



TOTAL MARK (60)

I-Reading (30)

A-Vocabulary (14)

a)-Choose the suitable answers from a, b, c and d : (4 X 2 = 8marks)

1. His cousin was very ill, and she _____ passed away.
- a. extremely b. instead of c. recently d. frequently
2. He felt he was ready to _____ this job and find a better one.
- a. float b. import c. glow d. quit
3. The old building has been restored to become a court of _____.
- a. sight b. justice c. wound d. carpet
4. A giraffe has a long neck and a _____ tongue that helps it eat leaves of high trees.
- a. flexible b. humble c. fictional d. unfairly

b)-Fill in the spaces with the suitable word(s) from the list :(4 X 1½ = 6 marks)

(generation / impressive / sightseeing / equator / harsh)

5. We did some _____ and visited some historical buildings in Istanbul last summer.
6. The Art Museum contains some _____ paintings from all over the world.
7. Our new teacher is so _____ on the students and she screams a lot.
8. The young _____ uses mobile phones and technology in their everyday life.

B-Reading Comprehension (16 marks)

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

Once, there were two little mice. One of the mice was a very hard worker. Every morning she would go outside and fill her basket with beans and nuts. If she was feeling sick, she would still gather food.

The cousin of the hardworking mouse was the opposite. She slept half the day, played and ate her beans and nuts. Soon she **realized** and became aware of the fact that she would not have any food left for the long winter. She went to her hardworking cousin and asked for food. "Why don't you have any food," the hardworking mouse asked. "I've been busy playing and sleeping", the lazy mouse said. "Well, here's a basket, stop being lazy and gather some food for yourself," said the hardworking mouse.

While the lazy mouse was gathering food, she came across a grasshopper playing happily in the fields. "Hey mouse," said the grasshopper. "Come and play with me instead of wasting your time gathering food!" "I only have a few days to collect food," said the lazy mouse. "You should be gathering **some** too." "Oh please," said the grasshopper. "I have plenty of grass, corn and leaves, I'd rather have fun." The lazy mouse said goodbye and continued to gather her own food.

A few weeks later, the lazy mouse came across the grasshopper looking very weak and hungry. "You should have thought of winter," said the lazy mouse. Then she went on her way feeling proud and happy.

A)-Choose the best answers from a, b, c and d: (6 X 2 = 12 marks)

9. Which of the following is the best title for this story?

- | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| a. Having Fun | b. The Lazy Mice |
| c. Gathering Food for Winter | d. The Value of Hard Work |

10. The main idea of the 4th paragraph is:

- How the two mice were so happy.
- How the hard worker mouse advised the lazy one.
- How the lazy mouse advised the grasshopper.
- How the grasshopper has fun in winter.

11. What is the meaning of the underlined word “realized” in the 2nd paragraph?

- a. went out b. found out c. looked out d. dropped out

12. The underlined word ‘some’ in the 3rd paragraph refers to:

- a. food b. days c. time d. fields

13. According to the story, which of the following statements is TRUE?

- a. The grasshopper was hardworking and active.
b. The grasshopper taught the mouse a good lesson.
c. The lazy mouse listened to her cousin’s advice.
d. The hardworking mouse gave the lazy one some food.

14. What lesson did the grasshopper learn in this story?

- a. Winter comes fast.
b. Don’t eat or play in summer.
c. Keep today’s work till tomorrow.
d. Plan ahead and prepare for days of need

B)-Answer the following questions : (2 X2 = 4 marks)

15. Why did the grasshopper look very weak?

16. What made the lazy mouse feel proud and happy at the end of the story?

II-Writing (30M)

A-Grammar (14 marks)

a)-Choose the suitable answers from a, b, c and d : (4 X 2 = 8marks)

17. Bill is a good farmer, he likes _____ on his farm.

- a. working b. works c. worked d. work

18. While she _____ dinner, she heard a loud noise outside.

- a. cooking b. cooks c. was cooking d. is cooking

19. This question is _____ difficult that I couldn't answer it.

- a. too b. to c. much d. so

20. _____ have you lived in this lovely house? -For nine years.

