Grade Eight 1st Term

Unit One

Athletics	(N)	العاب القوي	Lung	(N)	رئة
Sprint	(V)	يعدو بسرعة	Warm-up	(N)	إحماء
Throw	(V)	يرمي	Stretch	(V)	يمد
Discus	(N)	رمي القرص	Roller-skating	(N)	رياضة التزلق
Bend	(V)	يثني	Yoga	(N)	يوجا
Swing	(V)	يتأرجح	Olympic	(N)	العاب اوليمبيه
Shot put	(N)	رمي الجلة	Flame	(N)	شعلة
Train	(V)	يتمرن	Target shooting	(N)	الرماية
Fit	(Adj)	لائق بدنيا	Gymnastics	(N)	جمباز - تمرينات رياضية
Shoulder	(N)	منكب /كتف	Represent	(V)	يمثل
Pentathlon	(N)	رياضة الخماسي	Chariot	(N)	عربة تجرها الخيول

Vocabulary

Choose the right words from a, b and c:

1- Omar could throw the ……..very fast and a long way.

a- shoulder **b- discus** **c- yoga**

2- Who……..Kuwait in Sidney Olympic Games?

a- bent **b- stretched** **c- represented**

3- The Olympic ……..is a symbol of friendship among nations.

a- flame **b- chariot** **c- pentathlon**

4- In the early Olympic Games the ……..race was very common.

a- chariot **b- yoga** **c- roller-skating**

B: Fill in the spaces with words from the list:

(athletics-fit-sprinting-train - Olympic - shot put- swing)

1- The last ……..games were held in China.
2- Exercises help you to keep ……..and healthy.
3- This athlete won the ……..race.
4- I go to the ……..club in Hawally to practise my favourite sport.
5- The main throwing sports are the discus, javelin and ……..
6- He should ……..seriously for the match.

Match the following words with their definitions:

1- chariot ( ) the action of straightening your arms ,legs or body to full length.
2- pentathlon ( ) some one who is strong and healthy.
3- gymnastics ( ) sports event including five different sports.
4- fit ( ) a vehicle with two wheels pulled by a horse.
5- stretch. ( ) a sport involving physical exercises and movements that need skill.
( ) all people of about the same age.

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Structure

Choose the suitable answer from a), b) and c): **(4x1=4)**

9- How …… students are there in your class?

a)many **b) much** **c) long**

10- Which subject is …… of all?

a) easy **b) easier** **c) the easiest**

11- Look out! A car ……

a) is coming **b) comes** **c) come**

12- While I …… home, I saw Tom.

a) drive **b) was driving** **c) were driving**

Correct the verbs between brackets:

1- While she (**run**) ……, she fell down.

2- We (**do**)……..our homework now.

3- Omar usually (**get up**)…….. Very early.

Do as shown between brackets:

1- I clean my room everyday. (Change into passive)

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2- The first Olympic Games took place in Greece. (Ask a question)

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3- We visited China last month. (Make negative)

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4- It took two hours to repair the car. (Complete)

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5- He did something wrong. (Negative)

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Functions

Write what you would say in the following situations:

1- Your friend wants to practise throwing the javelin.

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2- Your sister sits down in front of the computer for many hours.

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3- Your Uncle says: "It's difficult to keep fit".

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4- You friend wants to have strong muscles.

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Set book

Answer the following questions:

1- Where did the first Olympic Games begin?

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2- What do the rings in the Olympic flag represent?

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3- What should you do before doing any exercise?

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4- What are the main types of exercise?

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5- Mention the three main throwing sports.

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6- How can you keep fit and healthy?

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7- What is sprinting?

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7- Why is playing a lot of computer games bad for health?

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8- How often do the Olympic Games take place?

