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Reading comprehension: (50 points)

Question Number One: (30 points)

Read the texts and do the tasks below:

TEXT A:

As a parent, I'm becoming increasingly worried about the effect communications technology is having on young people. My fourteen-year-old son seems to spend hours every day texting or chatting online, or updating his social media page. He says he's going to do his homework, but an hour or two later still hasn't started it, and I can't help feeling that he's wasting so much time on this instead of doing useful things, or even just being with his friends and communicating with real people.

Is all this texting affecting young people's ability to use language properly? Is there a danger that they could become addicted to technology? What potential dangers are out there in the online world? I don't know enough about these new technologies to be able to answer questions like these.

TEXT B:

Like it or not, today's young people are the connected generation. A recent study in the US found that nearly a quarter of teenagers use social media sites at least ten times a day and 75% own mobile phones. Texting is now the main form of communication for young people. The figures obviously vary between countries, but the one thing we can predict is that they will continue to rise.

Inevitably, this has led to panic among parents, teachers and other adults. But are these fears justified? Not according to Dr Amy Lehane, who has studied exactly how young people are using technology. 'If you look back,' she says, 'you find the same panic reaction from older people to the growth of the telephone or television. Often it comes from a fear of something they don't understand, but our research indicates that young people are quite capable of telling the difference between the online world and the real world, or between the types of language used for texts and job applications. They're also very aware of the possible negative effects of technology: they know, for example, that it's not a good idea to post a message like 'I'm having a party next Saturday' on a public site.'

A. Decide which of the two texts talks about the following:

(4 points)

1. Parents' questions and enquiries. (Text _____)
2. We should learn to trust young people more. (Text _____)
3. Facts and numbers about young generation's use of technology. (Text _____)
4. Things were different when I was young. (Text _____)

B. Answer the following questions:

(8 points)

1. What annoys parents a lot in general?

2. What does the parent prefer his son to do in his free time?
a. _____ b. _____
3. Why does Dr. Amy have good information about the subject?

4. How does Dr. Amy explain older people's panic towards young's use of technology?

C. Decide whether these statements are True or False:

(6 points)

1. The major way for teenagers now to keep in touch is sending short messages. ()
2. The numbers of using technology are nearly the same between countries. ()
3. Dr. Amy is against the unjustified fear that older people feel. ()

D. Write what the following pronoun and number might refer to:

(4 points)

1. **it** (text A): _____
2. **75%** (text B): _____

E. Complete the missing information in the table from the texts above:

(8 points)

1. The 14-year-old son spends his time in :	a. _____ b. _____ c. _____
2. The US latest study showed that:	a. _____ b. _____
3. Reasons to be positive about the future according to Dr. Amy Lehane:	a. _____ b. _____ c. _____

Question Number Two: (20 points)

Read the text and do the tasks below:

In order for a business to survive in today's world, it is important that we regularly revise what we are doing and how we are doing it. By considering new ideas and new ways of doing things and trying to create , we can improve on our products and services, increase sales, reduce costs and make our processes more effective and efficient. Creativity is the key to increasing profits.

There are several ways a company can be creative with its products and services. In this article, we'll look at two main important ways which are: using the latest technology and responding to customer demands .

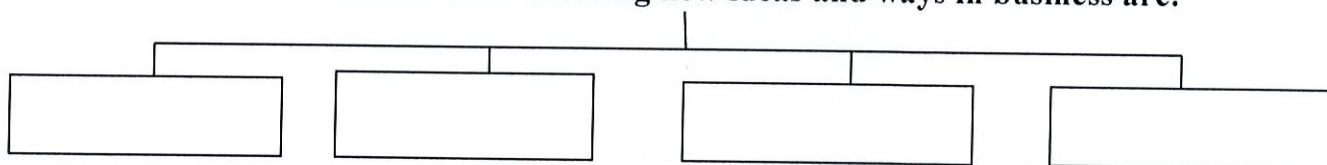
Using the latest technologies to improve your products, while they might be impressive, we should not use **them** just because they are available. It is important to consider how the technology can make a difference to our customer or product.

The other way is how to respond to customers' demands by changing what is on offer. By listening to customers' feedback, we can get their opinion on how we are doing and find out about what is that they want. We also need to be aware of changes in customer demands and keep up with times. When fast-food McDonald's restaurants realized that the market wanted healthier choices, they introduced fruit and salads, while removing the ' super-size' option from their menus.

