SEMESTER TWO, 2015/2016, Second Session


Notes: One mark each. Responses must be indicated clearly.

| GRM/ VCB 1 (2.5 mks) |  | GRM/ VCB | ( 2.5 mks ) |  |
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| 1. house | 6. get | $\bigcirc$ getting | $\bigcirc$ gets |  |
| 2. shirt | 7. $\bigcirc$ an | $\bigcirc$ at | in |  |
| 3. iron | 8. How | $\bigcirc$ What | $\bigcirc$ Where |  |
| 4. zebra | 9. $\bigcirc$ visit | visited | visiting |  |
| 5. corn | 10. $\bigcirc \mathrm{am}$ | are | $\bigcirc$ was |  |
| Notes: Half-a-mark each. Spelling must be correct. | Notes: Half-a-mark each. Responses must be indicated clearly. |  |  |  |


| GRM/ VCB 3 ( 5 mks ) |  |
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| 11. is | 16. can |
| 12. people | 17. and |
| 13. see | 18. goat(s) |
| 14. of | 19. some |
| 15. enioy | 20. about |
| Notes: Half-a-mark each. Spelling must be correct, including grammatical endings. |  |



| WRITING 1 ( 5 mks ) |  |
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| 5 | - Writing communicates clearly and is obviously appropriate to the picture. <br> - Language is mostly correct. |
| 4 | - Writing communicates clearly enough and is appropriate to the picture. <br> - However, there are some noticeable language errors. |
| 3 | - Manages to communicate some relevant information about the picture, but only in a limited way. <br> - There are several very noticeable language errors. |
| 2 | - Attempts to communicate, but only with difficulty. Important points are missing or unclear. <br> - Frequent language errors. |
| 1 | - A very unsatisfactory attempt at the task. Very little is communicated. <br> - Language is seriously flawed. |
| 0 | No attempt at the task: EITHER Irrelevant. (Completely unrelated to the picture) OR Hardly any writing at all, or not written in English OR Complete nonsense |

## WRITING 2 (5 mks)

| 5 | - Presents all the information, fully and clearly. <br> - Writing is well-organised and coherent. Only minor language errors. |
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| 4 | - Presents most of the information, clearly enough. <br> - Language is mostly correct, despite a few noticeable errors. |
| 3 | - Presents some of the information, but with gaps or lack of clarity. <br> - Language is reasonably correct, but writing sometimes lacks coherence. |
| 2 | - Manages to present only a limited amount of information; important points are missing or unclear. <br> - Language contains frequent errors, some of which obscure meaning. |
| 1 | - A very feeble attempt at the task, presenting very little relevant information. <br> - Language used is extremely limited and/or seriously distorted. |
| 0 | No attempt at the task: EITHER Irrelevant (Completely unrelated to the topic/ information provided) OR Just copied from the Q-paper OR Hardly any writing at all, or not written in English OR Complete nonsense |

# Grade 6, $2^{\text {nd }}$ session / 2015-2016 

## Listening Scripts

## Listening 1:

1. Amal usually spends her free time in the kitchen. She likes preparing food. Yesterday, she baked a lovely cake.
2. Khalid likes meeting his friends. First, they decided to play basketball, but then they went to the cinema. They watched a comedy film.
3. Sara spends her time in reading books. Last summer she read many stories. She enjoyed them very much.
4. Sami likes to spend his time watching television. Yesterday, he watched a program about famous writers and the books they wrote.
5. Yassir likes camping. Last weekend, he decided to go camping with his friends, but he stayed home because he was ill.

## Listening 2 :

Sara was an active and helpful girl. One day, when her mother went to see a friend, Sara decided to do the housework. In the early morning, and it was about seven o'clock, Sara cleaned the rooms and they all were tidy. After that, Sara went to the garden and she watered the beautiful flowers there. At eleven o'clock she prepared some food for lunch. When she finished cooking the food, she helped her brother in doing his homework.

Sara's mother arrived home and she was surprised. She saw the house was clean and tidy. Sara felt happy because her mother was glad. Her mother thanked her and the family decided to spend the afternoon in the park. They had their dinner there and they enjoyed the time. At night, and it was almost nine, Sara was tired and she had a deep sleep, but her mother enjoyed watching her favorite TV program.

# ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST 

GRADE SIX
Semester Two
Second Session

| Name |  |  |  |  |
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| School |  | Class |  |  |

Write your answers on the Test Paper
Time: $11 / 2$ hours Pages: 9

|  | LISTENING | 10 |  |
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| TEST <br> SCORES | READING | 10 |  |
|  | GRM/VCB | 10 |  |
|  | WRITING | 10 |  |
|  | TOTAL | 40 |  |
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## LISTENING 1 (Items 1-5)

You are going to hear five short texts.
For each text, there is one statement. Is each statement True or False?
Listen, and shade in the bubble under the correct option.

