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Ministry of Education

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English Language Grade 12

Literary Stream \ Paper One
Entrepreneurial & Technology Streams

الفروع: الادبي \ الجلسة الاولى ، الريادة والاعمال والتكنولوجيا

Time: 2:45 Hours

Total Marks (100)

Date: 4\ 5 \2020

Name: _____

Section: _____

Section	Question	Points	Students points
1	Reading comprehension	40	
2	Vocabulary	25	
3	Language	25	
4	Writing	10	
Total		100	

Reading Comprehension (40 points)

Question Number One: (20 points)

Read the following passage carefully then complete the tasks below.

A survey of 3,000 workers in the UK has revealed the top ten dream jobs. Being ‘dream’ jobs, a certain amount of fantasy is involved, but what is the reality behind the dream?

Airline pilot, James Hutchings: ‘They didn’t really make this the first choice, did they? I’m not sure my job is what people were thinking of. They probably wanted to be jet fighter pilots. The work isn’t as exciting as people think. You don’t see the world, just the insides of airports. There isn’t much job security either. There are lots of ways you could lose your job. It suits me at the moment because I’m young and single, but I wouldn’t want to be still doing it in ten years’ time.’

TV and theater actor , Jane Nicholson: ‘There’s nothing I’d rather do. The feeling you get is like nothing else, and it outweighs the many negatives, like the pressure, the stage fright and the long periods without work. Unless you’re a big star, you never know where the next job is going to come from.

Pianist and singer, Amina Kureishi: ‘Almost anyone can become a musician, but the trick is to make a living from it. I mean, there are singers, there are good singers and there are successful singers, but they’re three different things. For most of us it’s a life of late nights, long hours practicing and travelling from place to place, being paid just enough to put food on the table. The majority of professional musicians need other incomes, usually from teaching.’

Charity worker, Ben Harper: ‘I can understand why this work comes so high in the list. It’s the job satisfaction, isn’t it? A lot of people probably feel they’d rather do something to help others than work for a company making money for someone else. But the thing is that for most charity workers, it’s just an office job. Even non-profit organisations have to be run like businesses these days. The people at the top are paid well, but those lower down are often volunteers.’

A. Answer all the following questions.

(6points)

