

(Total 400 Marks)

I. Vocabulary (60 Marks)A- Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d: (5 x 6 = 30 m)

1. My teacher helped me overcome all theI faced while I was writing my research.
- a) tusks
b) deterrents
c) warnings
d) commentators
2. This group of musicians.....very well. They have been working together for ages.
- a) slam into
b) get over
c) flare up
d) get on
3. I can't afford this high-end electronic camera. I'm looking for a comparatively..... one.
- a) inexpensive
b) innumerable
c) inexperienced
d) ecological
4. This information should be kept.....Our competitors may make use of it.
- a) feasible
b) prominent
c) confidential
d) fractional
5. The principal is holding a meeting with learners' parents. It isconcerned with exam results.
- a) securely
b) chiefly
c) perilously
d) adversely

B- Fill in the spaces with words from the list below : (5 x 6 = 30)

(stabilizing / automatically / recreation / wasteful / deviated / alongside)

6. My car **deviated** from the road and hit a parked car last night.
7. Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmad Heritage Village in Salmi is a truly enjoyable place which provides... **recreation**....for all visitors.
8. He is enjoying a quiet life in a small villa **alongside** the river.
9. To meet the increasing demand for water, people should be less... **wasteful** ...with it and consume it wisely.
10. The clock..**automatically**..readjusts when you enter a new time zone.

II- Grammar (40 Marks)

A- Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d: (5 x 4 = 20 m)

11. I will never forget the day.....my first book was published.
a) where
b) which
c) **when**
d) what
12. It was really dark and scary. I couldn't see.....at all.
a) **anything**
b) nothing
c) something
d) everything
13. My brother prefers classic musicmy sister is interested in painting.
a) since
b) **whereas**
c) until
d) if
14. The passenger missed the plane. He..... earlier for the airport.
a) shouldn't have left
b) shouldn't leave
c) leave
d) **should have left**
15. Our summer holiday lastsmid July to the end of August every year.
a) in
b) on
c) **from**
d) through



B- Correct the underlined mistakes in the following sentences : (4 x 5 = 20 m)

(A) (B)

16. Job applicants will inform of them results tomorrow.
a) be informed
b) their
(A) (B)
17. I am believing that the Internet have changed the way we live and work.
a) believe
b) has

III- Language Functions (50 Marks)

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

18. There is a strong wind and your brother is making a campfire.

Expressing worry / Suggesting and warning

19. Your father said that there is smoke coming out from the nearby factory 24 hours a day.

Expressing criticism / suggesting solutions / Predicting / Stating disadvantages

20. One of your friends asks you about your favourite TV channel.

Expressing likes / comparing



21. You heard that medals of appreciation are being awarded to young Kuwaiti scientists.

Giving explanation / Expressing opinion / Giving reasons

22. You need to make a phone call but you forgot your mobile phone at home.

Making request / Asking for help

Any Reasonable Answer Is Accepted

IV- Set Book Questions (40 Marks)

**A- In meaningful sentences, answer only THREE of the following questions :
(3 x 10 = 30 m)**

23. From your point of view, how can we reduce car accidents?
We can reduce car accidents by following traffic rules, driving carefully and securely and punishing careless drivers.
24. Why is it important to have a media outlet in English in Kuwait?
To report news about Kuwait to a larger number of readers and viewers inside and outside Kuwait and to present a positive image of Kuwait abroad.
25. Many things can be done in order to protect our environment. Give examples.
We should work to stop cutting trees, plant more trees, save energy, recycle more and develop renewable sources of energy.
26. How can people consume TV appropriately and avoid its negative effects?
People can consume TV appropriately and avoid its negative effects by setting limits on TV viewing time, turning off TV during mealtimes and while children do their homework , watching TV with family and friends and discussing what is seen with them.

Any reasonable answer is accepted.



B- Literature Time:

In meaningful sentences, answer only ONE of the following questions : (1 x 10 = 10 m)

27. How can people avoid getting into debt?
People can avoid getting into debts by spending wisely, buying necessary things, looking for a job.
28. Why shouldn't children be sent to work at an early age?
Children shouldn't be sent to school at an early age because they are deprived of education. They don't enjoy playing with their peers. They lose their childhood.

Any reasonable answer is accepted.

V- Writing (80 Marks)

❖ **Write on the following topic:**

Nature can sometimes be a threat to Man. Plan and write a report of **14 sentences (160 words) discussing the threats Man is exposed to, the consequences and how they can be avoided, making use of the following ideas.**

- The threats that Man faces.
- The consequences resulting from these threats.
- The measures that have to be taken to avoid the dangers.

