

حاضر ☐

غائب ☐



سَلْطَنَةُ عُيُتْمَانْ

وَزَارَةُ التَّحْقِيقِ وَالتَّجَلُّيِّ

امتحان شهادة دبلوم التعليم العام

للعام الدراسي ١٤٣٣/١٤٣٢ هـ - ٢٠١١ / ٢٠١٢ م

الدور الأول - الفصل الدراسي الثاني

رقم الورقة	
رقم المغلف	

• زمن الإجابة: ثلاث ساعات.

• الإجابة في الورقة نفسها.

• تنبيه: المادة: English Language 'Elective'

• الأسئلة في ( ٩ ) صفحات.

تعليمات وضوابط التقدم للامتحان:

- الحضور إلى اللجنة قبل عشر دقائق من بدء الامتحان للأهمية.
- إبراز البطاقة الشخصية لمراقب اللجنة.
- يمنع كتابة رقم الجلوس أو الاسم أو أي بيانات أخرى تدل على شخصية الممتحن في دفتر الامتحان، وإلا ألغى امتحانه.
- يحظر على الممتحنين أن يصطحبوا معهم بمركز الامتحان كتباً دراسية أو كراسات أو مذكرات أو هواتف محمولة أو أجهزة النداء الآلي أو أي شيء له علاقة بالامتحان كما لا يجوز إدخال آلات حادة أو أسلحة من أي نوع كانت أو حقائب يدوية أو آلات حاسبة ذات صفة تخزينية.
- يجب أن يتقيد المتقدمون بالزي الرسمي (الدشداشة البيضاء والمصر أو الكمة للطلاب والدارسين والزي المدرسي للطالبات واللباس العماني للدارسات) ويمنع النقاب داخل المركز ولجان الامتحان.
- لا يسمح للمتقدم المتأخر عن موعد بداية الامتحان بالدخول إلا إذا كان التأخير بعذر قاهر يقبله رئيس المركز وفي حدود عشر دقائق فقط.
- يتم الالتزام بالإجراءات الواردة في دليل الطالب لأداء امتحان شهادة دبلوم التعليم العام.
- يقوم المتقدم بالإجابة عن أسئلة الامتحان المقالية بقلم الحبر (الأزرق أو الأسود).
- يقوم المتقدم بالإجابة عن أسئلة الاختيار من متعدد بتظليل الشكل ( ) وفق النموذج الآتي:
- س - عاصمة سلطنة عمان هي:  
القاهرة ☐ الدوحة ☐  
مسقط ☒ أبوظبي ☐
- ملاحظة: يتم تظليل الشكل ( ) باستخدام القلم الرصاص وعند الخطأ، امسح بعناية لإجراء التغيير.
- صحيح ☒ غير صحيح ☐
- ✓ ✗

## READING 1 (Items 1 – 8)

[8 marks]

Match the eight texts on the left with the texts in the box.  
Shade in the bubble (☐) under the correct option.

1. One person was killed and two seriously injured in a road accident early this morning.
2. I was sorry to hear that your teenage son has been causing you problems.
3. I am writing to complain about the poor service provided by your taxi company.
4. As my references show, I am a cheerful colleague and a good team-worker.
5. My grandfather was a very witty man, with a wicked sense of humour.
6. In my country, Vietnam, we celebrate the New Year in late January.
7. I am writing to invite you to my birthday party on Monday 28th June.
8. There's nothing I like better than being outdoors on a nice, sunny day!

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| <b>A</b> | All the children wear traditional clothes, and are given gifts of money in small red-and-gold envelopes. |
| <b>B</b> | Last night, I had a booking to go to the airport at 8 p.m., but your driver was more than an hour late!  |
| <b>C</b> | I am also prepared to work very long hours without complaining.  |
| <b>D</b> | I remember he used to tell these wonderful stories, which had us all laughing!                           |
| <b>E</b> | For example, you should always be careful to avoid unhealthy types of food.                              |
| <b>F</b> | The driver, a well-known footballer, was on his home from a late-night party.                            |
| <b>G</b> | We start at 7.30, and the enclosed map tells you how to get to my house.                                 |
| <b>H</b> | But if I were you, I wouldn't worry too much. He's probably just 'growing up'.                           |
| <b>I</b> | The old village is empty now, as all the young people have left for the city.                            |
| <b>J</b> | I can be walking by the river or just sitting in the park — either way, I love it!                       |

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
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## READING 2 (Items 9 – 14)

[12 marks]

*Read the text. Then complete the task.*

*Whether you're 'roughing it' in a tent or planning a family outing to a national park, there are many ways to make sure your experience is fun and safe. Consider carefully the following **safety tips**:*

- Before you leave, find out the weather report. When you arrive at the site, watch the skies for changes and carry a compact weather radio. Try not to get caught in the rain, and above all keep yourself, your clothes and sleeping bags dry. Wet clothes contribute to heat loss, which can be disastrous in an emergency!
- Arrive early. Plan your trip so that you reach your actual campsite with enough daylight to check over the entire site and set up your tent before it gets dark.
- Choose your site carefully. A flat, spacious area is recommended. Avoid areas which could flood or become extremely muddy in case of heavy rain. It is best, if possible, to put up your tent close to trees, as these help to block strong gusts of wind.
- Keep insects out of your tent by closing the entrance quickly when entering and leaving. Do not wear light-coloured clothing, as this attracts insects. Remember, a single bite from a mosquito can cause malaria!
- Keep your campsite clean and do not leave food or cooking equipment out in the open. These may attract bears, which have an excellent sense of smell — and a particular liking for fish! Remember that these animals are potentially dangerous and unpredictable — never feed or approach a bear. At night, they are less likely to approach if you carry a flashlight.

## READING 2 (cont'd)

For each item, shade in the bubble (○) next to the correct option.

9. According to the brochure, disease-carrying insects are attracted by \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ strong smells                      ☐ loud noises                      ☐ bright colours
10. It warns campers not to \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ carry too much equipment  
☐ arrive too late in the day  
☐ walk too far on one day
11. It says that bears should be kept away with a \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ gun                      ☐ flashlight                      ☐ campfire
12. It points out that bears are especially attracted by the smell of \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ fish                      ☐ spicy food                      ☐ meat
13. It tells us that trees provide useful protection against the \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ rain                      ☐ sun                      ☐ wind
14. It strongly advises people to avoid becoming \_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ hot                      ☐ wet                      ☐ ill

[10 marks]

*Write at least 75 words. Your writing should be lively and interesting.*

### 'An Unexpected Visitor'

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## WRITING 2

[10 marks]

Write at least 75 words on the following topic:

***"Living in a small family is better than living in a big family."***

Do you agree or not? Give your reasons.

*Your writing should be well-organised and interesting.*

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[15 marks]

Your company wants to find a good medical centre for its staff. Your boss has asked you to write an assessment report about the Mumtaz Health Centre.

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| *no eye specialist                 | *modern / well-equipped           |
| *several clinics / big laboratory  | *receptionists / polite / helpful |
| *well-stocked pharmacy             | *emergency / 24 hours             |
| *waiting room / too small          | *clinics / close / 9 p.m.         |
| *no snack shop / small prayer room | *location / central               |

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