- a. How far b. How long c. How old d. How much

b)-Do as shown in brackets : (3 X 2 = 6 marks)

21. The blue sofa is more comfortable than the white sofa. (Use **not asas**)

22. The teacher collected the books yesterday. (Change into passive)

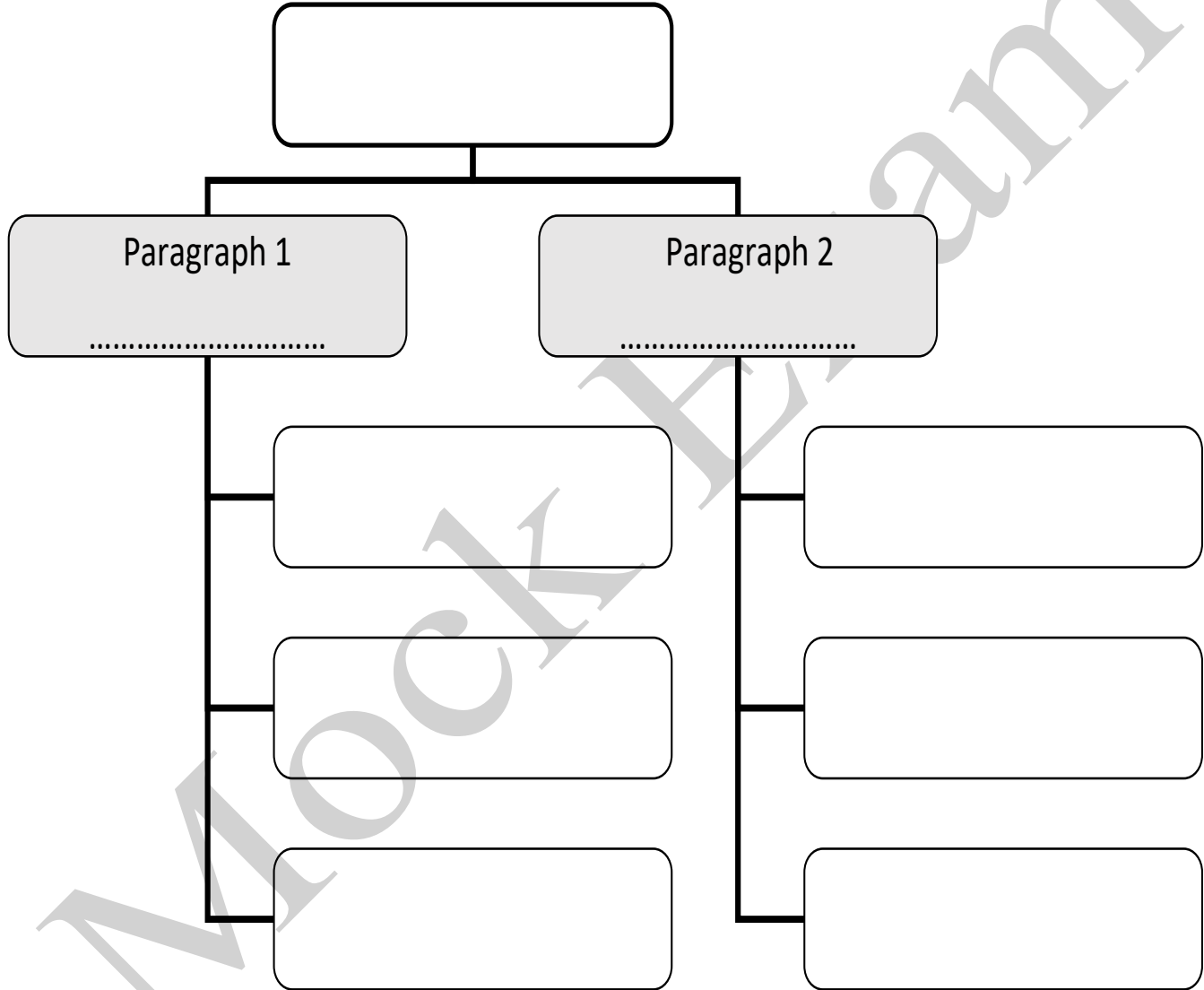
23. My sister (paint) some pictures at the moment. (Correct the verb)

B- Writing (16 Marks)

“Older people often say that life was better in Kuwait in the past than it is now.”

Plan and write a report of two paragraphs (not less than 10 sentences) about **"Life in Kuwait in the past and nowadays "** , first write about life in Kuwait in the past then write about how life in Kuwait is different nowadays.

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



Rubrics	Mark	Student's mark	Total
Planning	2		<hr style="width: 20%; margin: 0 auto;"/> 16
Exposition of ideas and coherence	7		
Paragraphing and number of sentences	2		
Grammar	1		
Spelling	2		
Punctuation	1		
Handwriting	1		
Off point planning / topics receive zero			