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Unit 2

lily (N)	زهرة الزنبق	pretty (Adj)	حسن المنظر
humble (Adj)	بسيط/متواضع	coral reef (N)	شعاب مرجانية
cottage (N)	منزل صغير/كوخ	wave (V)	يلوح بيده
harp (N)	قيثارة	seagull (N)	طائر النورس
meadow (N)	حقل	pearl (N)	لؤلؤة
boast (V)	يتباهي/يتفاخر	dhow (N)	سفينة قديمة
rise out (Phr V)	يخرج / يظهر	nose clip (N)	مشبك للأنف
beg (V)	يستعطف/ يتوسل	oyster shell (N)	هيكل المحارة
plunge in (Phr V)	يغوص في الماء فجأة	generation (N)	جيل
submissive (Adj)	خاضع ل – مطيع	rope (N)	حبل
along (Prep)	بمحاذاة	seashore (N)	شاطئ البحر
reach (V)	يصل	tug on (Phr V)	يشد بقوة وسرعة
park (V)	يوقف السيارة	pull up (V)	يرفع شئ ما
ferry (N)	مركب صغير/معدية	wealth (N)	ثروة

Vocabulary

A-Choose the right word from a, b and c:

1- She sells seashells on the……

a- seagull **b- park** **c – seashore**

2- We should use a long ……pull the bucket out of the well.

a- dhow **b- rope** **c- pearl**

3- Old divers used to put on a round skirt and a …….

a- nose clip **b- oyster shell l** **c- dhow**

4- Adam lives in a ……with his parents.

a- cottage **b- meadow** **c- harp**

B-Fill in the spaces with words from the list:

(meadow – beg – submissive -ferry – coral reef – pretty)

1-Ahmed is always polite and……to his teachers.

2- We went to Kubbar Island by a ……

3- Failaka Island is small but very…….

4- Tourists dive deep into the sea to see beautiful ……

5- Some farmers drive their farm animals to a ……near the country.

C: Match the following words with their definitions:

1- humble. ( ) a plant with large bell shaped flower of various colours.

2- cottage ( ) from one place on something such as a line, road or an edge.

3- Pull up ( ) to raise someone or something out of a place below.

4- along ( ) a small house in the country.

5- lily ( ) having a low social class or position.

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Structure

Correct the verbs between brackets:

1- Look! The man (run)……. very fast.

2- I was sleeping when my aunt (come) ……

3- Our grandfathers (use)…….. to dive for pearls in the past.

D: Do as shown between brackets:

1-If you warm up well, you …… (complete)

2- We used a ferry to get to the island. (Ask a question)

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3- She usually visits her grandmother on Saturdays. (Make negative)

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4- While Ahmad was running, he (break) his leg. (Correct)

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Language Functions

Complete the missing parts in the following dialogue:

Ahmad: Hello, Khalid. How are you?

Khalid: ……

Ahmad: What's your favourite sport?

Khalid: ……

Ahmad: Who is your favourite player?

Khalid : ……

Match utterances with their reactions:

1- How can we go to Failaka Island? ( ) In her room. She is always busy.

2- What about going snorkeling? ( ) We can use a ferry.

3- Kubbar Island is really fantastic. ( ) What a good idea!

4- Where is your sister? ( ) Sure. It's pretty.

Set Book

1- What is a harp used or?

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2- Where do farmers drive their animals to?

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3- What did old divers use to wear?

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What are the resources of Kuwait's wealth?

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5-What are dhows made of?

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6- What can you do in Kubbar Island?

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Unit 3

huge	Adj	هائل /ضخم	adapt	V	يتكيف مع
rhinoceros	N	حيد القرنو	fat	N	دهون
engineer	N	مهندس	frozen	Adj	متجمد
exciting	Adj	ممتع/مثير	grizzly bear	N	الدب القطبي
architect	N	مهندس معماري	human being	N	شخص /بشر
strangely	Adv	بشكل غريب	layer	N	طبقة
disturb	V	يلخبط	nomadic	Adj	رحل/قبائل
crop	N	محصول	oasis	N	واحة
wide	adj	عريض	rainfall	N	كمية الأمطار
strange	Adj	غريب	rocky	Adj	وعر/ملئ بالصخور
fantastic	Adj	رائع	sandy	Adj	مليء
historian	N	مؤرخ/ دارس تاريخ	wingspan	N	مسافة بين جناحي الطائرة
profession	N	وظيفة			

