

امتحان الفصل الدراسي الأول - الصف الثامن 2021 / 2022

المجال الدراسي: اللغة الإنجليزية الزمن: ساعتان

(60 درجة): (القراءة: المفردات- الاستيعاب المقروء / الكتابة: القواعد - التعبير الكتابي)

Total Mark (60 ) Marks

I. Reading (30 Marks )

A - VOCABULARY (14 MARKS )

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a) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d : ( 4 X 2 = 8)

- 1- People who are not ..... of walking have to use wheelchairs.  
a- **capable**                      b- casual                      c- unique                      d- furious
- 2-My father has a huge ..... of classic films. He loves watching them.  
a- crowd                      b- community                      c- resistance                      d- **collection**
- 3- You have to fasten your baby's seatbelt ..... for better protection.  
a- **securely**                      b- incredibly                      c- exceptionally                      d- unfairly
- 4- My little brother has got very beautiful stickers that ..... in the dark.  
a- inhale                      b- float                      c- raise                      d- **glow**

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

[ session – determination – specialised– humble- hardships ]

- 7- In the past, people who went pearl diving faced many **hardships**.
- 5- This club is **specialised** in teaching martial arts like karate and judo.
- 6- He became a very rich businessman, but he still lives in a **humble** house.
- 8- People with strong **determination** are capable of overcoming their problems.

**B) Reading Comprehension (16 Marks )**

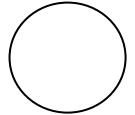
**Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions below:**

Do you have an iPad, iPod, iPhone, a smartwatch or a Mac computer? If you don't, you probably know someone who has one. Steve Jobs made the company -Apple- that created these things that are now such an important part of the lives of millions of people.

Steve Jobs was born on February 24, 1955, in San Francisco, California. When he was a boy, he had a special hobby: he liked to take apart televisions and put **them** back together again. He was a very good student in school and even skipped a grade. After he finished grade four, he went into grade six. In 1972, he graduated from high school at the age of 17. Then he began his studies in Reed College, in Portland, Oregon, but had to **drop out** after six months. Deciding to quit was not at all easy.

Few years later, Steve Jobs found a job as a video game designer at a company called Atari and two years later after that in 1976, when he was only twenty-one years, he created his own company – Apple Computer – with his friend, Steve Wozniak. Steve Jobs later got married in 1991 and had four children. Unfortunately, doctors discovered that he had cancer in 2003 and in 2011 he died at the age of 56.

**A) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d :** (6 x 2 = 12)



9-What is the best title of this passage?

a- **An Incredible Inventor**

b- Apple Company

c- Video Games Company

d- Reed College

10- The underlined word " **drop out** " in the 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph means:

a- take

b- travel

c- **leave**

d- break

11-The underlined word " **them** " in the 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph refers to:

a- **televisions**

b- people

c- lives

d- millions

12- Steve Jobs skipped a grade at school which means that .....

a- **he was a very good student.**

b- he moved to college in California.

c- he could quit going to school anytime.

d- he joined a company called Atari.

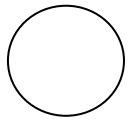


13-According to the text all the following statements are **not true** EXCEPT:

- a- Steve Jobs had only three children.
- b- Steve Jobs was born in Portland, Oregon.
- c- Steve Jobs created Apple Company by himself.
- d- **Steve Jobs was interested in games designing.**

14- What is the main purpose of the writer in this text?

- a- **To inform us about Steve's life.**
- b- To talk about video games designing.
- c- To advise us to buy Apple Company products.
- d- To tell us how important it is to study hard at school.



**B) Answer the following questions: (2 x 2 = 4)**

15- What was Steve's special hobby when he was young?

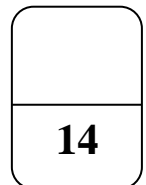
**He liked to take apart televisions and put them back together.**

16- How many months did Steve Jobs spend studying in college before dropping out?

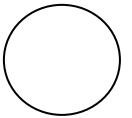
**He spent 6 months.**

**II. Writing (30 Marks)**

**A) Grammar (14 Marks)**



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



17- The boys ..... the car window while they were playing baseball.

- a- break
- b- **broke**
- c- are breaking
- d- will break

18- I think reading books is .....than watching movies.

- a- interesting
- b- **more interesting**
- c- the most interesting
- d- the least interesting

19- I'm sorry I can't let you talk to him. He ..... some rest at the moment.

