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Giving recommendations / Giving advice

Any reasonable response is to be accepted.

IV- Set-Book Questions (20 Marks)

Answer ONLY FOUR of the following questions: (4X5=20 Marks)

25. What is the importance of laws to every society?

Laws protect the individual rights/ ... ensure a safe, just, and tolerant society/ ... punish criminals.

26. Why do people usually migrate?

People usually migrate to find better-paid jobs/ ... to escape wars and conflicts/ ... to escape famine.

27. Mention two waste products that may be recycled.

Glass/ rubbish/ plastic/ paper/ cardboard can be recycled.

28. How can people ensure a healthy life?

They can do that by staying active, both physically and mentally.

29. What difficulties may mountain climbers face?

They might face exhaustion/ ... frost-bite/ ... extreme cold/ ... strong winds/ ... dizzying heights.

Any reasonable answer is to be accepted.

V- Writing (24 Marks)

Write on the following topic: (Argumentative)

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Others are against this idea.

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Plan and write an essay of 14 sentences (160 words) presenting both views and stating your own position.

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On the other hand, there are other people who actually enjoy work. In fact, they are called "workaholics" because they work more than other people, they spend many extra hours on the job each week, and they even take their work home with them.

In Washington, D.C., government workers work sixty to seventy hours a week. Hundreds of workaholics in New York City tried to go to work even in the famous blackout of 1977. There was no electricity, no air-conditioning, or lights, but many people went to their offices, anyway. They sat on the steps outside their office buildings to do their work.

Workaholism can be a serious problem because workaholics do not know how to relax. They might not enjoy movies, sports, or other types of entertainment. Their lives are usually stressful, and this worry can cause health problems. Workaholics do not pay much attention to their families. They spend little time with their children, families, and friends.

Workaholism is not always dangerous. Many workaholics have great interest in life. They are actually happy. For workaholics, work and entertainment are the same. People retire from work at age sixty-five, but workaholics usually prefer not to quit until their eighties or nineties. That is because they believe their jobs provide them with a challenge which keeps them busy and creative.

Workaholics enjoy work because it provides them with happiness rather than financial security. For them, work is an opportunity for finding success. It provides them with self-confidence, especially when they have produced a challenging piece of work and they have done it properly. Therefore, they can say, "I made that." In addition, work gives workaholics an identity. Through participation in work, they get a sense of value. Perhaps workaholics are addicted to their work, but their addiction seems to be safe, even an advantageous one.



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They need to make enough money for basic necessities/ ... to pay bills/ ... to buy food/ ... to buy clothing/ ... to pay for their transportation.

36. How many hours do government workers in Washington, D.C. work a week?

In Washington, D.C., government workers work sixty to seventy hours a week.

37. Why were the people of New York City a perfect example of workaholics?

Because they went to work in the blackout of 1977/ ... went to their offices, when there was no electricity, no air-conditioning, or lights/ ... sat on the steps outside their office buildings to do their work.

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Khalid: A large number of people move from their homes in country areas to find better jobs in cities.

Salem: That is right. That is called rural depopulation.

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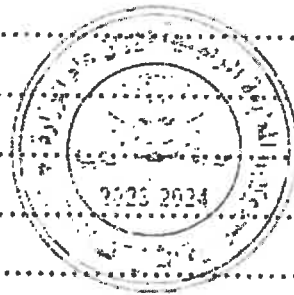
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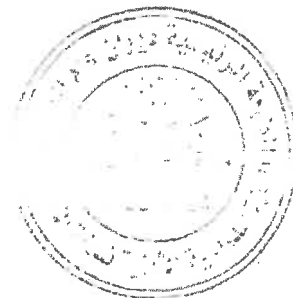
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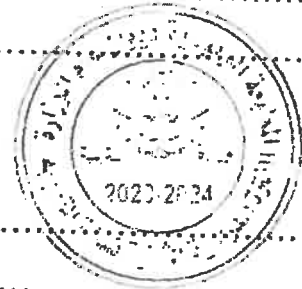
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a. criticism b. feat
c. portfolio d. equator
2. Thanks to the donations, the poor people could survive the famine.
a. cardiovascular b. leafy
c. charitable d. fatigued
3. If you want to the snowy hill, it won't be an easy task. Beware!
a. repudiate b. resign
c. ascend d. conceal
4. I never expected to meet Ronaldo until I him in Saudi Arabia yesterday.
a. coped with b. did up
c. bumped into d. did without
5. We are not talking to each other anymore because I am angry with him and
a. randomly b. vice versa
c. densely d. compassionately

B) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below: (5x2=10 Marks)

(elderly - assist - minister - afford - PhD - legal)

6. A/An legal action should be taken against those who break the law.
7. I am very proud of my sister because she has just received her PhD in Literature.
8. Respecting elderly people is one of the most important teachings of Islam.
9. The minister of health opened the new hospital in our area two days ago.
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c. I have decided d. **had I decided**

14. Travelling by bus is cheap, flying is more expensive.

- a. whereas
b. in comparison with
c. instead of
d. in order to

15. The giant panda is a rare animal that is mainly found China.

- a. for b. with
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B) Choose the correct answer from a, b, and c, as required: (4x1=4 Marks)

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- He moved to the countryside in order to want to live in a healthier place.
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19. The government should provide people with good healthcare. (Change into passive)

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Write what you would say in the following situations: (5x4=20 Marks)

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Expressing preference / Comparing and explaining choices / Explaining differences
21. You want to go on a long vacation with your friends, but your parents refuse.
Being persuasive / Justifying / Giving reasons
22. Your sister asked you to accompany her to the mall to get what she needs for school.
Agreeing & disagreeing
23. Your teacher wants to know why you chose to do the research about Rolls Royce.
Giving reasons / Describing qualities / Expressing opinion
24. Your friends helped a lot when you moved to your new house.
Expressing gratitude / Expressing praise

Any reasonable response is to be accepted.

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Answer ONLY FOUR of the following questions: (4X5=20 Marks)

25. What is the main purpose of sending people to prison?
The main purpose of sending people to prison is to protect the society / ... to punish criminals / ... to keep people safe.
26. Why do people leave their countries and migrate to new places?
People leave their countries to get a higher salary / ... find a better job / ... survive wars / ... escape starvation (famine).
27. What games did children use to play in the past?
Children in the past used to play simple games such as Ambar / Dawama / Al-Khabsah.
28. In what way is Zed Al-Refai an important Arab figure?
Zed Al-Refai is an important figure because he was the first Arab (Kuwaiti) man to climb to the top of Mount Everest.
29. How should child prodigies be treated by their teachers and parents?
They should support the children's interests / ... help them accomplish goals / ... let them take decisions / ... give them the chance to correct their mistakes.

Any reasonable answer is to be accepted.

V- Writing (24 Marks)

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Write on the following topic: (Expository)**Facing challenges and pushing one's limits are not meant for everyone.****Plan and write an essay of not less than 14 sentences (160 words) about the type of personality and skills that a person should have to face such challenges, and what preparations a person should make before taking any challenge.****NB: (Your topic should include an introduction, 2 body paragraphs & a conclusion.)****Outline (5 Marks)**

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World science is controlled today by a small number of languages, including Japanese, German and French, but it is English which is the most popular language of science. This is not just because of the importance of English-speaking countries such as the USA in scientific research, but many non-English-speaking scientists find that they need to publish their research papers in English to reach a wide international audience. Before the 17th century, no one really knew how to write science in English while Latin was regarded as the official language of communication for European scholars.



The period between the 14th and the 16th centuries was full of interest in using the ancient language of science, Latin. At the same time, however, scholars also began to use the language of the new countries, such as England, as the modern language of science, exploration, and trade. England, as we know, took its language west to America and east to India. English was supported by scientific inventions such as the invention of the compass, improvements in cartography (the study of maps) and the new theories of astronomy (the study of planets) with its great expert, Copernicus, who lived for seventy years. Another example is Isaac Newton who published his mathematical ideas in Latin, but later published his theory of light in English.