Vocabulary

Choose the correct answer from a , b and c:

1- This story is very ……

a. fat **b. fantastic** **c. sandy**

2- Engineers try to reach certain ……of the Earth.

a. rainfall **b. crop** **c. layer**

3-My uncle is a /an ……He always designs beautiful villas.

a- accountant **b- architect** **c- historian**

4- You can go to the beach to enjoy the …… beaches.

a- sandy **b- rocky** **c- frozen**

Fill in the spaces with words from the list :

(disturb - huge - frozen – oasis - Nomadic - architect)

1- Look! What a …… truck!

2- The storm is so windy. It will …… the sand of the desert.

3- The……..is a green area in the desert.

4- I can't drink this water. It is ……

5-…… tribes have no certain places to live. They travel a lot.

Match the following words with their definitions:

1- Frozen ( ) An unusual way.

2- strangely ( ) A job that needs level of education and skill.

3- profession ( )People who travel a lot.

4- Historian ( )A piece of material.

5- nomadic ( )Too cold.

( )Interested in history.

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Structure

Choose the correct answer from a, b and c:

1-A: This house is…… that one.

a. large **b. larger** **c. larger than**

2-A: The leopard is …… animal.

a- fastest **b- the fastest** **c- faster**

3- The Gulf isn't as…… as the Pacific.

a- deep **b- deeper** **c- the deepest**

4- The …… you work, the more you gain.

a-more **b-most** **c-less**

Do as shown between brackets:

1-Ahmed is tall and Ali is tall, too. **(Use as----as)**

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2-The elephant is the strongest animal. (**Use**: than)

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3-The plane is faster than a car. **(Ask a question)**

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4-Ahmed put sugar in the cup **(Make negative)**

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Set Book

1-Where did The Nazca people live?

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2-How do some animals protect themselves against heat?

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3- What are the types of deserts?

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4-Deserts have many resources, mention three.

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5-Where do nomadic people live?

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6-How do nomadic people move from a place to another?

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UNIT 4

astonished	Adj	مندهش	legend	N	أسطورة
archaeologist	N	عالم الآثار	army	N	الجيش
mask	N	قناع	courtyard	N	ساحة
incredible	Adj	لا يصدق	crowded	Adj	مزدحم
spectacular	Adj	رائع	dome	N	قبة
sink	V	يغرق	hailstone	N	البرد
flow	V	يتدفق	inhabitant	N	ساكن
nearly	Adv	تقريبا	minaret	N	منارة
adventurous	Adj	مغامر	sultan	N	سلطان
weigh	V	يزن	tile	N	بلاطة
probably	Adv	من المحتمل	tomb	N	قبر
hoard	N	ذخيرة	treasure	N	كنز
terracotta	N	طين - تربه			

Vocabulary

Fill in with words from the list:

(legend- sink - hailstone - dome - archaeologists – probably - adventurous)

1- ……discovered the tomb of Tutankhamen in 1922.

2 Ahmed told me a very incredible……

3- Jack is an ……man. He likes to climb mountains.

4- The Blue Mosque has a very amazing ……

5- We will ……go to the Dead Sea next year.

