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**(60 Marks)**

### I. Vocabulary ( 8 Ms )

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#### A) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and "d" : ( 4 X 1 =4 Ms ):

1. Al-Jahra Nature Reserve is a very safe .....for many rare birds.  
a. sanctuary                      b. theory                      c. experience                      d. barrel
2. Bill Gates set a good example to all.....people by giving \$35 billion to charity.  
a. isolated                      b. alternative                      c. wealthy                      d. lonely
3. This pain killer can help.....your pains temporarily, you'd rather see a doctor.  
a. float                      b. erupt                      c. regret                      d. alleviate
4. While camping, we were stuck in a sandstorm. ....,we managed to survive.  
a. luckily                      b. probably                      c. relatively                      d. extremely

#### B) Fill in the spaces with words from the list : ( 4 X 1 =4 Ms ):

{ share / fingerprint / decline / affect / fashion }

5. My little sister is crazy about **fashion** shows because she's fond of trendy clothes.
6. After natural disasters the **fingerprint** is an effective tool to identify victims.
7. Don't overuse food supplements as they can **affect** your health badly.
8. Be careful about the information you **share** on social media to keep your privacy.

## II. Grammar ( 5 Ms )

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### A) Choose the correct answers between brackets : ( 4 X ½ = 2 Ms ):

9. Tomorrow my friends and I ( were going – am going – **are going** ) to go on a picnic lunch in the Green Island. Some snacks ( **were made** – make – are made ) by my mother last night. Before preparing the snacks, my mother asked me which snacks we ( will prefer – **preferred** - have preferred) to have during the picnic. I feel excited as we haven't gone on picnics ( **since** – for – yet ) we were kids.

### B) Do as shown between brackets : ( 3 X 1=3 Ms ):

10. I overslept today, I wish I ( **not stay**)up last night. ( Correct the verb )

**I overslept today, I wish I hadn't stayed / didn't stay up last night.**

11. You would win the match if you trained / played well / exerted more effort.

( Complete )

12. Hamad has never been abroad, **has he?**

( Add a question tag )

### III. Language Functions ( 6 Ms)

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Write what you would say in the following situations : ( 3 X2= 6 Ms )

13. Your sister says that modern technology has spoiled our social life.

**Expressing opinion / Giving reasons / Disagreeing / Agreeing**

14. Someone says that we should build special clubs for disabled children.

**Expressing opinion / Agreeing**

15. Your friend thinks that city life is much better than village life.

**Making Comparisons / Giving Opinions / Giving reasons**

**Any reasonable response is accepted.**

### IV. Set Book ( 6 Ms)

Answer only (THREE) of the following questions : ( 3 X 2 = 6 Ms )

16. Happiness is very important to keep healthy. How?

**Happiness strengthens our immune system / It helps us to recover faster ( quickly)  
from surgeries.**

17. A true friend should have some good qualities. Mention two.

**He / she should be loyal, honest, helpful, good listener and trustworthy.**

18. Is it risky to be a paramedic ? Why?

**Yes, because he has to drive so fast to dangerous and rocky places.**

19. In your opinion, which survival equipment should be priority when going on a sea trip?

Why?

**In my opinion the first aid kit , compass, a map and a signal flare should prioritywhen  
going on a sea trip because they can help us survive in case of emergency.**

**Any reasonable answer is accepted**

**V. Writing( 15 Ms )**

**" The world is a book and those who don't travel read only one page. "**

Plan and write a report of two paragraphs and not less than **12 sentences** about " **travelling now and then**", discussing **the difficulties that travellers faced in the past and how modern technology has made it much easier than before.**

**The following guide words and phrases may help :**

tiring / long time / suffer / get lost / dangers / online booking / fast / comfortable /  
save / costly

- **Your writing should include ( a topic sentence, supporting details and a conclusion).**

**Pre-writing ( 2 Ms )**



### VI. Reading Comprehension ( 20Ms )

Read the following Letter carefully then answer the questions below: ( 240Words )

Dear John,

Thank you for your letter which I received today 5<sup>th</sup> July 2018. I must really thank you for your ability to write. Congratulations on winning the second prize in the national-level Art competition. Your parents must be proud of you. Your father has always hoped that you would join the ranks of Picasso and Leonardo da Vinci . Keep on practising and participating in more competitions to improve your skills. Participating in higher level competitions will encourage you to achieve greater progress, so look out for such opportunities. I'll look for advertisements and will let you know if I **come across** any worthwhile competitions. Meantime, continue to improve your skills. Pay attention to techniques used by great artists, study **them** and develop your own style and special talents. With determination and hard work, you will succeed.