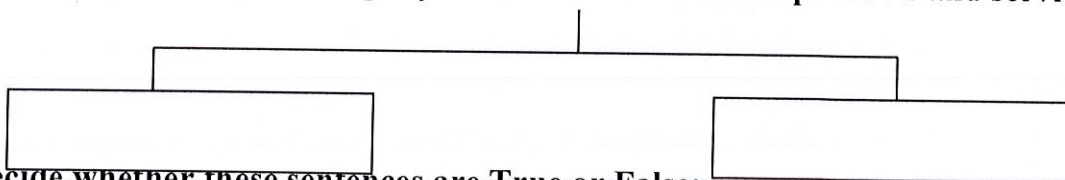
A. Complete the following diagram:

(9 points)

1- The results of considering new ideas and ways in business are:



2- Ways a company can be creative with its products and services:



B. Decide whether these sentences are True or False:

(6 points)

1. It's essential to revise our business regularly to survive it.
2. Latest technologies should be used in business because they're available.
3. Listening to customers' feedback helps in finding out what they want.
4. McDonald's restaurants have not changed their menu since they started.

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C. Circle the correct answer:

(2 points)

1. The best title of this text is:

- A. Technology nowadays . B. Creativity in business. C. Business News

2. The underlined pronoun them (line 9) refers to:

- A .technologies B. customers C. products

D. Complete the following sentences with words from the text: (3 points)

1. We should change what is on offer to respond to customers' _____.
2. We need to be aware of changes in customer demands and keep up with _____.

Vocabulary: (30 points)

Question Number Three: (30 points)

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A. Replace the underlined parts of the sentences with words from the box: (6 points)

participate - employment - puzzle - set

1. Many graduates are looking for having or getting a job. _____
2. I only need one more card to make a complete group. _____
3. I don't know the key to this hard thing to explain. _____
4. I hope everyone will take part in this fruitful discussion. _____

B. Complete the sentences with words from the box: (6 points)

latter - field - revealed - lack

1. The research has _____ the highest results of using smart phones among children.
2. In my opinion, the _____ point I mentioned is the most important one.
3. There is a _____ of medicine in the Health Care stores .
4. Ali's _____ of study is Law. He likes it very much.

C. Complete the sentences using the appropriate prepositions in the box: (6 points)

for - between - from - with

1. He was satisfied _____ his test result as he didn't study well .
2. He isn't suitable _____ this job he needs to practice more .
3. You have two forms A and B , you have to choose _____ them
4. This room is safe, enclosed and protected _____ the sun heat.

D. Match prefixes with suitable words then use them to complete the sentences: (6 points)

mis- / co- / under / over

charge / operation / paid / heard

1. We want to thank you for your _____ and continuous support.
2. Her voice wasn't clear. I was certain I had _____ what she said .
3. Even though Ali is _____ at his job, he loves it.
4. Some small shops often try to _____ tourists while shopping.

E. Complete the sentences with suitable phrasal verbs from the box: (6 points)

take over - put up - turned out - take off

1. Sinopharm is _____ to be a suitable vaccine for Covid 19 .
2. The plane will _____ in a minute . Please be sure that your seatbelts are fastened.
3. Who will _____ the leadership of the club next year?
4. He was visiting the town for few days, so I _____ him _____ in my apartment.

F. Circle the correct answer: (6 points)

1. Usually we ask for payment (**on receipt** / **in receipt**) of the goods.
2. Please send a full CV with your (**job satisfaction** / **job application**) .
3. He must sell the house for the current (**market share** / **market value**) .
4. Luckily, we managed to get to the airport (**on time** / **in time**) to catch our flight.

Language: (30 points)

Section A: (20points)

Question Number Four: (20 points)

يتكون هذا القسم من ثلاثة اسئلة A, B, C وعلى المشترك ان يجيب عن اثنين فقط

A. 1. Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verbs in brackets: (6 points)

1. How often _____ you _____ to the cinema?. (go)
2. Majd _____ a photograph of me while I _____ the seeds. (take / plant)
3. You should go to bed. You _____ on computer for over two hours. (play)
4. We _____ his plan before we accepted it. (discuss)
5. Be careful! the snake _____ you. (approach)

2. Choose the correct answer: (4 points)

1. You got here very quickly .You (must have / could have) walked very fast .
2. The patient's condition was getting worse. He (must have / should have) seen a doctor .
3. She (could have / must have) solved the problem if she had tried again.
4. You were about to miss the interview. You (shouldn't have / could have) got up late.

B. 1. Circle the correct answer: (4 points)

1. Don't stop (to try / trying) to win the competition . You may succeed later.
2. Deema promised her mother (not to make / not making) more mistakes.
3. They didn't even offer (to pay / paying). Oh, that's awful!
4. He can still remember (being / to be) in hospital when he was five.