Choose the correct answer from a ; b ;c

1- The heaviest …… in the world fell in Bangladesh.

a) legends **b) hailstones** **c)boards**

2- Streets are very …… at that time . It's the rush hour.

a) crowded **b) astonished** **c) adventurous**

3- The Castle is one of the most …… buildings in Egypt.

a) spectacular **b) astonished** **c) crowded**

4- The Blue Mosque has 20,000 handmade ……

a) tiles **b) legends** **c) minarets**

Structure

Choose the correct answer from a, b, c:

1- The Sahara Desert is …… than the other 12 major deserts.

a) big **b) bigger** **c) the biggest**

2- The Nile is the …… river in the world.

a) longer **b)longest** **c)long**

3- The Sultan ordered a new mosque to be …….

a) built **b) build** **c) building**

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Do as shown in brackets:

1-You can find the most unusual rock shapes in Ireland. (Ask a question)

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2-The thieves stole the mask from a museum in1989. (Make passive)

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3- The tomb of Tutankhamen was discovered in 1922. (Ask a question)

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Functions

Match the sentences with their utterances:

1=I went to The Dead Sea last week ( ) Incredible!

2=Tokyo is the city with 27, 37 million inhabitants. ( ) Yes, it is a very nice country.

3=Have you visited France? ( ) What do you think of them?

( ) It is the lowest place on the earth.

Set Book

1-What is the lowest place on earth?

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2-What is the longest river in the world.

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3-What is the minaret?

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4-Which country has the most lakes in the world?

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6-What is the most crowded city in the world?

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7-Why was The Blue Mosque called by this name?

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8-What is the best known mosque in Istanbul?

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9-Who ordered to build The Blue Mosque?

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UNIT 5

act	V	يمثل	give up	Phr V	يستسلم/يفقد
aeroplane	N	طائرة	honour	V	يكرم
conversation	N	حديث/ محادثة	webpage	N	صفحة ويب
event	N	حدث/واقعة	valuable	Adj	ذو قيمة
ever	Adv	في أي وقت	top	Adj	اعلي
modern	Adj	حديث/عصري	recently	Adv	حديثا
own	Pro./ Adj	خاص ب / للتوكيد	career	N	مهنة
questionnaire	N	استطلاع رأي	weak	Adj	ضعيف
really	Adv	في الحقيقة /فعلا	illustrate	V	يوضح بمثال
skyscraper	N	ناطحة سحاب	well-known	Adj	معروف/مشهور
suddenly	Adv	فجأة			

Vocabulary

Fill in with words from the list:

(suddenly - skyscraper - own – ever- well- known – recently – top)

1- ……, engineers discovered oil in the desert.
2-Our teachers like Hameed because he is the……of the class.
3- Have you ……been to France?
4- He always sits on his ……chair. He never moves from his place.
5- Ahmed's jab is a ……footballer.
6- A car …… came towards the young boy and hit him.

Choose the correct answer from a ; b ;c

1- These are the tallest…… in the city.
a) events **b) skyscrapers** **c) web pages**
2 –Our teacher always …… the lessons with the help of pictures.
a) illustrates **b) acts** **c) gives up**
3- We sold our computer and bought a……laptop.
a) modern **b) own** **c) weak**
4- Our teachers like to …… excellent pupils.
a) honour **b) give up** **c) illustrate**
5- Many people like to read English ……on the Internet.
a) web pages **b) careers** **c) skyscrapers**

C- Match the words with their definitions :

1- career ( ) belonging to the recent time.
2- event ( ) to stop trying to do something.
3- give up ( ) a profession you have been trained for.
4- modern ( ) a thing that happens or takes place.
( ) to create a new type of things.

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Structure

Choose the correct answer from a , b, c:

1-Faisal wanted to …… the part of Hamlet.

a) acting **b) acted** **c) act**

2- Have you…… for the new lesson?

a) prepare **b) prepares** **c) prepared**

3- Nour has …… to Cairo on holiday with her family.

a) was **b) am** **c) been**

Do as shown between brackets:

1- She has already done her homework. (Make negative)

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2- Yes, I've seen the Pyramids. (Ask a question)

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3- Sara has set a world record. (Begin with : They)

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Language Functions

Match the following utterances with their reactions:

1- I feel very bored.
2- Have you seen my new shirt?
3- I have talked with my sister in a bad way.