John, along your way to success, there may be times of hardship, when things do not work out. Do not give up, but go on, for success comes to those who do not quit. Really, I felt sorry to hear that your brother James did poorly in his recent exam. Tell him not to be sad but to make more efforts to get better results next time.

Well, John, I think you've heard enough from me for the time being. I'll be meeting you in person after ten days and we'll have the opportunity to talk. Continue develop your talents and help James discover his.

Your uncle,

Francis

**A) From a, b, c and "d" choose the correct answer: ( 4 × 2½ = 10 Ms )**

20. The best title for this letter could be:

- a. **Encouragement**
- b. Investment
- c. Application
- d. Amusement

21. The underlined word ' **come across** ' in the 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph means:

- a. to visit a person or place
- b. to escape injury or death
- c. **to find something by chance**
- d. to move from one place to another

22. The underlined pronoun " **them** "in the 1<sup>st</sup> paragraph refers to:

- a. skills
- b. artists
- c. competitions
- d. **techniques**

23. According to the passage, Francis and John will most probably meet on:

- a. **July 15th.**
- b. July 25th.
- c. July 5th.
- d. July 10th.

**B) Answer the following questions: ( 4 × 2½ = 10 Ms )**

24. How can John improve his skills?

**John can improve his skills by Keep on practicing and participating in more competitions.**

25. Why did Francis feel sorry?

**Because he heard ( knew ) that John's brother, James did poorly in his recent exam.**

26. What should James do to get better results?

**James should not to be sad and exert more efforts to get better results.**

27. What has John's father always hoped for ?

**John's father has always hoped that his son John would join the ranks of Picasso and Leonardo da Vinci.**

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

**End of Exam / GOOD LUCK**



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**Total Mark ( 60 Marks )**

**I. Vocabulary (8 Marks)**

**A) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d : (4×1=4 Ms)**

- 1- We should help people who have ..... , and treat them in a normal way.  
a) communities      b) **disabilities**      c) cereals      d) lullabies
- 2- If you want to ..... your English language, you need to practise and read more.  
a) extract      b) collect      c) cascade      d) **improve**
- 3- I'm sad because my uncle was ..... injured in the car accident that he had.  
a) **dangerously**      b) luckily      c) yearly      d) loudly
- 4- Brilliant people always have new and ..... solutions for problems.  
a) monsoonal      b) stranded      c) **effective**      d) humble

**B) Fill in each space with the suitable word from the list below: (4×1=4 Ms)**

cough – appreciate – tsunami – whirlpool – derives

- 5- I can't breathe well. I have a strong.....**cough**...; I need to see the doctor.
- 6- A ...**tsunami**... is a good example to show how powerful nature can be.
- 7- Thank you very much, my dear friend! I do .....**appreciate**.... your help.
- 8- Kuwait ...**derives**... its name from "kout" which means "a small castle".

**II. Grammar (5 Marks)**

**A) Choose the correct answer between brackets:(4×½=2 Ms)**

9. My friend, Salem, (uses to - **used to** - using to) play with us when we were young, but now he doesn't. He has not finished his studies in the USA (**yet** - already - for). If I had known earlier he was in Kuwait last week, I (visit - would visit - **would have visited**) him. But now, I am very happy because I could get his phone number (**which** - whom - who) was given to me by his friend at the same university.

**B) Do as required between brackets: (3×1=3 Ms)**

10- My little brother will be allowed to play some video games this evening.

