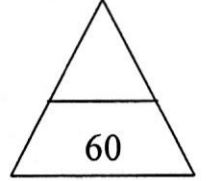


(Total 400 Marks)

I. Vocabulary (60 Marks)

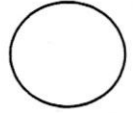
A - From a, b, c and d, choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences : (5 x 6 = 30 Marks)



1. Meteorologists announced that the weather will.....get warmer in a few days.

- a. cordially
c. lately

- b. gradually
d. originally



2. The plan we prepared to develop the company well and is appreciated by everyone.

- a. functions
c. encloses

- b. publishes
d. socialises

3. The first point on the of today's meeting is to discuss the annual work plan.

- a. adjustment
c. amateur

- b. assumption
d. agenda

4. I waswith a lot of work, and I totally forgot my dentist appointment.

- a. precious
c. flattering

- b. preoccupied
d. touching

5. Regular exercise reduces the risk of heart disease and.....the immune system.

- a. cultivates
c. enhances

- b. refills
d. hires

B - Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below:(5x6=30 Marks)

(in charge of / meticulously / disposable / acquire / notify / fragrance)

6. Doctors use **disposable** gloves to avoid the spread of viruses and infections.

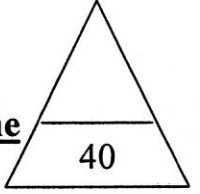
7. The hotel sent an email to **notify** me that my online reservation has been confirmed.

8. In the spring, when trees blossom, the **fragrance** of flowering fruit trees fills the air.

9. This report was **meticulously** prepared by an expert to cover all the points needed.

10. I'm very grateful to my teacher who helped me **acquire** the skills of writing at an early age.

II- Grammar (40 Marks)



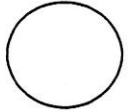
A- From a, b, c and d, choose the correct word that best completes each of the following sentences: (5 X 4= 20 Marks)

11. His arm was broken, yet he come into the office for the meeting.
a. are able to
b. couldn't
c. isn't able to
d. **managed to**
12. If the rescue team had found him earlier, theyhis life.
a. will save
b. would save
c. **would have saved**
d. won't save
13. Your brother studies banking and marketing abroad,.....?
a. **doesn't he**
b. won't he
c. didn't he
d. isn't he
14.the heavy rain, they enjoyed their visit to the park.
a. However
b. But
c. **In spite of**
d. Although
15. It was a good experience for him to sail acrossPacific.
a. a
b. **the**
c. no article
d. an



B- Read the following sentences carefully and correct the underlined mistakes.

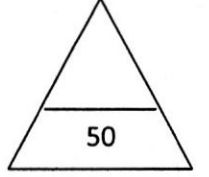
There are two mistakes in each sentence: (4 X 5 = 20Marks)



- (A) (B)
16. John has been worked as an accountant for his graduation from Harvard University.
A) working
B) since
- (A) (B)
17. I can neither visit our neighbours or talk to him on the phone.
A) either
B) them

Any reasonable Answer is accepted

III) Language Functions (50 marks)



Write what you would say in the following situations: (5 x 10 = 50 Marks)

18. Your aunt believes that children should always be offered a reward for good behaviour.

Sharing personal experience / Expressing opinion / Agreeing / Disagreeing

19. You want to do a research on celebrations and you need your friend's help.

Polite request / Asking for help



20. A friend of yours thinks that sports shouldn't be allowed in schools.

Stating advantages & disadvantages / Explaining choices / Expressing opinion

21. Your English friend asks you about the national festivals in Kuwait.

Describing festivals / Giving information/ Making suggestions

22. Your classmate doesn't know what present to buy for his/her brother's wedding.

Making suggestions / Giving opinion

Any reasonable Answer is accepted

IV- Set-Book (40 Marks)

A- In meaningful sentences answer only (THREE) of the following questions:

40

(3x10=30 Marks)

23. In your opinion, how would life be without the invention of writing?

People wouldn't be able to document events / People wouldn't be able to transmit information.

24. From your point of view, what is the major barrier to effective communication? Why?

I think lack of interest, because if you are not interested in something you can't accept or appreciate it / I think defensiveness . When people feel threatened they will try to protect themselves/I think assumptions, as it can lead to misunderstanding.

25. Explain why Haj is important for Muslims.

It is one of the five pillars of Islam and it is obligatory for every able Muslim once in a lifetime.

26. What would mobile phones be like in the future?

Mobile phones will be smarter and more advanced.



Any reasonable answer is accepted

Literature Time

B- In meaningful sentences, answer only ONE of the following questions:

(1X10=10 Marks)

27. Huck proved to be Jim's best friend. How should a good friend be?

A good friend should be honest, loyal and helpful.

28. How can family disagreements and feuds be settled?

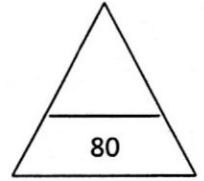
By forgetting the past, settling misunderstandings, discussion

Any reasonable answer is accepted

V- Writing (80 Marks)

Write on the following topic:

Report



“Communicating effectively involves a number of skills, especially listening skills.”