( ) I think it doesn't suit you.
( ) You should apologist at once
( ) What about going shopping
( ) Here you are

Complete the following mini-dialogues:

1- Ahmad: I went camping last week.
Ashraf:. ……

2- Mona: My brother is ill.
Wafaa: ……

3- Dalia: My uncle is a well-known scientist.
Amal: ……

Set Book

1- What are skyscrapers?

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2- Which places can you visit in Abu Dhabi?

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5- Name some sports you play with hands only.

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6- Why do some books have pictures?

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7- Hope is so important. Discuss.

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8- How many bones does the human foot contain?

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Unit 6

hearty	شهي- كبير	deeply	بعمق	keep in touch	يتواصل	shuttle	مكوك فضاء
extremely	للغاية- جدا	furious	غاضب- هائج	local	محلي	inflatable	قابل للنفخ
stingy	بخيل	pen pal	صديق مراسلة	dispose of	يتخلص من	glove	قفاز
leftover	متبقي الطعام	let	يسمح- يدع	rubbish	قمامة	spacesuit	بدلة الفضاء
cattle	الماشية	fortnight	أسبوعين	gravity	جاذبية	float	يطفو
porridge	عصيدة	present	هدية	strap	حزام- سير	actually	حقا
inhale	يستنشق الهواء						

Vocabulary

Fill in the spaces with words from the list:

(hearty – stingy – furious – deeply – porridge – extremely)

1 –I do not like people who are …….

2 –The weather is ……. cold today.

3 –You must think…….before taking any decision.

4 –Most people in the Gulf area like to eat…….

5-My uncle was…….yesterday because someone hit his car..

Match the words with their definitions

1- Inflatable ( ) Things that we don't need .

2- Rubbish ( ) Very delicious .

3- Gloves ( ) To breath in the air .

4- Inhale ( ) Objects that can be filled with air .

( ) Clothes that you can wear on your hands .

Choose the correct words between brackets :

1- He looks very fat because he likes eating ……. meals.

a) stingy **b) hearty** **c) local**

2- I like to……. the fresh air in the morning.

a) float **b) dispose** **c) inhale**

3- Things are pulled to the ground by the force of…….

a) present **b) gravity** **c) glove**

4- Astronauts use ……. to travel into space.

a) porridge **b) rubbish** **c) shuttles**

5- ……. me see what happened to you .

a) Let **b) Inhale** **c) Float**

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Structure

Underline the correct words from a,b or c

1- I haven't seen Ali……three weeks .

a) since **b) for** **c) ago**

2……. have you played tennis ?

a) How long **b) How old** **c) When**

3- I like ……. football .

a) play **b) plays** **c) playing**

4- If you play well, you ……. the match.

a) will win **b) won** **c) would win**

5- It's too hot ……. go out now .

a) that **b) to** **c) because**

Do as shown between brackets :

1- They went to the sea yesterday . **(Ask a question)**

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2- He wrote a letter yesterday . **(Change into passive)**

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3- The car is very expensive . He can't buy it . **(Join)**

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4- He likes reading stories . **(Tag question)**

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Language Function

What would you do or say in these situations:

1. Your friend says "I'm bored".

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2. Your brother walks on the grass in the park.

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3. Your friend suggested going to the beach.

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Match the following utterances with the correct reactions:

1. I'd like to reserve a room ( ) Great idea.
2. What about going to the zoo? ( ) Single or double?
3. Can I help you, sir? ( ) So, we can't go swimming.
4. The waves are very high today. ( ) A cup of tea, please.

( ) I'm very happy

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Set Book

1- How long have you studied English?

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2- How can astronaut go into space?

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3- Why don't things fall on the ground on the moon?

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4- What happens if you put a light thing in the water?

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5- How can we protect our hands during work?

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6- What does a fortnight mean?

