

امتحان الصف الثاني عشر (علمي / أدبي) - نهاية الفترة الدراسية الأولى 2024/2023
 المجال الدراسي: اللغة الأجنبية الأولى (الإنجليزية) الزمن: ثلاث ساعات
 (المفردات - القواعد - الوظائف اللغوية - الكتاب المقرر - التعبير الكتابي - الاستيعاب المقروء - التلخيص - الترجمة)

<u>Total (560 Marks)</u>	
<u>I. Vocabulary (100 Marks)</u>	
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A) From a, b, c, and d, choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences: (5x10= 50 Marks)

- Donating money, food, and clothing to families in need can their suffering.
 - compost
 - alleviate
 - rent
 - reclaim
- Fortunately, last night's earthquake caused only damage to some buildings.
 - minor
 - productive
 - charitable
 - timid
- Led by two police officers, the dangerous criminal entered the court in
 - handcuffs
 - consultations
 - proportions
 - rewards
- Qatar recycled materials to build Stadium 974 for the 2022 FIFA World Cup.
 - sued
 - utilised
 - resided
 - grazed
- Drinking a lot of water during weather is essential to stay hydrated and refreshed.
 - heartening
 - humid
 - innocent
 - humanitarian

B) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below: (5x10= 50 Marks)

(regardless / annoyance /pose / prohibitively/ commitment / seek)

- On scorching sunny days, birds shade and shelter in the branches of tall trees.
- Pollution and access to clean water major problems facing the world nowadays.
- Noise caused by motorcycles speeding down streets is a constant source of
- Due to his to work, my brother couldn't attend yesterday's family gathering.
- Travelling first-class can be expensive, but it offers a luxurious experience.

II-Grammar (60 Marks)

A) From a, b, c, and d choose the correct answer that best completes each of the following sentences: (4x10=40 Marks)

60

11. The sun provides us heat, energy, light, and vitamin D.
 a. in
 b. with
 c. from
 d. on
12. some people find horror films too scary, others find them exciting.
 a. Instead of
 b. Whereas
 c. On the other hand
 d. In comparison with
13. These are the students project received the highest grade in the class.
 a. who
 b. when
 c. whose
 d. which
14. I write down my important tasks in a to-do list I can remember them all.
 a. so that
 b. in order to
 c. lead to
 d. the cause of

B) From a, b, and c, choose the correct answer as required: (4x5= 20 Marks)

15. If the store offered a discount, (Complete the sentence)
 a. If the store offered a discount, I will buy that gold watch.
 b. If the store offered a discount, I have bought that gold watch.
 c. If the store offered a discount, I would buy that gold watch.
16. I wish I (try) more traditional food when I visited Italy. (Correct the verb)
 a. I wish I am trying more traditional food when I visited Italy.
 b. I wish I had tried more traditional food when I visited Italy.
 c. I wish I have been trying more traditional food when I visited Italy.
17. You have completed the online course,? (Add a tag question)
 a. You have completed the online course, don't you?
 b. You have completed the online course, didn't you?
 c. You have completed the online course, haven't you?
18. The secretary answered all my questions patiently. (Make passive)
 a. All my questions are answered patiently by the secretary.
 b. All my questions were answered patiently by the secretary.
 c. All my questions had been answered patiently by the secretary.

III- Language Functions (40 Marks)

Write what you would say in the following situations: (4x10 = 40 Marks).

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19. You need your teacher's help with a challenging math problem.

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20. You want to join a school summer camp abroad, but your father refuses.

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21. Your sister believes that social media has a negative impact on society.

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22. Your friends want to know why you have decided to buy an electric car.

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IV- Set-Book Questions (40 Marks)

Answer ONLY FOUR of the following questions: (4X10=40 Marks)

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23. Laws are very important in a society. Give a reason.

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24. Why do some people migrate to other countries?

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25. Why do volunteers join the Kuwait Red Crescent Society?

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26. What does it take to become a successful diplomat?

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27. How has Kuwait secured water preservation?

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V- Writing (120 Marks)

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Write on the following topic: (Expository)

Earth provides enough to satisfy Man's need, but not Man's greed. Earth is really in great danger.

Plan and write an essay of 14 sentences (160 words) explaining the great damage Man has caused to Earth and suggesting ways to reduce this damage.

NB: The topic should include an introduction, 2 body paragraphs, and a conclusion.