(Change into negative)

**My little brother will not be allowed to play some video games this evening.**

11- Your brother is a very good story teller in Arabic, .....

(Add a question tag)

**isn't he? / is he?**

12- "I am reading an English book that is very exciting."

(Complete/Reported)

**My brother said (that) he was reading an English short story that was very exciting.**

### **III. Language Functions (6Marks)**

**Write what you would say in the following situations: (3×2=6Ms)**

13. Your cousin says that living in a village is difficult and not interesting at all.  
**Expressing opinion / Agreeing / Disagreeing**

14. Some boys are making noise in the street and you can't study for your exam.  
**Warning / Polite request**

15. Your friends are going to the zoo and you want your dad to take you there.  
**Polite request / Persuasion**

**(Any reasonable response is accepted)**

### **IV. Set Book Questions (6 Marks)**

**Answer ONLY THREE questions out of the following: (3×2=6 Ms)**

16. What do you think the best way to spend a summer vacation is?

**The best way to spend the summer vacation is to travel abroad / stay at home / do outdoor or indoor activities**

17. Why don't many people accept to go on sea trips?

**There might be a bad weather. / Some people have bad seasickness. / People might also be afraid of dangerous sea animals.**

18. What are the main sources of happiness?

**Enough money / Happy family / Good health / A good job / Having loyal friends**

19. How can we help people whose countries were damaged by earthquakes?

**By collecting money, clothes, medicine and sending all to them.**

**(Any reasonable answer is accepted)**

**V. Writing (15Marks)**

"Every living creature is in great need for water."

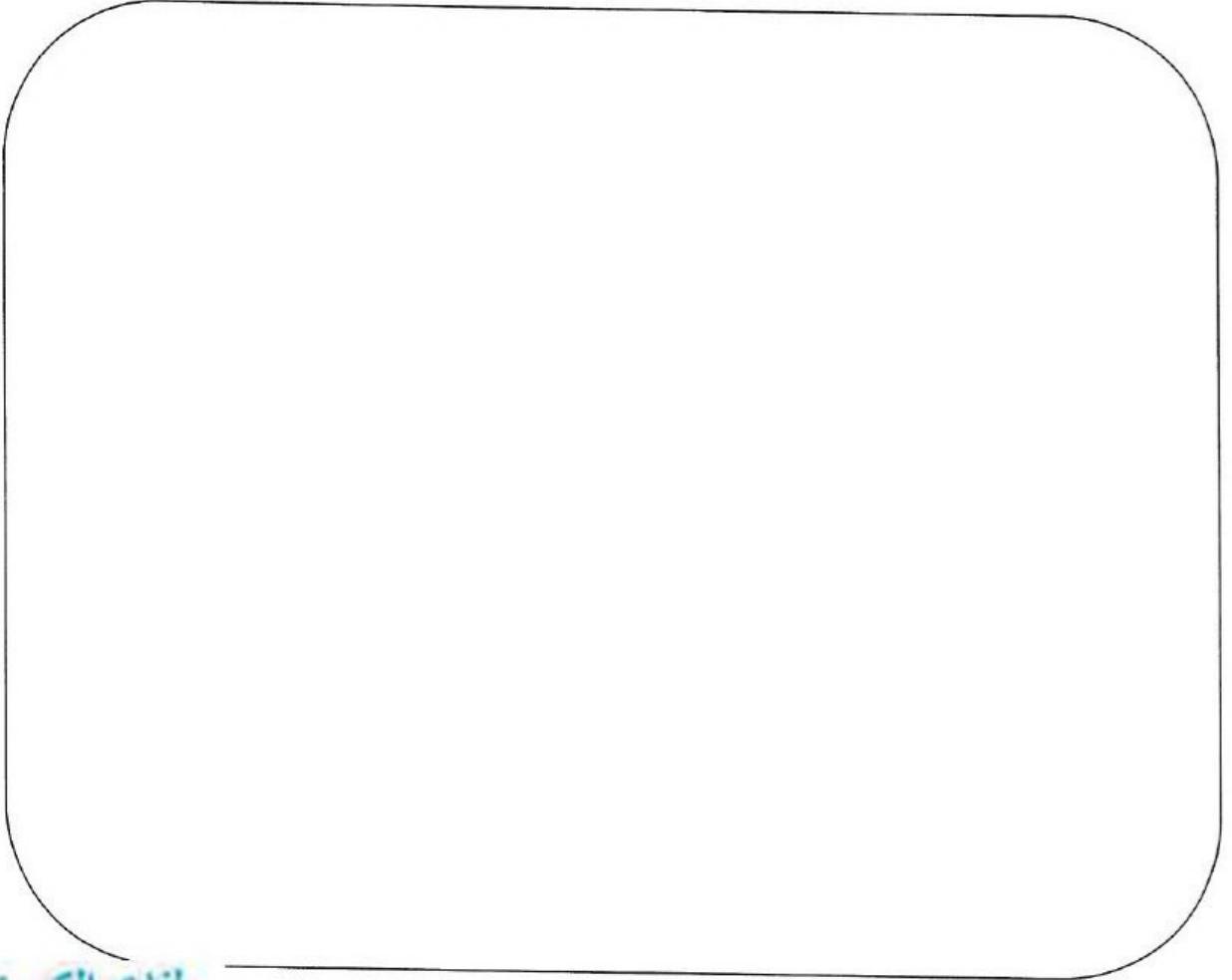
Plan and write a report of **two** paragraphs of **12 sentences** about **water** discussing **its different uses** and **how we can save it**.