There were several reasons why original science continued to be written in Latin. The first was simply that people used to look at scientists who speak Latin with more respect. A second reason for writing in Latin was the scientists' interest in keeping their research a secret till they were ready to make it available for the public. For example, mathematicians used to keep their work secret by writing it in a strange language like Latin. The third reason was that English did not have the necessary technical vocabulary and the grammatical resources which scientists needed to express their ideas formally. In simple words, English was scientifically weaker than Latin.

Finally, by the end of the 18th century, scientific English enjoyed large vocabulary growth that enabled it to advance and become the most distinguished language not only in science but also in other fields of life such as tourism, sports, arts and education.

A) From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer: (5x3= 15 Marks)

30. The main idea of the 3rd paragraph is:
- What the three languages of science were.
 - How English became the first language of science.
 - Why Latin was the favourite language of science.
 - When Latin was mostly used to speak about science.



31. The underlined word "ancient" in the 2nd paragraph is closest in meaning to:
- strong
 - interesting
 - old
 - weak

32. The underlined word "which" in the 1st paragraph refers to:
- Japanese
 - German
 - French
 - English

33. What does cartography mean?
- The official language of communication.
 - The language of science.
 - The mathematical ideas written in Latin.
 - The study of maps.

34. According to the passage, all the following statements are TRUE EXCEPT:
- Before the 17th century, science was not written in English.
 - The official language of communication for European scholars was French.
 - England was the country which took its language east and west.
 - English was scientifically weaker than Latin.

B) With reference to the passage, answer the following questions: (5x3=15 Marks)

35. Why do non-English-speaking scientists like to publish their works in English?
Non-English-speaking scientists find that they need to publish their research papers in English to reach a wide international audience.

36. How old was Copernicus when he died?
Copernicus was seventy (years old).

37. In what language did Newton publish his theory of light?
Newton's theory of light was published in English.

38. What made English scientifically weaker than Latin?
English was scientifically weaker than Latin because it did not have the necessary technical vocabulary / ... grammatical resources.

39. English is used in many fields other than science. Mention one.
English is used in trade / ... mathematics / ... sports / ... tourism / ... arts / ... education.

Any reasonable answer related to the passage is to be accepted.



VII - Summary Making (8 Marks)

Read the following passage, then do as required:

Making delicious apple pies is not an easy task. Cooking experts always focus on having the right kind of apples as they cannot be too watery or soft. Another point is that making a good apple pie will be easier if the top crust is prepared ahead of time. We also can have a beautiful top crust if it has a simple decoration. Remember that the less flour in a crust, the better the pie will be. According to many pie-eaters, different flavours add a lot to the pie and make it delicious. Simply follow the previous points, and you will be happier as you eat your next apple pie.

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

“What makes a good and delicious apple pie?”

The answer should include FOUR of the following ideas:

- Having the right kind of apples / Having apples that are not too watery or soft.
- Preparing the top crust ahead of time.
- Having a beautiful top crust / a simple decoration on the top crust.
- Using less flour in the crust.
- Adding different flavours to the pie.

Rubrics	Content / relevance of ideas	Paraphrasing	Spelling and grammar	Paragraph format	Total
	4	2	1	1	8

- Copying the whole paragraph receives ZERO.
- Exceeding the required number of sentences:
 - Minus 1 mark for one sentence.
 - Minus 2 for two sentences and above.

VIII. Translation (4 Marks)

Translate the following into good English: (2x2= 4 Marks)



سالم : أصبحت الكويت قادرة على التعامل مع الكثير من الأمراض.
خالد : هذا صحيح، وأصبح متوسط العمر المتوقع في الكويت 78 عاماً.

Salem: Kuwait has become able to deal with many ailments / diseases.

Khaled: That's correct, and life expectancy in Kuwait has reached an average of 78 years.

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