Outline (8 Marks)



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Write your topic here (72marks)



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.	

VI- Reading Comprehension (100 Marks)

Read the following passage, then answer the questions below:

Have you ever flown? Did you fly to another country to study English? How do you feel about flying? People who have to fly all the time for business find it boring. People who fly only once in a while are excited. However, some people feel only terror when they board an aeroplane. They suffer from a phobia, an illogical fear.



If you are afraid of poisonous spiders, this is **logical**. If you are afraid of all spiders, even harmless ones, this is a phobia because it is illogical. Some people have phobias about height, being shut up in a small area, or being in a large open area. It is not logical to be afraid of these things when there is no danger, but a phobia is not logical.

Fear of flying is another phobia. We always hear about a plane crash, but we don't hear about the millions of flights every year that are safe. Riding in a car is thirty times more dangerous than flying, but most of us are not afraid every time we get into a car. It is not logical to be afraid of flying, but research shows that about 12 percent of people have this fear.

People with a phobia about flying are afraid for one or more of these reasons. They are afraid of heights. They avoid high places, and if they are in a high-rise building, they don't look out of the windows. **They** might be afraid of being in an enclosed place like an elevator or a tunnel on a highway. When they get on an aeroplane, they can't get out until the end of the flight, and the flight might last several hours. Maybe they are afraid of the crowds and all the noise and people rushing around at an airport. This particularly bothers older people. Some people are afraid of the unknown. They don't understand the technology of flying and can't believe that a huge aeroplane can stay up in the air. Others are afraid of losing control. They need to control every situation they are in. When they drive a car, they have some chance of avoiding an accident. In a plane, they have no control over anything. It bothers them to give up control to the pilot and the rest of the crew.

There is help for all these people. There are special classes in which people learn how to control their fear. They probably can't lose it, they can learn to control it. Then they can fly when they need to, even though they probably won't enjoy it. So if you have this kind of fear, consider such classes and your next aeroplane trip would be a joy.

***Phobia: a strong unreasonable fear of something**

A) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c, and d: (5x10 = 50 m)

29. The best title for the passage is
- Studying English
 - A Business Trip
 - Fear of Flying**
 - Flying an Aeroplane
30. People who have to travel for business
- rarely fly
 - find it boring**
 - feel terror
 - suffer from a phobia
31. The underlined word **logical** in the 2nd paragraph means
- weak
 - unreasonable
 - invalid
 - accepted**
32. Riding in a car is.....
- more dangerous than flying**
 - less dangerous than flying
 - as dangerous as flying
 - not dangerous at all
33. The underlined word "**They**" in the 4th paragraph refers to
- high places
 - the windows
 - these reasons
 - people with a phobia**



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B) Answer the following questions : (4x7½ = 30 Marks)

34. What is a phobia?

It is an illogical fear. / If someone is afraid of spiders, this a phobia.

35. Why can't some people look out of the window in high buildings?

Because they are afraid of heights / have phobia of heights

36. According to the passage, what bothers older people in particular?

Crowd and noise bother them most.

37. How can people with phobia be helped?

They can join classes that will help them to control their fears.



C. Summary-Making (20 Marks)

In not less than four sentences, summarize the 4th paragraph in answer to the following question:

"Why do some people have a phobia about flying?"

Answers may include four of the following points:

- They are afraid of heights.
- They might be afraid of being in an enclosed place .
- They are afraid of the crowds and all the noise.
- They are afraid of the unknown.
- They are afraid of losing control.
- They don't understand how the technology of flying works.

Any Reasonable Answer Is Accepted

VII- Translation: (30 Marks)

A) With reference to the first paragraph of the text, translate the following into good Arabic (20 Marks)

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هل سبق لك ان سافرت بالطائرة ؟ هل سافرت الى دولة أخرى لدراسة اللغة الإنجليزية ؟ كيف تشعر تجاه السفر بالطائرة؟ يشعر الناس الذين يضطرون للسفر جوا دوما للعمل بالضرر و يشعر الناس الذين يسافرون بين الحين والآخر بالحماس. إلا أن هناك من لا يشعرون إلا بالرعب عند ركوب الطائرة حيث أنهم يعانون من خوف غير مبرر.

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

فرح : تقوم الوسادات الهوائية بحماية سائقي المركبات و كذلك الركاب إذا ما تعرضوا لحادث.
هند : تحتوي معظم السيارات الحديثة على وسادات هوائية للسائق في عجلة القيادة.

Farah : Airbags safeguard car drivers and passengers if they are involved in a car crash.

Hind : Most modern vehicles have a driver's airbag in the steering wheel.

End of Exam

Good Luck