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(Stage One - First Session]

First Foreign Language: English (1) Time: 3 Hours

A- Language Functions

1, Supply the missing parts In the following dialogue:

Jehan's uncle is coming from London next Wednesday. She is talking with her father,

Jehan : Of course, dad, we're going to meet my uncle at the airport.

Father : (1)

Jehan : (2) ?

Father : It will arrive at nine o'clock pm,

Jehan : (3) ? .

Father : Its 556.

Jehan : Is he coming on Egypt Airlines?

Father : (4)

Jehan : That's fine. Egypt Air planes usually arrive on time.

2. Supply the missing parts in the following mini-dialogues:

A) Ali and Basem are sitting at home planning to go swimming.

Ali : I'm so bored. What can I do?

Basem : (1)

Ali : That's a good idea. Thanks.

B) Salwa is talking to Salma on phone.

Salma : I haven't been to school for three days.

Salwa :Why? (2)..... ?

Salma : I was sick and I went to the doctor.

C) Sami and Hani have just watched a film in the cinema.

Sami : (3)..... ?

Hani : Yes. I did. But the characters were not very good.

Sami :No, (4).....

B-Vocabulary & Structure

3) Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d:

- 1 – We are..... of our leaders who spare no effort for our welfare.
a) grateful b) friendly c) proud d) faithful
- 2- Ibn Al Nafis was a Syrian who discovered the circulation of the blood.
a) physiologist b) photographer c) physicist d) physician
- 3- An is someone whose job is to keep and check financial records.
a) academic b) actor c) artist d) accountant
- 4- My uncle's hearing isn't as good as it used to be; he can't hear you..... you shout.
a) because b) unless c) if d) although
- 5- Planting trees along side roads carbon dioxide.
a) Increases b) decreases c) decays d) dries
- 6- Our new flat.....of two bedrooms, a hall, a kitchen and a bathroom.
a) contains b) Includes c) consists d) involves.
- 7- When she.....strange noises, she got up to investigate.
a) was hearing b) heard c) would hear d) is hearing
- 8- We are making great efforts toour heritage.
a) neglect b) sell c) protect d) damage
- 9- English language skills.....in every school alt over Egypt.
a) taught b) are teaching c) are taught d) teaches
- 10-My uncle his living as a civil engineer.
a) wins b) gains c) earns d) works
- 11 -August is the month.....we go to the seaside
a) which b)when c) where d) what
- 12-If you care only about yourself rather than about other people,
you are
a) lazy b) selfish c) careless d) rude
- 13-Up till now no one has been able to know the reason her sudden travel.
a) of b)to c)for d)with
- 14-If you had told me about the problem, I.....you.
a) would help b) had helped
c) helped. d) would have helped.
- 15-France is..... European country.
a) an b)the c)a d) no article
- 16-She is conceited and she can't.....her colleagues.
a) get up to b) gel on with
c) gel through to d) get away with

4. Rewrite the following sentences using the word {s} in brackets to give the same meaning:

- 1- That's Aya's new jacket. (belong)
- 2- She never goes out alone. (own)
- 3- Travelling by ship is cheaper than travelling by plane. (expensive)
- 4- It isn't easy to solve the problem of overpopulation. (solution)
- 5- Has he planted any flowers in the garden? (been)

C- Reading Comprehension

5. Read and then write notes on the passage:

Senegal is a good place to visit if you like a warm climate- It has beautiful beaches, desert and some really interesting architecture. There are lots of things to do during the daytime. You can walk around the capital, Dakar, swim in the Atlantic Ocean. In the evening you can eat wonderful food and listen to West African music. You can go to Senegal any time of the year because the sun shines most of the time, but the best time to go is in November or December when it is not too hot.

- 1-Capital:
- 2-Senegal morning activities :
- 3- Best time to visit Senegal :

6. Read the following passage and then answer the questions:

In the 1880s and 1890s, many scientists worked to invent a way to send signals without using wires. In 1876, Graham Bell made the first telephone, in 1896, Marconi made the first radio transmission, A mobile phone is basically a small radio. A radio uses electricity to send a person's voice over a long distance. A voice that is sent by radio is called a signal. A radio signal travels very quickly. Only a few years ago, mobile telephones were very large. They needed large batteries. They had to be powerful to send their signal over long distances This was because most cities have only one antenna tower for mobile phones. Today's mobile phones are small and easy to use. nowadays, most cities have a lot of antenna towers, not just one. This means that each mobile phone only has to send its signal a short distance, so they don't need to be so powerful. Mobile phones today use small batteries. A large city, where lots of mobile phones are used, can have hundreds of towers.