In (14 sentences -160 words) plan and write a **report** about the importance of the listening skills in maintaining effective communication **making use of the following ideas:**

- How to be a good listener
- The barriers to effective communication
- The main factors that cause poor listening skills to develop



The Outline (12 Marks)

RUBRICS FOR CHECKING COMPOSITION	
Exposition of ideas, paragraphing and number of sentences	60
Pre-writing techniques (Outlining: Introduction, Body, conclusion)	8
Spelling and structure	7
Handwriting, spacing and punctuation	5
8 marks to be deducted from the total mark for changing the format.	
Off point topics receive zero.	

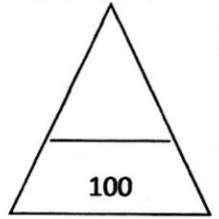
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Write your topic here (60 Marks)



Ideas, paragraphing	Outlining	Spelling and structure	HW. spacing and Pun.	Total Mark
60	8	7	5	80

VI- Reading Comprehension and Summary Making (100 Marks)**Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions below:**

Aging is the process of growing old. It is the price we all pay for living long. Aging, in fact, is a normal process that occurs eventually in every living thing. The most familiar obvious signs of aging may be seen in old people, such as the greying of the hair and the wrinkling of the skin. Signs of aging in pet dogs or cats include loss of playfulness and energy, a decline in hearing and eyesight, or even a slight greying of the coat. Plants age too, but the signs are much harder to **detect**.

Most body parts grow bigger and stronger and do their job more effectively during childhood. They reach their peak at the time of adulthood. After that, they begin to decline. Bones, for example, gradually become lighter and more brittle. In the aged, the joints between the bones also become **rigid**. This can make moving very painful.

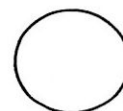
All the major organs of the body show signs of aging. The brain, for example, works less effectively. It takes a long time to receive messages from the other parts of the body. It even shrinks in size and gets smaller. Over time, there is gradual brain cell death which decreases the brain's ability to identify, understand and store information. Thinking processes of all sorts are slowed down. Old people often have trouble in remembering recent events. Another serious change of old age occurs in the arteries; the tubes that carry blood from the heart to all parts of the body. **They** become narrow, allowing less blood to flow to the rest of the body. This condition is responsible, directly or indirectly, for many of the diseases of the aged. It may, for example result in heart attack.

Scientists, who study the process of aging, believe that the aging of the body is controlled by the biological clock inside us. They are trying to discover how this clock works so that they can slow down this process. This could give Man a longer life and a great number of active years.

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

29. The main idea of the 1st paragraph is
- The signs of aging are easier to detect in plants.
 - The signs of aging are only seen in old people.
 - There are many causes of eyesight decline.
 - Aging happens in every living thing.**
30. The underlined word "detect" in the 1st paragraph is closest in meaning to.....
- control
 - include
 - grow
 - notice**
31. The underlined word "rigid" in the 2nd paragraph is **opposite** in meaning to.....
- flexible**
 - painful
 - narrow
 - light
32. The underlined pronoun "they" in the **last paragraph** refers to.....
- signs
 - messages
 - arteries**
 - events
33. The best title for the passage would be.....
- The Organs of the Body
 - The Process of Aging**
 - The Human Brain
 - The Thinking Process



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B- Answer the following questions according to the passage: (4X7½=30Marks)

34. What are the signs of aging in pet cats?

Loss of playfulness and energy / a decline in hearing and eyesight / a slight greying of the coat.

35. When do the body parts begin to do their job less effectively?

The period that comes after adulthood.

36. Why is it painful to move as we grow old?

Because the joints between the bones become rigid.

37. What causes the diseases of old people ?

The arteries become narrow , allowing less blood to flow to the rest of the body.

This condition is responsible, directly or indirectly , for many of the diseases of the aged.

Any reasonable answer related to the passage is accepted



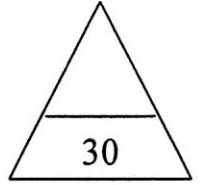
C. Summary-Making (20 Marks)

In not less than four sentences, summarize the 3rd paragraph in answer to the following question: "What happens to the brain as it ages?"

Answers may include four of the following points:

- It works less effectively.
- It takes a long time to receive messages from the other parts of the body.
- It shrinks in size and gets smaller.
- There is gradual brain cell death which decreases the brain's ability to identify, understand and store information.
- Thinking processes of all sorts are slowed down.
- Old people often have trouble in remembering recent events.

VII- Translation (30 Marks)



A- With reference to the passage, translate the fourth paragraph into good Arabic:
(20 Marks)

Scientists, who study the process of aging, believe that the aging of the body is controlled by the biological clock inside us. They are trying to discover how this clock works so that they can slow down this process. This could give Man a longer life and a great number of active years .



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B) Translate the following into good English: (10 Marks)

راشد : تلعب الديوانيات في الكويت دورا حيويا في تعزيز الروابط القوية بين العائلات .

Rashid: In Kuwait, Diwanias play a vital role in reinforcing strong ties between families.

سعد : هذا صحيح . وهي تؤدي وظيفة سياسية واجتماعية هامة أيضا.

Saad : That's right. They serve an important political and social function, too.

**End of Exam
Good Luck**