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Composition

(If you are healthy, you will be able to do your tasks better)

Write a *report* of one paragraph (8 -10 sentences) about "A Healthy Life", with the help of these guide words:

easy – fit – healthy – enjoy – different – games – walking – aerobic – heart – lungs – swimming – roller skating – resistance – build up – muscles – stretching exercises – yoga – flexible – TV – computers – long time – pain – arm – shoulder – daily – life

A Healthy Life

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Composition

(Jordan is a very nice Arab country

Write an e-mail to your friend about (Travelling to Jordan) The following guided words may help you

Next year - travel -Jordan / visit - The Dead Sea / south west –Jordan / 400 meters – below – sea level /lowest – earth/ best hotels to stay in /

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Reading Comprehension

Rashid is a young man from Kuwait. He likes camping very much. Last February, he wanted to travel to England. He asked his father to give him some money to travel. Rashid can speak English very well, so he would have no problem to talk with people there.

Rashid travelled to London by plane. He went there to join a camp in a small town near London. On the plane, he met Ali, another **youth** from Qatar who wanted to join the camp too. The plane arrived at the airport at 3.35 in the afternoon. Mr. John met the two boys at the *arrival lounge. They went to the camp by bus. They stayed on the camping site for four weeks. Rashid went swimming and horse riding. Ali went mountain climbing and took some photographs. Horse riding is Rashid's favourite hobby.

The weather was wonderful. **It** was clear and warm all the time. Rashid and Ali enjoyed camping very much. They also liked the British food. They cooked their food on the camp fire. Sometimes they had olives and jam for breakfast, fish for lunch and scrambled eggs and cheese for dinner.

*arrival lounge: an area in the airport.

Choose the correct answer from a , b and c

1 - The word (youth) in the 2nd paragraph means----------

a - an old man **b– a baby** **c- a young man**

2 - The weather was---------- in the camp.

a - very hot **b - very cold** **c- fine and sunny**

3 - Travelling to London costs ----------

a - no money **b- a lot of money** **c- less money**

4- (It) in the last paragraph refers to ----------

a - camping **b- weather** **c- travelling**

Tick (√) or (×) (4×1):-

1- Rashid and his friend, Ali went camping last February. ( )

2- Mr. John met Ali and Rashid at the train station. ( )

3- The boys stayed on the camping for almost a month. ( )

4- Rashid can speak English well. ( )

Answer the following question (2×2):-

1 - When did Ali go to London?

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2 - What's Rashid's favourite hobby?

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Comprehension

Read the following passage and answer the questions bellow:

Internet has become known to everyone now because of the development occurred in information technology. Besides its being source of information, **it** has made communication easy and simple. Sending messages that used to take months can be done now within seconds. You can send a message to thousands of people in different places by just pressing send button. World has become a village because of internet and information technology. You can get information about any places you want by just searching the name of that place on a search engine like Yahoo or Google. You can see and talk with people from thousands of miles far from you. Internet is one of the greatest developments the world has ever known.

A) Chose the Correct answer from a, b or c:

1. The world "searching" in line 8 means……

   a) to look for b) to sent c) to make

2. The pronoun "it" in line 2 refers to …….

   a) information b) Internet c) communication

3. This article is talking about…….

   a) Internet b) technology c) Google

B) Tick (✓) or (×):

4. Sending messages has become as fast as before. ( )
5. Most of people do not know about the Internet. ( )
6. Yahoo and Google are search engines. ( )

C) Answer the following questions:

7. How has the world become a village?
8. …….
9. How long did sending messages take in the past?
10. …….

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Translate the following sentences into good Arabic:

The Sultan Ahmed Mosque is known as the Blue Mosque because of the beautiful blue tiles that decorate the inside walls.

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Translate the following mini dialogues into good Arabic:

Ahmad : Have you ever eaten Indian food?
Bahaa: Yes, I have.
Ahmad : When did you eat it?
Bahaa : I ate it in an Indian restaurant at the shopping mall.
Ahmad: Did you enjoy it?
Bahaa : Yes, I did. I love spicy food.

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Punctuate the following sentence:

the nazca lived about 2000 years ago in the desert of peru in south america

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