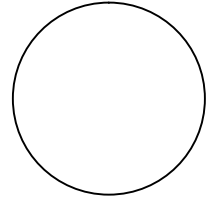


Paper One (17 Marks)

Pupil's name : ----- Class : 9 / ---

I – Vocabulary 4 Marks



A – Choose the right word from a , b and c : 4 x 1/2 = 2 m

1 – A : What happened to the thief ?

B : He was ----- for ten years in prison .

a – sentenced

b – revised

c – fled

2 – A : Young people should listen to their grandfathers' pieces of advice .

B : You are right . Their words give them knowledge and -----

a– poetry

b – joke

c – wisdom

3 - A : Don't speak ----- , the baby is sleeping .

B : I'm sorry , Dad .

a – loudly

b – rarely

c – ornately

4 – A : Do you know that boy ?

B : Yes , I saw him ----- times .

a– solemn

b – joyous

c – numerous .

B – Match the following words with their definitions : 4 x 1/2 = 2 m

5 – tense () a serious disagreement or argument .

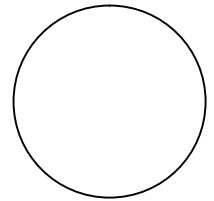
6 – surround () used to express uncertainty or possibility .

7 – conflict () feeling worried , uncomfortable and unable to relax

8 – perhaps () someone who operates and controls an aircraft .

() to be all around someone or something.

II – Communicative Structures (3 Marks)



A – Choose the right word from a , b and c : 3 x 1/2 = 1 1/2

9 – A : You ----- study hard to pass the exams .

B : I'll do that .

a – should

b – shouldn't

c – have

10 – A : You have many hobbies , but what's your favourite one ?

B : I'm interested ----- reading short stories .

a– at

b – on

c – in

11 – A : Why don't you come with ----- ?

B : Sorry , I must wait here until our father comes .

a – we

b – us

c – our

B - Do as shown in brackets : 3 x 1/2 = 1 1/2

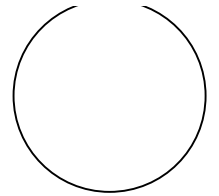
12 – Uncle Rashid used to go fishing a long time ago . (**Change into negative**)

13 - We can find many nice pictures in this mall . (**Change into passive**)

14 – Mohammed found an expensive mobile yesterday . (**Ask a question**)

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III – Language Functions (5 Marks)



A – Match the following utterances : 4 x 1/2 = 2 m

- 15 – Oh ! it's boring here . () It's really interesting
- 16 – I'm sorry for breaking your bicycle , () Don't worry , I'll buy a new one .
- 17 – You're driving very fast , why ? () Let's go to another place .
- 18 – What do you think of this story ? () Yes . Here you are . .
- () I'm in a hurry .The plane is about to take off .

IV – Complete the missing parts of these mini dialogues : 3 x 1 = 3 m

19 – A : My little sister is very ill .

B :

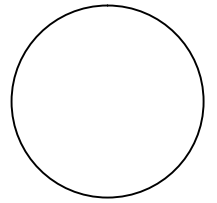
20 – A : I didn't see Jassim at the party yesterday .

B :

21 - A : Would you like to start now or have some rest , sir ?

B :

V – Set Book Questions (5 Marks)



Answer FIVE questions only : 5 x 1 = 5 m

22 – " A good story is like a delicious cake "

Explain

23 – Folklore can be defined in many ways .

Mention TWO

a -----

b -----

24 – To be a good storyteller, you need some skills . like :

a-----

b -----

25 – There are many types of holidays . **Mention Two**

a -----

b -----

26 – What's an oral historian ?

27 – " A friend in need is the friend indeed " **Explain**

II – Reading Comprehension (6 Marks)

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Read the passage, then answer the questions below :

The famous sports star Tanya Streeter from Cayman Islands in the Caribbean discovered her diving abilities in 1997, when she joined a class in free-diving. It's very dangerous because you dive with no oxygen. There were only men in the class. Her class was surprised when they saw how long she could swim underwater. Her teachers immediately wanted to train her. A few months later, Tanya started breaking records. She can swim underwater for nearly six minutes with just one breath! Five years ago she broke the world free-diving record. She dived 121 metres with one breath. She says: 'At the bottom of the sea I'm calm. I love peace and quiet down there. Coming up again is very difficult, you can't think about the pain! I'm not planning to break any more records for a while. I'm going to wait and see if anyone breaks my last record! In the future, I'm going to teach free-diving and work for sea-life conservations.

(A) From a,b and c choose the correct answer : (4X 1/2 = 2)

1. The underlined word it refers to
a) Cayman Island b) the Caribbean c) free diving
2. The word immediately in line 5 means
a) at once b) after some time c) not very late
3. The main idea of the story is
a) the life of a famous sports star.
b) women can't dive deep as men.
c) the dangers of Free-diving.
4. The best title for the passage is
a) Free-diving b) Sea-life conversation c) A famous sports star

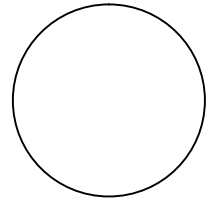
(B) Tick (Ü) or (û) in front of the following : (4X 1/2 = 2)

- 5. The only girl in the free-diving club was Tanya. ()
- 6. It took Tanya's teachers a few years to help her break the records. ()
- 7. Free diving needs tanks of oxygen to breathe under water. ()
- 8. Tanya could break the world free-diving record. ()

(C) Answer the following questions : (2 X 1 = 2)

- 9. How long can Tanya stay underwater with just one breath ?
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- 10. Why isn't Tanya planning to break any more records for a while?
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III – Spelling (3 Marks)



A – Find the mistakes and write them correctly : 2 x 1/2 = 1 m

1 – You need an exbresive face to be a good story teller .

2 – Perhabis, I can't help you because my mobile isn't working .

B – Write the short / long forms : 2 x 1/2 = 1 m

2 – will not = -----

3 – 2n'd = -----

C – Combine the following : 2 x 1/2 = 1 m

4 – thief + s = -----

5 – worry + ed = -----

IV – Punctuation (2 Marks)

Punctuate and capitalize the following : 4 x 1/2 = 2 m

6 - why are you laughing

7 - ive read a funny story .

Translation (2 Marks)

Translate the following into good Arabic : 2 x 1 = 2 m

A child who lives with his parents in a foreign country learns its language very quickly .
Learning a foreign language enables him to be a member of the society .