A) Answer the following questions:

- 1-What is a signal?

- 2- Why do mobile phones use small batteries nowadays?
- 3- What do radios and mobile phones use to send signals?
- 4- How do mobile phones be powerful?

B) Choose the correct answer

- 5- Scientists tried to invent somethingusing wires.
a) with b) besides c) with the help of d) without
- 6- Marconi invented the radio years after inventing the telephone
a) 22 b)20 c) 15 d) 13
- 7- The underlined word "They" refers to
a) mobile phones b) radios c) telephones d) all of them

D- The Novel

7- A) Answer the following questions:

- 1-How did the police take their precautions before fighting the dangerous spiders?
- 2-Why would it be difficult to kill all the spiders?
- 3-Why did the rescue cars make slow progress?

B)Read the following quotation and then answer the questions below:

"Let's take a family photograph with your new camera."

- 1-How did Ayman get that new camera?
- 2-When did he first use that camera?
- 3-What happened to Ayman when he first used it?

C) Complete the following sentences:

- 1-Echinacea Negra is a.....
- 2-Wafaa Sultan feltas she was driving through the storm in Sinai.
- 3-Ayman was put in the intensive care when

E- Writing

8- Write a paragraph of five sentences about:

"What would you like to do after you finish school ?"

Guiding points:

Pass exams - join university - faculty of... - be ... - higher studies - computer courses - find a job

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F- Translation

9- A) Translate into Arabic:

You probably use a computer almost every day. Computers help us to communicate, they find facts and they solve problems. Unlike humans, a computer never gets tired and it never forgets any information.

B- Translate into English:

لمصر علاقات طيبة مع كل دول العالم مما يساعد على حل جميع المشكلات .

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Answers

A- Language Functions

1) Dialogue

- 1- Yes, certainly.
- 2- When will the plane arrive?
- 3- What's the flight number?
- 4- Yes, of course.

2) Mini-dialogue :

- 1- Let's go swimming.
- 2- What's wrong with you?
- 3- Did you enjoy the Film?
- 4- I don't think so.

B- Vocabulary &. Structure

3) Choose :

- | | |
|------------------|--------------------------|
| 1-a) proud | 2- d) physician |
| 3-d) accountant | 4)b) unless |
| 5- b) decreases | 6- c) consists |
| 7- b) heard | 8- c) protect |
| 9- c) are taught | 10- c) earns |
| 11-b) when | 12-b) selfish |
| 13- c) for | 14- d) would have helped |
| 15- c) a | 16- b) get on with |

4- Rewrite

1. That new Jacket belongs to Aya.
2. She never goes out on her own.
3. Travelling by ship isn't as expensive by plane.
4. It isn't easy to find a solution to the problem of overpopulation.
5. Have any flowers been planted in the garden?

C- Reading comprehension

5- Read and then write:

- 1- Dakar
- 2- walking around the capital and swimming.
- 3- in November or December.

6- Read the following :

1. A voice that is sent by radio.
2. because each mobile phone only has to send its signal a short distance.
3. They use electricity.
4. by using small batteries.
5. without
6. 20
7. mobile phones

D- The Novel

A)

- 1- They wore protective clothes made of strong plastic to avoid the spiders bites and took their equipment, such as chemical sprays and tanks of insecticides and colonel Mikhail asked for two ambulances and extra officers. The area was empty of people for their safety.
- 2- Because the spiders live in a large area underground.
- 3- Because there was a bad storm in Sinai, the road was narrow, stony and steep. The weather was very bad, there was dark clouds, heavy rain, thunder and lightning.

B)

- 1- Dr. Jones sent this camera to Ayman as, a "thank you" present.
- 2- When he saw the 7-legged female spider behind Lamia's shoulder and near her head and wanted to blind it with the camera's flashlight.
- 3- He was bitten for the second time by the 7- legged female spider.

C)

- 1- medicine for the bites of the black and yellow spiders and grew only in Sinai.
- 2- She was completely alone/ frightened.
- 3- He was bitten many times by small male spiders.

F- Translation

9) A- Translate into Arabic;

من المحتمل أن تستخدم الحاسب الآلي تقريبا كل يوم . وتساعدنا الحاسبات الآلية أيضا على الاتصال فهي تجد الحقائق وتحل المشاكل وعلى النقيض من الإنسان فأحاسب الآلي لا يشعر بالإرهاق ولا ينسى أي معلومات على الإطلاق .

B) Translate into English:.

Egypt has good ties/ relations with all world countries and this will help solve all problems.

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