**The following guide words may help you:**

(fresh – drink – healthy – clean – farming – wisely – dig – sprinklers – taps – rain)

- Your writing should include:an introduction, supporting details and a conclusion.

**Writing plan (2 Marks)**





**VI. Reading Comprehension (20Marks)**

**Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions below:**

A famous guitarist, named Tommy, was very happy to hear from New York City police that his \$100,000 guitar had been found. He lost it 3 days ago when he got out of a taxi and forgot to take the guitar with him. Tommy, 44 years old, said he was running late that day. He was talking to his manager on his mobile phone when he rushed out of the taxi. He said that he gave the driver \$20 and told him to keep the change. He walked through the front doors of the concert hall still talking on the phone with his manager. Upon discovering his loss, Tommy used his phone to call the police. The policeman asked him for the name of the taxi company and the number of the taxi.

"This year has been a very sad one," said Tommy. "I had to stop the recording of two new CDs. I've been paying 5 dollars a day for using a guitar that is not mine. And I was losing hope of ever finding my lost guitar." Yesterday, Tommy found his valuable guitar which costs that much. The guitar had been discovered in the corner of a coffeehouse only two streets away from where Tommy had lost it a year ago. Tommy had offered a \$10,000 reward for its return. He said he would give the reward to the coffeehouse owner, who had notified the police.

**A) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d: ( 4 × 2½ = 10 Ms)**

20- The best **title** for this passage is:

- a) The Unknown Guitarist
- c) The Taxi Driver

- b) The Lost Guitar
- d) The Coffeehouse

21- The underlined word "**him**" (in **paragraph 1**) refers to:

- a) his manager
- c) Tommy

- b) the policeman
- d) the driver

22- The **opposite** of the underlined word "**valuable**" (in **paragraph 2**) means:

- a) cheap
- c) strange

- b) famous
- d) lost

23- To get his guitar back, Tommy offered:

a) A thousand dollars

b) **Ten thousand dollars**

c) One hundred thousand dollars

d) A hundred dollars

**B) Answer the following questions: ( 4 × 2½ = 10 Ms)**

24. How far was the coffeehouse from the place where Tommy lost the guitar?

**Two streets away.**

25. What was Tommy going to do at the concert hall?

**He had a concert / was going to play the guitar.**

26. Why did the coffeehouse owner get the reward?

**Because he notified the police about the guitar.**

27. How much money did Tommy pay for using another guitar for 3 days as a whole?

**15 dollars.**

**End of Exam  
GOOD LUCK**