- a- **is having**
- b- has
- c- was having
- d- had

20- I have had this red Ferrari ..... 1996. It means a lot to me.

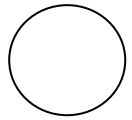
a- for

b- since

c- when

d- ago

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



21- Adel has got a new laptop for school.

(Change into negative)

**Adel hasn't got a new laptop for school.**

22- My friend wrote this exciting story.

(Change into passive)

**This exciting story was written by my friend.**

23- My mother usually (invite) her friends for dinner on Saturdays. (Correct the verb)

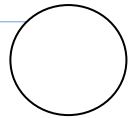
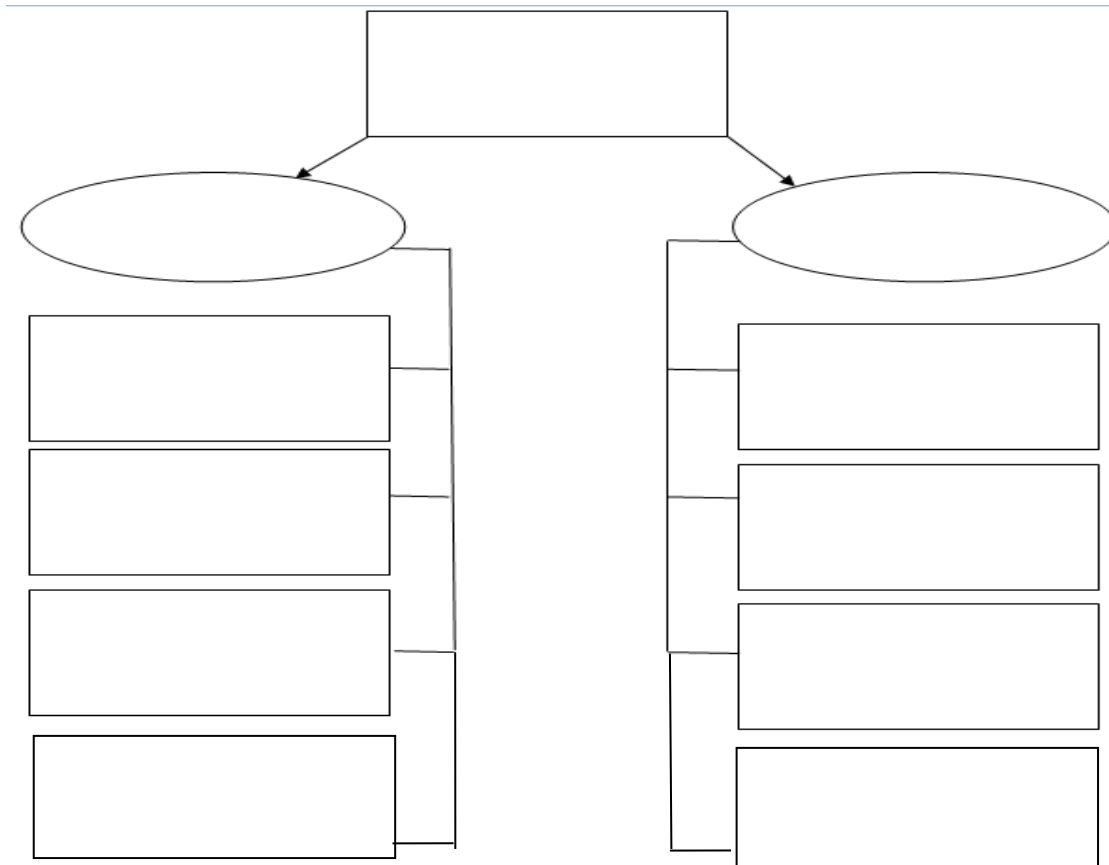
**My mother usually invites her friends for dinner on Saturdays.**

**B- Writing ( 16 marks )**

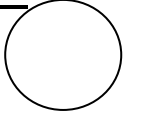
"A lot of people are willing to do anything to keep fit." **Plan** and **write** a report of **two** paragraphs (**not less than 10 sentences**) about "**How to Keep it**" explaining **the things they should avoid** and **the things they should do to keep fit**.

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

**Plan your topic here (2 Marks)**



The Topic (14 Marks)



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Rubrics	Mark	Total mark
Planning (mind mapping / graphic organizers)	2	16
Exposition of ideas and coherence	7	
Paragraphing and numbering of sentences	2	
Grammar	1	
Spelling	2	
Handwriting	1	
Punctuation	1	

End of Questions

- Good Luck -