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Reading Comprehension (40 points)

Question Number One: (20 points)

Read the texts and do the tasks below:

A _____ A recent report said that the Information and Communications Technology sector makes up over 5% of the Palestinian economy. Why ICT? For Mustafa Jawad, the 23-year-old head of an online graphic design company, the answer is simple: 'For an ICT start-up, all you need is a computer and a connection. You can distribute your final product by exporting **it** to the Internet cloud. Just be determined.' Mustafa was always good at art and languages, and when he finished school everyone advised him to study English at university. **Instead**, he taught himself how to programme and started making his own software programmes. His first attempt was a game. His big breakthrough came when he attended a 'start-up weekend' in Ramallah. He managed to get a small amount of financial support, and he met other business people, both Palestinian and from other countries. He learnt a lot about the practical side of running a business and about how to get his products noticed.

B _____ Seventeen-year-old Anita Simons started out making jewellery for friends and now sells it to top fashion shops and direct to the public via her online company. She says: 'One of the most important things I've had to learn to do is decide the most effective way of spending money. You need to work out the financial figures and have **them** checked by someone who understands money. Luckily my parents are both in business themselves, so they advised me to spend more on marketing, less on product development, or whatever. Wherever it comes from, getting good advice is very important.'

C _____ In a speech yesterday , the Education Minister advised students to avoid arts subjects and choose science or maths if they want to improve their job prospects . In the past , **he** said, arts subjects like languages and history were chosen by students who didn't have a clear idea of what they wanted to do in the future . He explained that **this** was because of a feeling that they involved skills that were useful for many different jobs , but he questioned whether this was still true : "Nowadays ,we know differently , don't we ? The best subjects for keeping your options open are ones like science , technology and engineering .'

A. Match the headings with the suitable texts above: (3 points)

1. Spending priorities.
2. A controversial decision.
3. Success doesn't come easily.

B. Answer the following questions:**(6 points)**

1. Who says that ICT companies are important for the future of Palestine ?

2. How did Mustafa benefit from attending the 'start-up weekend' in Ramallah?

a. _____

b. _____

3. What is the most important thing that Anita learnt?

4. Why did the education minister advice students to choose science subjects?

5. What motivated students to study arts back then according to the minister?

C. Decide whether the following statements are True or False:**(3 points)**

1. Mustafa Jawad says that ICT sector makes up over 5% of the Palestinian economy. ()

2. Anita had help from family members in running her work. ()

3. Mustafa learnt how to programme at university. ()

D. Complete the table with the needed notes:**(3 points)**

Person	Type of business	Advice to people
1. Mustafa Jawad		
2. Anita Simons		
3. Minister		

E. What do the following words refer to or mean:**(5 points)**

1. it (line 5) : _____

2. Instead (line 6): _____

3. them (line 16): _____

4. he (line 21) _____

5. this (line 22): _____

Question Number Two: (20 points)

Read the text then do the tasks below:

1- _____ The original Olympic Games took place at Olympia in Ancient Greece in 776 BC. They included arts competitions as well as athletics, boxing, wrestling and chariot racing. The first modern games took place in Athens in 1896, and continue to take place every four years in different countries of the world. The Olympics are the traditional "world championships" of athletics, but there are many other sports competitions- swimming, rowing, gymnastics and others.

2- _____ The Olympic Games have many important symbols that most people recognize. The Olympic flag, with its five rings, represents the five continents of the world. The five rings that appear on the Olympic flag (colored yellow, green, blue, black and red) were introduced in 1914. They represent the five continents of Africa, the Americas, Australia, Asia and Europe. The flag is raised in the host city and then flown to the next **one** where it is kept until the next Games.