Outline (20 Marks)

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Introduction:

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Body:

Paragraph 1:

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Paragraph 2:

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Conclusion:

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VI- Reading Comprehension: (110 Marks)

Read the following text carefully, and then answer the questions that follow:

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Keeping good health is everyone's dream. However, simply having a healthy body is not **sufficient**. Our overall well-being necessitates a balance between physical and mental health. So, what can we do to stay well? Scientists have come up with new information about how to stay healthy, and some of this may surprise you!

Several beverages are good for health. Orange juice has vitamin C. Milk has calcium. Black tea and green tea are good for health, too. They have antioxidants; these fight diseases such as cancer and heart disease. Most people know this. But although people of all ages and backgrounds enjoy hot chocolate, they don't know that **it** has more antioxidants than tea!

Too much stress is not good for physical health. Some stress is chronic, which means that it lasts for a long time. Chronic stress can make people old. As people get older, their eyesight and hearing become worse. This is normal. But chronic stress makes people age faster. Scientists can now identify how chronic stress makes people age. It can damage the body's DNA. The lesson from this is clear. We need to learn to relax.

One easy and cheap way to help both your physical and mental health is just to sleep well. Now, over half the people in the world may be sleep-deprived, which means they don't get enough sleep. Sleep-deprived people often have medical problems, such as high blood pressure, diabetes, and heart problems. It is also more difficult for them to make decisions. Clearly, we need to find time to get more sleep. But there is another reason. A new study from Germany found out that sleep makes people smarter. The study shows that the brain continues to work during sleep and helps the sleeper to work on problems.

How many languages do you speak? There might be good news for you. Bilingual people, who speak two languages very well, do better on tests than people who speak only one language. The ability to manage two languages in the mind is like a stimulating exercise for the brain.

To have good physical and mental health, we need to eat right, relax, sleep enough, and exercise both the body and the brain.

A) From a, b, c, and d, choose the correct answer: (5x10 = 50 Marks)

28. The **best title** for this text would be:

- a. Chronic Stress and Old Age
- b. Effects of Sleep Deprivation
- c. The Secrets of Good Health
- d. The Kinds of Vitamins Our Bodies Need

29. The underlined word "**sufficient**" in the 1st paragraph is **closest** in meaning to:

- a. important
- b. enough
- c. obligatory
- d. effective

30. The underlined pronoun "**it**" in the 2nd paragraph refers to:

- a. black tea
- b. green tea
- c. heart disease
- d. hot chocolate

31. What makes hot chocolate better than tea?

- a. It contains more calcium and vitamins.
- b. It is enjoyed by the youth more than the elderly.
- c. It has more antioxidants than both black and green tea.
- d. It prevents people from getting cancer and heart problems.

32. According to the text, **ONE** of the following sentences is **TRUE**:

- a. Chronic stress can speed up aging process as it destroys the body's DNA.
- b. Chronic stress lasts only a short time and has no effect on our overall health.
- c. If people are sleep-deprived, they can easily make immediate decisions.
- d. During sleep, our brain stops working, and we forget all about our problems.

B) With reference to the text, answer the following questions: (4x15 = 60 Marks)

33. What kind of balance does our overall well-being necessitate?

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34. How does aging normally affect our health?

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35. What possible disease might sleep-deprived people suffer from?

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36. Why do bilinguals perform better in tests than those who speak only one language?

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VII - Summary Making (60 Marks)

Read the following text, and then do as required:

For thousands of years, humans have been able to domesticate, or tame many wild animals that live together in herds. Once tamed, these animals are used for agricultural work and transportation. Yet, some wild animals are not easily domesticated. A good reason for this is that we can't provide the right home for them. Another reason is that some of these animals could die while being captured. In addition, they can bite and dangerously hurt their owners. Finally, some animals require special foods that are difficult or impossible to provide. For all these reasons, wild animals need to be set free in their natural habitat for their well-being.

In a paragraph of FOUR sentences ONLY, summarise and paraphrase the above text in answer to the following question:

Why aren't some wild animals easily domesticated?

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Rubrics	Content/ relevance of ideas	Paraphrasing	Spelling & grammar	Format	Total
	30	20	5	5	60

VIII. Translation (30 Marks)

Translate the following into good English: (2x15= 30 Marks)

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أحمد : تتشارك معظم الثقافات العديد من القيم الإنسانية الأساسية.
صالح : هذا صحيح، فالتعاطف والتسامح هما أهم هذه القيم.

Ahmad :

Saleh :

انتهت الأسئلة
مع تمنياتنا لكم بالنجاح