage – floating – bargain – conducted - inhaling)

- 5- It's about to rain because a lot of dark clouds are in the sky.
- 6- Buying this luxurious house at this reasonable price is really a great
- 7- The sports reporter a series of interviews during the world football cup.
- 8- Pearl diving is that we should preserve and pass it to future generations.

B) Reading comprehension: (16 Ms)



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

Every day there is less and less space on Earth for trash to be buried. Yet, every day we make more and more trash and waste that have negative effect on the natural environment. What can we do? We can recycle some of our trash. Recycling means that the trash will be made into something new and useful that can be used again and again.

Recycling helps the Earth in many ways. It saves space in trash dumps where trash is collected to be burnt. Half of everything that we put into dumps could be recycled instead of throwing it. In fact, most things which are made of paper, metal, aluminum, glass and plastic can be recycled. It also **reduces** pollution.

Paper can be grouped up and made into new paper. Steel and aluminum cans can be melted down and made into new cans. The same is true about glass bottles. This can be done over and over again. Recycling doesn't take as much energy as making these things the first time. So, by recycling we can use less of the Earth's fuel resources. **It** also helps save our natural resources such as wood and metals.

Plastic can be melted down, too. Then, it can be formed into park benches or furniture. Some people call plastic the wood of the future. Things made of plastic will last about 400 years even when they are outside in harsh weather. No wood can do that.

A) From a, b, c and d choose the right answer: (6×2=12Ms)

09- What is the main idea of paragraph (4)?

- a) What recycling is.
- b) How to save the future.
- c) Why plastic is important.
- d) How to recycle different things.

10- What is the **meaning** of the underlined word "**reduces**" in paragraph (2)?

- a) lowers
- b) helps
- c) uses
- d) improves

11- What does the underlined word " **it**" in paragraph (3) refer to?

- a) fuel
- b) time
- c) energy
- d) recycling

12- Plastic is called the wood of the future because:

- a) it's a natural material.
- b) it helps save money.
- c) it is strong and beautiful.
- d) it can be used to make furniture.

13- According to the text, **one** of the following statements is **NOT true**:

- a) All trash and waste can be recycled.
- b) Harsh weather doesn't affect plastic.
- c) It's difficult to find space for trash.
- d) Glass and metal can be recycled many times

14- The **purpose** of the writer is to tell us that:

- a) All materials on earth are useful.
- b) Planting trees helps in recycling.
- c) Recycling is a good way to use trash.
- d) Steel and aluminum can be recycled easily.

B) Answer the following questions: (2×2=4Ms)

15- What kind of materials can you find in your house that can be recycled?

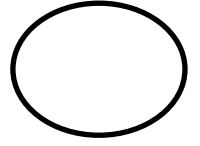
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16- Why is recycling important to the environment?

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II - Writing (30 Marks)

A) Grammar (10Ms)



a) Cloze Test

Choose the correct answer from the words in brackets:(4×1=4Ms)

17- (Swimming – Swim – Swam) is my favourite sport as it helps me enjoy a healthy life. Yesterday, while I (practise – have practised – was practising) it, I saw a very big shark with scary teeth. I was so frightened (to – that – in order to) I went out of water at once. It was the (more horrible – most horrible – horrible) experience I have ever had.

b) Transformation

Do as shown between brackets:(3×2=6Ms)

18- They provided the old factory with modern machines. (Make passive)

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19- The manager promised to raise the workers' wages,? (Add a tag question)

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20- He has lived in London for ten years. (Ask a question)