1. Why does James seem surprised about the results of the new survey?

2. What are most musicians forced to do to make a living from their profession?

3. Why do so many people dream to do voluntary work?

a. _____

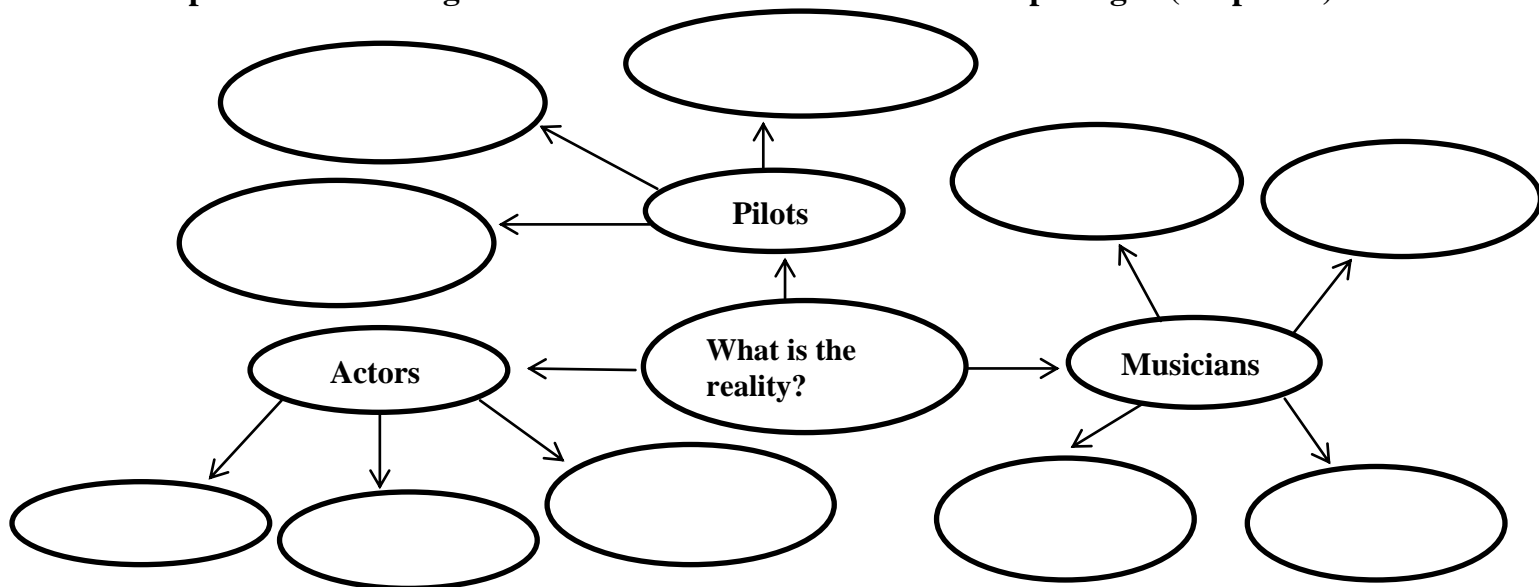
b. _____

4. How do most charity workers see their job ?

a. _____

b. _____

B. Complete the following web with information from the above passage. (10 points)



C. Complete the following table with suitable tips from the passage. (5points)

Situation	Tips
1. My classmates usually get higher marks than I do although I study harder.	a. _____ b. _____
2. I sometimes feel lost and I don't know whether I am on the right track or not.	a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

Vocabulary (25 points)

Question Number Three : (25 points)

A: Replace the underlined parts of the sentences below with words or phrases from the box. (6 points)

fantasy impatient claims attempting the latter network

1. He's a good teacher, but inclined to be a bit **not wanting to wait** with slow learners. _____
2. She offered me more money or a car and I chose **last one mentioned**. _____
3. He lived into his own **unreality** world , even as a small boy. _____
4. Make sure the rope is firmly attached before **trying** to climb down it. _____
5. Massive investment is needed to modernize the country's phone **system of connection**. _____
6. The product **says** that it can make you thin without dieting. _____

B: Complete the sentences with words from the box. (6 points)

panic excuse make a living roughly sector disappointed

1. I don't want to go to the ceremony tonight but I can't think up a good _____
2. One box may look bigger than the other, but in fact they are _____ equal in volume.
3. Office workers fled in _____ as the fire took hold .
4. If you think I'll agree to that, then you're going to be sadly _____
5. He managed to _____ one summer by selling drinks on the beach.
6. The country is making efforts to expand such economic _____ as tourism and information technology.

C: Complete the sentences with the suitable phrasal verbs from the box. (6 points)

suitable for find out stand by pass on satisfied with catch up

1. They let the doctor go, with a warning to _____ to be recalled for emergency.
2. The exercise with answers makes the book _____ self study.
3. She said she'd _____ the message _____ to the other students.

4. I don't really want a bigger house- I'm _____ what I've got.
5. They plan to spend some time to _____ with their relatives during the next holiday.
6. It's a surprise party, so I don't want her to _____ about it.

D: Complete the sentences using the words in the box with (co, mis) .(4 points)

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1. It was a simple _____ : I thought the meeting was on Wednesday, not Tuesday.
2. One of my _____ still calls me the wrong name almost every time he sees me.
3. Do you think it was just a _____ that she chose her own grandmother's picture for first prize.
4. The _____ of the equipment could endanger the lives of staff and students.

E: Circle the correct answer. (3 points)

1. We need to decide soon what (**marketing / market share**) strategies we should pursue for these new products.
2. The bank received over 2,000 (**job security / job applications**) from recent graduates in September alone.
3. The cassettes and video recorders are usually available (**on purpose / on request**) or at least by arrangement.
4. Admission is free to all tickets holders and there is no need to book (**in advance / in writing**).
5. The company has been (**in business / on business**) for over 30 years.
6. Researchers reported another important (**break through / breakthrough**) in Covid 19 research.