2. Rewrite the following using the words between brackets: (6 points)

1. I didn't ask the doctor about the final report. (I regret)
2. Manal hid the cause of the accident. (She shouldn't)
3. The film we went to see last week was terrible. (We wish)
4. Fareed left his present job before finding a new one. (He regrets)

C. 1. Choose the correct answer: (4 points)

1. I'm (leaving / going to leave) to Canada tomorrow. I've got my plane tickets.
2. I think the boat is (going to sink / sinking), there's a hole in its bottom .
3. You look upset . What (do you think / are you thinking) about ?
4. You can't talk to Mira right now. She (looks / is looking) nervous.

2. Report the following questions: (6 points)

1. "Who do you usually meet on Fridays?"
We asked Sameer _____
2. "Will you be back soon?"
I asked her _____
3. "Have you ever seen such a huge pyramid?"
I asked my friend _____
4. "Which novel are you summarizing these days?"
The teacher asked me _____

Section B: (10 points)

Question Number Five: (10 points)

يتكون هذا السؤال من ثلاثة اقسام A, B, C يجيب الطالب عن قسمين فقط

A. 1. Circle the correct answer: (3 points)

1. You'd better wear heavy clothes. The weather forecast says it's (going to snow / snowing).
2. I'm certain Hani (won't / will) get a visa . His passport isn't available.
3. Take your seats .This evening's concert (may / will) start in a few minutes .

2. Rewrite the sentences replacing the underlined parts with a causative structure: (2 points)

1. Kamal has just asked someone to repair the central heating in his house .

2. How normally do you ask someone to service your car?

B. 1. Correct the following sentences (there is One mistake in each sentence): (3 points)

1. What have you done for all day long? _____

2. He works in the afternoons but today he takes his son to the doctor. _____

3. The new engineer loves to be asked about each project. _____

2. Add question tags to the sentences below: (2 points)

1. Dina and Muna never wear uniforms, _____?

2. She's sent us two invitations, _____?

C. 1. Choose the correct answer: (2 points)

1. What (happens / is happening) outside?

2. Fuad (may / will) win the race for his little training . I doubt it.

2. Report the following pieces of advice: (3 points)

1. "It's not a good idea to depend on others."

My teacher told me that _____

2. "Don't over train, it is bad for your health."

The doctor warned Sameer against _____

Literature: (25 points)

Choose one of the two stories and answer its questions: اختر واحدة من القصتين وأجب عن أسئلتها
Romeo and Juliet (25 points)

Section A : (10 points)

Question Number Six: 10 points)

هذا السؤال اجباري

A. Choose the correct answer:

(10 points)

1. "Now my life is in the hands of my enemy." Who says this? To whom?

A. Romeo to Juliet

B. Juliet to Romeo

C. Romeo to himself

2. At the party, Romeo is willing to give up his name for _____.

A. Juliet's love

B. Montagues' honor

C. ending the fight

3. Romeo says that Juliet shines like _____.

A. a jewel

B. the moon

C. lightning

4. Romeo isn't afraid of Juliet's family because his love to her is _____.

A. changeable like a moon

B. brave enough to try anything

C. going to disappear

5. Juliet's face goes red and feels _____ when Romeo hears what she said.

A. proud

B. confident

C. embarrassed

6. Tybalt is so angry with Romeo and wants to fight him because Romeo _____.

A. attends the party

B. marries Juliet

C. calls Tybalt rat-catcher

7. Romeo joins the fight between Tybalt and Mercutio in order to _____.

A. kill Mercutio

B. stop the fight

C. kill Tybalt

8. After killing Tybalt, Romeo has to _____ Verona.

A. move to

B. hide in

C. leave

9. "Damn both your families! I am dying." Who says these words?

A. Mercutio

B. Tybalt

C. Benvolio

10. The peace between the two families is a result of _____ events.

A. peaceful

B. tragic

C. friendly

Section B: (15 points)

Question Number Seven: (15 points)

From this section answer Three only فقط ثلاثة فقط A, B, C, D وعلى المشترك ان يجيب عن ثلاثة فقط

A. Decide whether the following are True or False:

(5 points)

1. There are no breaks between scenes in plays at Shakespeare's time.

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2. Lord Capulet agrees that Tybalt should fight Romeo at the party.

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3. Juliet decides to send a messenger to Romeo so that they arrange their marriage. ()
4. Mercutio fights Tybalt because he speaks against Romeo. ()
5. Juliet's beauty has made Romeo strong and ready to fight. ()

B. Read the following quotation then answer the questions below: (5 points)

"Put your sword away! Or use it to help me keep the peace."