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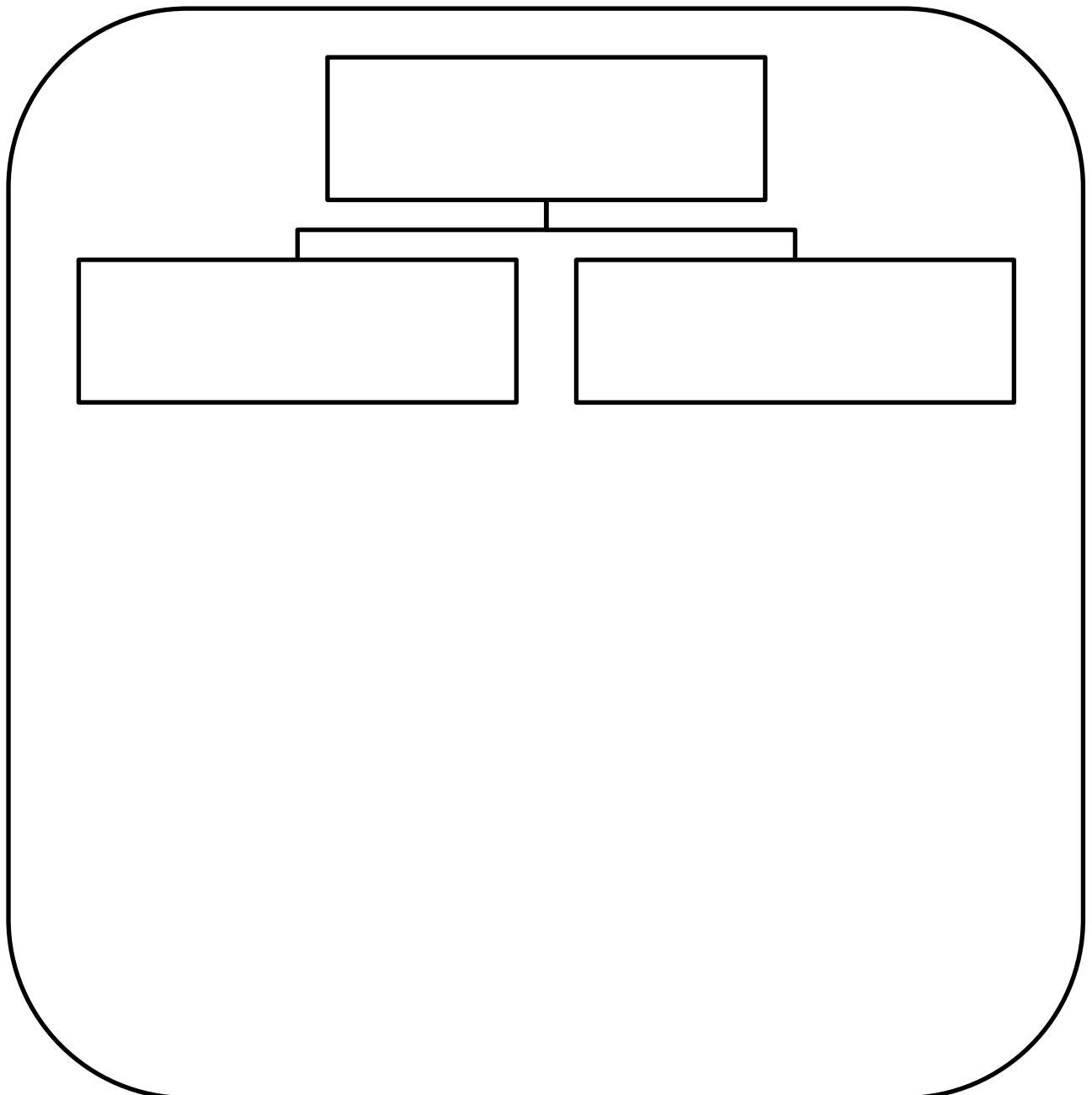
B) Writing:(20 Marks)

Everyone has his own favourite sport and of course you have yours.

Plan and write a report of **two** paragraphs (**in not less than 10 sentences**) about "**The importance of sports in your life and what your favourite sport is**"

Your writing should include (**a topic sentence, supporting details and a conclusion**)

The graphic organizer: (3 Marks)



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