Language: (25 points)

Section A:

Question Number Four: (15 points)

A: Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verbs in brackets. (5 points)

1. I _____ the magazine you lent me, but I _____ it yet. (**read / not finish**)
2. The cost of living _____ very fast. Every year things _____ more expensive. (**rise / be**)
3. As she _____ to work, she suddenly remembered that she _____ to turn off the cooker. (**drive/ forget**)
4. We _____ the new Superman film tonight. We have tickets for 19:30. (**watch**)
5. We _____ you the information when we get it. (**send**)
6. Janet _____ how much her parents love her. (**not realize**)

B: Report the following questions. (5 points)

1. " When will you come back to Palestine? "

My father asked his friend _____

2. " Have you ever seen the Lord of the Rings? "

Our teacher asked us _____

3. What time does the supermarket usually open?

My mum asked the shop assistant _____

4. " Did you have enough time to finish your work?"

Karrem asked Lubna _____

5. Why are the boys still shouting?

The head teacher asked _____

C: Rewrite the following sentences keeping the same meaning. (3 points)

1. " You should read the contract carefully before you sign it."

The lawyer advised his client _____

2. " You mustn't come home after eleven ".

My father warned me against _____

3. "Remember that the prices of oil can go down as well as up."

The news reporter told us that _____

D: Complete the sentences with the (past participle or ing) form of the verbs between brackets: (2 points)

1. You don't really meet such an _____ person that does a lot for his community. (**excite**)

2. Lubna is so _____ , her chemistry project isn't going very well. (**frustrate**)

Section B:

From this section, answer two parts only. (1 , 2, 3) اجب عن قسمين من هذا السؤال

Question Number Five. (10 points)

1: A. Complete the sentences with the inf or ing form of the words between brackets. (3 points)

1. Max avoided _____ his cell phone when other people were in the room. (**use**)

2. She managed _____ with them, even though she didn't speak their language.(**communicate**)

3. I absolutely remember _____ him. I gave him \$20 dollars. (**pay**)

B: Add question tags to the sentences below. (2 points)

a. You don't happen to know if the No. 50 bus has already passed here, _____ ?

b. He'd never believe such silly excuses, _____ ?

c. The car nearly hit the little child, _____ ?

d. We can't leave him alone , _____ ?

2: A: Rewrite the sentences using reduced relative clauses. (3 points)

1. Students who are living on campus will receive a refund.

2. This message is for children who are picked up by their parents after school.

B: Correct the mistakes in the sentences. There is only one mistake in each sentence. (2 points)

1. We have a lovely time in Greece, the weather is lovely. _____

2. If you don't understand the exercise, I am going to explain it to you. _____

3. Do you feel like to go to the theatre on Friday? _____

4. He has enough money, so he won't buy a new car. _____

3: A: Circle the correct answer: (3 points)

1. A: What (**disturbed / did disturb**) you when you were working? B: The noise.
2. This (**will be / might be**) the right answer but we'll have to check with our teacher.
3. I (**probably won't / will**) go to Laila's party tonight. I don't feel well.

**B: Rewrite the sentences, replacing the underlined part with a causative structure:
(have/get + object + past participle): (2 points)**

1. You'd better ask a mechanic to examine the car before you leave the garage.

2. Areej took her silver ring to the jewelery and paid them to repair it

Writing: (10 points)

Question Number Six: (10 points)

Choose one of the following writing tasks: اكتب موضوعا واحدا من احد الموضوعين

A: Write an application form to join the " Freedom for students in prisons" Society. Do the following:

- **Explain the reasons for choosing this society.**
(interest, having a prisoner in your family , suffering, increasing numbers of students in prisons)
- **Write about your potential action plan to support Palestinian students in prisons.**
(protests, visits prisoners' families, organizing local events)
- **Write about how you expect that prisoners and their families will benefit from these events.**
(bring local society closer, make young students aware of this issue)

B: You are a financial expert. Write an email for your friend who intends to start a new business .Say what you think about his news , tell him What qualifications and personal qualities that are required to be a successful business person and give him some useful tips for starting a new business.

Good Luck