1. Who says this? _____ 2. To whom? _____
3. When? _____
4. Why does the speaker say this? _____

C. Answer the following questions: (5 points)

1. How does Tybalt recognize Romeo at the party?

2. Why does Prince Escalus decide not to punish Romeo with death?

3. Why doesn't Romeo know about Friar Laurence's plan?

4. How does Prince Escalus describe the men who are fighting?

5. Why does Juliet's situation get worse after Romeo left Verona?

D. Order the events according to what really happens with Friar Laurence plan: (5 points)

- Juliet wakes up to find Romeo is dead so she stabs herself with his knife.
- The Nurse calls Juliet's parents who are also sure Juliet has died.
- Juliet drinks the mixture; the Nurse finds her and believes she is dead.
- Juliet's body is taken to the Capulets' tomb.
- In the tomb, Romeo believes that Juliet is dead so he drinks the poison.

King Lear (25 points)

Section A : (10 points)

Question Number Six: (10 points)

هذا السؤال اجباري

A. Choose the correct answer:

(10 points)

1. King Lear is the King of _____.
A. France B. Britain C. Italy
2. Goneril and Regan give Lear _____ descriptions of their love.
A. untrue B. realistic C. honest
3. Lear leaves his daughter's castle and goes to see Regan because he is angry with _____.
A. Cordelia B. Goneril's husband C. Goneril
4. Regan blames _____ for Edgar's evil plan to kill his father.
A. Edmund B. Edgar himself C. Lear and his knights
5. Gloucester decides to help King Lear because _____.
A. he feels sorry for Lear B. he wants Cordelia to like him C. Cornwall tells him not to
6. Edmund leaves the castle after betraying Gloucester so he won't be blamed for not _____.
A. finding Edgar B. protecting his father C. taking Lear's side
7. Albany feels that Goneril is evil because she has _____.
A. loved Edmund B. thought he's weak C. helped Regan to make Lear mad
8. Goneril has written a letter to Edmund telling him to _____.
A. kill Albany B. find Oswald C. find Lear
9. Goneril and Regan are jealous of each other as they want to _____.
A. have more power B. win the battle C. marry Edmund
10. Who wins the battle in the end?
A. The French army B. The English army C. The Italian army

Section B: (15 points)**Question Number Seven:****(15 points)**

يتكون هذا القسم من اربعة أسئلة A, B, C, D وعلى المشترك ان يجيب عن ثلاثة فقط فقط

A. Decide whether the following are True or False:**(5 points)**

1. Goneril orders her servant to respect her father's men. ()
2. Edmund cuts his arm because he wants his father to feel sorry for him. ()
3. Edmund is pretending to be poor and mad. ()
4. When Gloucester and Edgar meet Lear in Dover he was covered in wild flowers. ()
5. Edgar tells his father who he is before his death. ()

B. Read the following quotation then answer the questions below:**(5 points)**

"We are like flies and the gods are like cruel little boys; they torment and kill us for fun."

1. Who is the speaker? _____
2. Why couldn't the listener answer the speaker? _____
3. Why is the speaker so angry and sad? _____

C. Answer the following questions:**(5 points)**

1. How does Edmund turn his father against his half-brother?

2. Why does Lear say that Goneril must love him twice as much as Regan ?

3. Why does the servant suddenly attack Cornwall?

4. How does Lear think poor and rich people are punished for their crimes?

5. What makes Lear happy to go to prison?

D. Order the events after Cordelia's return to England:**(5 points)**

- Cordelia forgives Lear and both of them are extremely happy to be together again.
- The King of France and Cordelia come to England to rescue King Lear.
- Lear wakes up confused and expects Cordelia to be angry with him.
- Cordelia is so sad to find Lear mad but her doctor gives him medicine to be well again.
- Gloucester warns Kent to take Lear to Dover in order to be safe with Cordelia.

Writing: (15 points)**Question Number Eight: (15 points)****Choose ONE of the following topics:**

اكتب موضوعا واحدا من احد الموضوعين

1. You are **Suzan Ali**, you are interested in embroidery and sewing in general. Write **an application form** to Dar Al-Ibda' Centre applying for a "Hand-made crafts" foundation course.
These notes may help you:
*Explain the reasons for choosing this course. *Write about your experience in this field.
*Write about how you expect your interest in the subject to develop.
2. You are **Sameer**, you live in Nablus .Write **an enquiry letter** to Oredoo Company asking them about the possibility of training for 3 weeks as a telecommunication engineer.
* Explain the purpose of your letter. *Introduce yourself and give the dates you are interested in.
* Offer to provide more details if necessary.

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