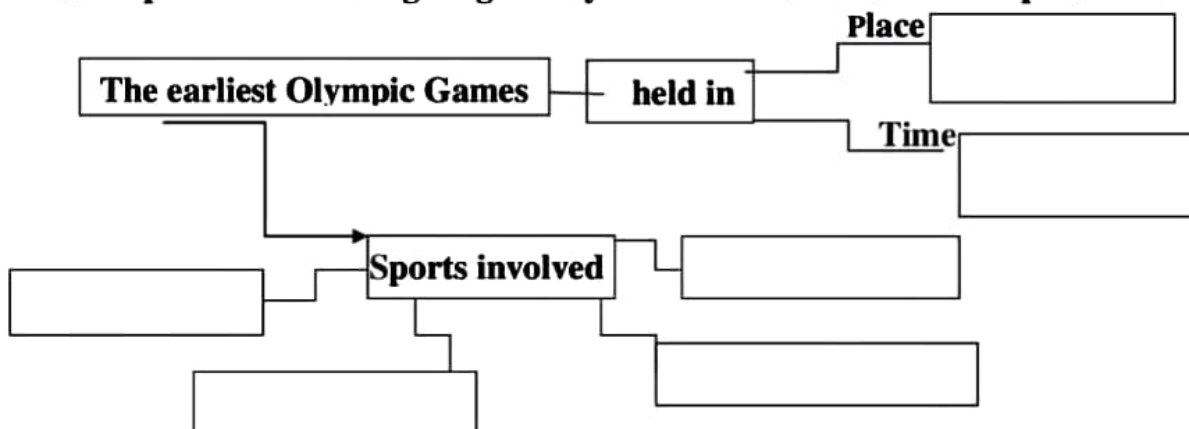
3- _____ At each Olympics, the Olympic committee includes new sports, making each Olympics more exciting than the last. The IOC is responsible for choosing the host city for each Olympic Games. The host city is responsible for organizing a celebration of the Games which includes many rituals and symbols, such as the Olympic flag and the torch, as well as the opening and closing activities. There are rules that the IOC follows in order to decide what game should be included. The most important is that it should be popular all over the world and that it has a tradition.

4- _____ Competitors in the events win medals: a gold medal for first place, silver for second, and bronze for third. Winning medals at the Olympic Games has always been considered the most prestigious mark of an athlete, and a source of glory for the athlete's country.

A: Match the following titles (a- d) with the suitable paragraph (1-4): (4points)

- a. How the IOC works. Paragraph (_____)
- b. The history of Olympic Games. Paragraph (_____)
- c. Be the winner. Paragraph (_____)
- d. What do the Olympic rings stand for? Paragraph (_____)

B: Complete the following diagram by the suitable notes from the provided text: (6 points)



C: Answer the following questions:

(4 points)

1. What are the two important criteria to include any sport in the Olympic Games by the IOC?

2. How do competitors at the Olympic Games look at winning medals?
a. _____
b. _____

D: Complete the following sentences:

(4 points)

1. (IOC) stands for _____
2. The role of the host city is to _____

E: Choose the right answer from (A, B or C):

(2 points)

1. The phrase "one" L. 12 refers to _____
A. flag B. host city C. game
2. Having a cup of coffee and reading the newspaper are part of my morning _____
A. ritual B. symbol C. mark

Vocabulary (25 points)

A-Replace the underlined parts of the sentences below with words from the box:(5 points)

boast - stage fright - amateur - return - optional

- 1-The selection of the final speakers was based on their fluency, lack of **nervousness to speak in front of public**, and ability to attract the audience.
- 2-Schooling is compulsory and free for the first ten years and **not compulsory** and free for the next two.
- 3-Parents **are too proud** about their children's achievements.
- 4-She makes a big **profit** from selling waste material to textile companies.
- 5-For the first time there will be cash prizes for the professional players and **non professional** ones.

B-Complete the sentences below with words from the box:

(5 points)

objective - tragic - distribute - combination - revealed

- 1- Our problems were caused by aof bad management and lack of experience.
- 2- The company has just..... its plans for the coming year, including the opening of new offices in Paris.
- 3- The pilot avoided a..... when he succeeded in preventing the plane from crashing.
- 4- Try to givejudgment and assessment. I hope you won't be affected by others.
- 5- Humanitarian agencies are calling the local volunteers to help them..... food medicine for the refugees.

C-Choose the correct phrasal verb from the box to fill in the sentences below. (5 points)

breakthrough - cut back - handed over - pass on - run into

- 1-Have you ever such a horrible person in all your life?
2. I decided not to this information to the police.
- 3- Scientists have made a In their treatment of that disease.
- 4- She resigned andto one of her colleagues.
- 5-The unions strongly oppose any plans to.....industrial production.

D-Complete the sentences using the words in the box with co-, mis , over or under.

(2.5 points)

worked - behave - rate - paying - use

- 1-The coach tends to..... the players on his own team by giving rewards.
- 2-If you..... in the class, you'll certainly be punished.
- 3- People sometimes electricity which causes dangerous electrical faults.
- 4- The doctor advised him to take a complete rest because he had been
- 5-Many firms were illegally.....workers. That's why they're thinking of a strike.

