

امتحان الصف التاسع (المفردات – الاستيعاب المقروء- القواعد- التعبير-) (الدرجة الكلية : 60 درجة)

I- Reading (30 marks) A- Vocabulary (14 marks) a) Choose the best answer from a, b, c and d. (4 X 2 = 8 Marks)

1- Hala February is a / an festival. It is held every year in February.

| a. | . monsoonal | b. toxic | c. cracked | d. annual | |
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| 2- Parents are asked to their children to attend the school ceremony. | | | | | |
| a. | extend | b. document | c. accompany | d. suffocate | |
| 3- The bool | k fair shows a | of fi | ction and non- fiction st | ories and novels. | |
| a. | quest | b. variety | c. habitat | d. gratitude | |
| 4- This pho | oto is | fake. The colours | and their shades clearly | do not match. | |
| a. | devotedly | b. regardless | c. obviously | d. essentially | |
| b) <u>Fill in th</u> | ne spaces with the | most suitable wor | ds from the list below. (| 4 X 1 ½ = 6 Marks) | |
| (depend on / influence / pollutants / novelist / prey on) | | | | | |
| 5- You show | uld keep away from | n polar bears beca | use they | humans. | |
| 6- Pesticide | es are kinds of | ••••• | Farmers should use the | nem with caution. | |
| 7- Your success will greatly your commitment and hard work. | | | | | |
| 8- Mass me | edia can have a pov | verful | on young people posi | tively and negatively. | |

B- <u>Reading (16 Marks)</u> <u>*Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions that follow:*</u>

Have you ever walked down streets and noticed that almost every single person is walking with their face down watching a screen? It seems that technology has taken over our lives today! Kids aren't getting outside and playing anymore so they don't have any imagination. Too much technology in our lives means that we don't have real conversations. Technology makes us stressed and frustrated so it's time that we took a break.

Children today don't have any imagination. They spend so much time looking at a screen and playing games that they no longer have the skills needed to be creative and have fun without technology. All this time spent sitting down using phones or tablets is definitely bad for <u>their</u> health. Kids should be out in the fresh air, running around and having fun, not shut in a dark, dreary room staring at a screen.

Technology is causing harm to friends and families because they don't have time to make conversations together. Instead of having real conversation, we are having fake conversations using social media. This means that we aren't really showing each other our true selves. Is it really <u>hard</u> to put down the phone and have a proper conversation with someone?

Overall, it is very clear that our lives could be much better with less technology. Instead of playing computer games and using social media, children could get outside in beautiful fresh air and enjoy the sunlight. They could be healthier and fitter. This kind of technology is unfortunately stopping people from connecting with each other.

a) From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer: (6X2=12 Marks)

- 9. What could be the best title for this passage?
- a- A healthy Life
- b- Negative Effects of Technology
- c- Connecting with Friends
- d- Good Relations Between Families
- 10. The opposite of the underlined word "hard" in the 3^{rd} paragraph is:
- a- fit
- b- real
- c- easy
- d- beautiful
- 11. What does the underlined word "their" in the 2^{nd} paragraph refer to?
- a- games
- b- children
- c- phones
- d- tablets
- 12. Technology is causing harm to friends and families because:
- a- it is useful to play computer games with each other.
- b- children can enjoy their time with their phones.
- c- they don't have time to make conversations together.
- d- it creates a great atmosphere of joy and amusement.

- 13. According to the passage, one of the following statements is **TRUE**:
- a- The use of phones and tablets all the time is good for our minds.
- b- Good relationships with people is not necessary.
- c- Too much use of phones and tablets is good for health.
- d- Children's real place is outside to play, run and have fun.
- 14. The purpose of the writer is to:
- a- give us information about the different uses of phones.
- b- tell us that using smart phones can be useful for eyes.
- c- show the negative effects of using technology.
- d- emphasize that we should cut our relationship with the others.

b) Answer the following questions: (2x2=4 Marks)

15- According to the writer, why don't children have any imagination today?

16- What could children do instead of playing computer games?

II. <u>Writing (30 marks)</u> A- <u>Grammar (14 Marks)</u> a) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c and d. (4X 2 =8 Marks)

| 17- My father usually 1 | to work on time. He is never late |
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| a- went | b- goes | c- gone | d- go | | | |
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| 18- The lady asked about you is standing over there. | | | | | | |
| a- which | b- whose | c- who | d- where | | | |
| 19- If I were rich, I | 19- If I were rich, I some of my money to the poor. | | | | | |
| a- would donate | b- will donate | c- am donating | d- was donated | | | |
| 20- You seem worried! I you complete this application form. | | | | | | |
| a- help b- will help c- would help | | d- helped | | | | |
| b) <u>Do as required betw</u> | veen brackets:(3X2=6 M | larks) | | | | |
| 21. Customers are allowed to come in without a face mask. (Make negative) | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | |
| 22. Doctors are taking care of the patient. | | | (Make passive) | | | |
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| 23. Yes, I am a histo | (Ask a question) | | | | | |
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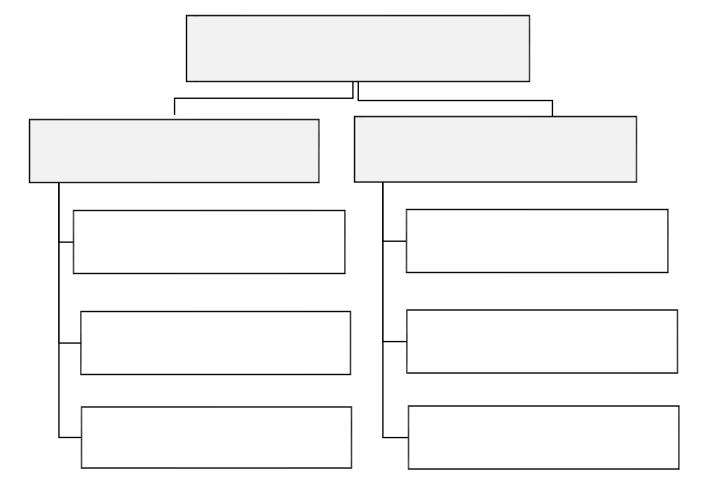
B-Writing (16 Marks)

Write on the following topic:

"Environmental pollution is the world's greatest problem facing humanity."

Plan and write a report of **two paragraphs** (12sentences) **discussing the causes of pollution and the possible solutions to reduce its bad effects.**

NB: (Your writing should include a topic sentence, supporting ideas and a conclusion)



Plan (2 Marks)

Write your topic here:

| Planning (mind | Exposition of | Paragraphing and | Grammar | Spelling | Handwriting | Punctuation | Total |
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| mapping / graphic | ideas and | number of | | | | | |
| organizers) | coherence | sentences | | | | | |
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