## Statements

| True | False |
| :---: | :---: |

1. Amal made a cake.
2. Khalid played basketball.
3. Sara liked the stories.
4. Sami wrote a book.
5. Yassir went on a camp.

## LISTENING 2 (Items 6-10)

You are going to hear a text about a good day.
Listen and for each item, shade in the bubble $\bigcirc$ next to the correct option.
6. The text talks about a $\qquad$ .
$\bigcirc$ good friend
$\bigcirc$ helpful girl
$\bigcirc$ lovely brother
7. Sara made the lunch at $\qquad$ o'clock.

- eleven

O nine

- seven

8. The mother $\qquad$ Sara.
$\bigcirc$ helped
$\bigcirc$ thanked

- watched

9. The family had their dinner in the $\qquad$ .

- garden
- house
$\bigcirc$ park

10. At night, Sara $\qquad$ .
$\bigcirc$ did her homework $\bigcirc$ watched T.V
$\bigcirc$ went to sleep


## GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 1 (Items 1-5)

Under each picture, write the correct word, as in the example.


## GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 2 (Items 6-10)

For each item, shade in the bubble $\bigcirc$ next to the correct option.
6. Eman has $\qquad$ two sisters.
$\bigcirc$ get
$\bigcirc$ getting
$\bigcirc$ gets
$\bigcirc$ got
7. I usually walk $\qquad$ the afternoon.
$\bigcirc$ an
$\bigcirc$ at
$\qquad$
$O$ in
o on
8. $\bigcirc$ Where $\bigcirc$ Who
9. Sam $\qquad$ his uncle yesterday.
$\bigcirc$ visit
$\bigcirc$ visited
$\bigcirc$ visiting
$\bigcirc$ visits
10. The boys $\qquad$ playing football now.
am are $\rho^{\infty}$ was were


## GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 3 (Items 11-20)

Complete the unfinished words in the text.
Make sure you spell each word correctly.

## EXAMPLE:

"Good morning! My name's Ahmed Al-Zedjali and I'm a student at a school in Muscat. I'm in Grade_ Six. My favourite_ subject is Maths."

## TEXT

Zoo i $\qquad$ a place for keeping animals. Many peo $\qquad$ go there to s $\qquad$ different kinds 0 $\qquad$ animals. They also en $\qquad$ watching animals show. They c $\qquad$ watch monkeys riding bikes a___ dolphins playing with balls. Some children like feeding go $\qquad$ or cows. They also take so $\qquad$ photographs with parrots. Children learn many things ab $\qquad$ animals there.


READING 1 (Items 1-5)
(5 marks)
Match the texts with the pictures.
For each text, shade in the bubble $\bigcirc$ under the correct option.
A.

B.

C.

D.

E.

F.


## Pictures

## Texts

1. This book includes some information about the space. You can read about the earth, the moon and some stars.
2. You can meet famous people in this book. It talks about their history and the great things they have done.
3. This book is about food from different countries. It helps you to make lovely dishes from around the world.
4. You can learn about transports in this book. You can find useful information about cars, trains and planes.
5. In this book you know about ways to have water in the house. Some people dig wells and others use taps.
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| A | B | C | D | E | F |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Read the text. For each question, write a short answer (not more than FOUR WORDS).

Dear Saif,
How are you ? I hope you are doing well! I've got fantastic news. I won the prize of a 'Reading Competition' which was held in our school. I've a got a watch and a certificate. It was really a beautiful watch with my favorite color. I participated in the competition and I covered ten interesting books. It was really a wonderful time. When my teacher announced the winners, I started to feel worried, but then I was so excited and glad. When I arrived home, I talked to my family about the prize and they all were happy. And I thanked my mother very much because she encouraged me and supported me in reading more books. I am really proud of her. It was really a wonderful moment to win a competition.

What about you my friend? How was the competition there? Write to me soon.
Bye for now
Malik
6. What was the competition about?
7. What was the prize?
$\qquad$
8. How many books did Malik read?
$\qquad$
9. Who helped Malik to read more?
$\qquad$
10. How did Malik feel about the prize ?

## WRITING 1

Write about the picture. Write at least 40 words. You can use the words in the box.


| Marker A | Marker B | Average |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
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WRITING 2
[5 marks]
Write a biography of an actor called Omar Sharif. Use ALL the information in the box. Your paragraph should be correct and well-organised.

## Omar Sharif

born /1932 film star
two daughters/one son
win/Golden Glob
movies/ Lawrence of Arabia die/ 2015

| Marker A | Marker B | Average |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
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