E-Circle the correct answer:

(5 points)

1. There had been a serious (**break down /breakdown**)for many cars on the high road.
2. Don't be late for the party, Rami. Be accurate and come (**on time \ in time**).
3. They sought for a controlling interest rather than a (**takeover \ take over**).
4. If you want to go to the concert, you must get your tickets (**on receipt \ in advance**).
5. The child's birthday gift was wrapped in colorful (**paper \ papers**).
6. Most businessmen prefer to take their dinner at (**marketing \ upmarket**) restaurants.
7. Like people, products have **identities**, they're called brands. The word **identities** is (**an abstract \ a concrete**) noun.
8. Your job (**prospects/ application**) will be better if you get more training courses.
9. (**Market research \ Market value**) shows that the need for small cars will continue to grow.
10. His haircut really makes him (**standout \ stand out**) from the rest of his friends.

F. Complete the sentences with the appropriate prepositions in the box.(2.5points)

in - of - for - on - between

- 1- I'm exhausted because I had to choose.....sleeping or finishing this paper last night.
- 2-Experts.....law believe that the evidence will not be accepted in court.
- 3-The policeman insisted.....taking the thief to the prison.
- 4-This job isn't suitable.....old people.
- 5-We need to make people aware.....the effect their life style on the environment.

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. A. "Why is he holding a piece of paper?"
B. He says he a letter to my friend back home in Palestine. (write)
2. My sister whoEnglish for thirty yearsyet. (teach/retire)
3. Reading stories for children their brain development and imagination. (promote)
4. He was happy yesterday because he the joyful days of childhood. (recall)
5. We home until very late last night. (not / get)

B: Do as required in brackets: (3 points)

1. you / ever / hear / of the Royal Hospital? (Write full question)
.....
2. His new apartment cost 50,000 dollars. (Complete the question)
How much.....
3. I didn't help my mother when I was younger. (Start with the given words)
I wish

C: Complete the sentences with the correct verb form: (to infinitive or -ing form) (3 points)

- 1- My father refuses..... chemicals on the vegetable she grows. (use)
- 2- You should remember an email to let them know about the changes. (send)
- 3-Why don't we stop our time in playing games? (waste)

D: 1.Complete the following sentences with (a / an / the or no article): (3 points)

1. Ali did much effort to befirst in the race.
2. The secretary lost important document and was fired.
3. She has been studying business law for two years.

2: Circle the correct answer: (1 point)

1. Sorry, I can't see you tonight, I am.....for my exam. (reading / going to read)
2. There are blue patches in the sky I think itrain. (will / may)

Section B (10 points) (1 , 2 , 3) أجب عن قسمين من السؤال فقط

1. A. Rewrite the sentences, replacing the underlined part with a causative structure: (3 points)

1. We usually ask somebody to decorate the children's bedrooms every two hours.

2. Salma can't make a wedding dress, so she asks a designer in Paris to make it for her.

3. He didn't fix his car himself, he asked someone at the garage to fix it.

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

1. Children won't come to the party,

2. He had cake and coffee for desert,

2. A. Rewrite the following beginning with the words given: (3 points)

1. You should think carefully before accepting the new offer.

His friend advised him

2. "Do you pay extra for the breakfast?"

He asked them

3. I didn't buy more during the sale time.

I regret

B: Rewrite the sentences as single sentences using the words in brackets, changing the tense of one verb and the order of the events if necessary: (2 points)

1. spent a long time studying this subject. He passed the exam easily. (because)

2. The bell rang. Everyone stopped working and left the building. (as soon as)

3: Correct the mistakes in the following sentences: (There is one mistake in each sentence): (5 points)

1. You need to get your watch repair. It's stopped working.....

2. It's getting dark. We should have leave half an hour ago.

3. What films did you watched last night?

4. Ali didn't apply for the job, so he obviously may get it.

5. They'd replace the offer soon, don't they?

Writing: (10 points)

الفرع العلمي : اختر موضوعاً واحداً

Write a short essay of about 150 words on one of the following topics:

1) "Are internet / online friends real?"

Paragraph 1: Write about making friends before the internet.

Paragraph 2 : Benefits of making online friends.

Paragraph 3 :Disadvantages of making online friends.

Paragraph 4: Your opinion to answering the topic question.

2) Have you ever started a small business? What challenges did you run into? What advice do you have?

Paragraph 1: What skills do you have?

Paragraph 2: How did you start? Who helped you?

Paragraph 3: Challenges you faced. (e.g. lack of experience, lack of money, needed to make a market research).

Paragraph 4: Your advice to young people.

Good luck