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اسم الطالب:

ملحوظة مهمة: أجب عن الأسئلة الآتية جميعها وعددها (٣)؛ بحيث تكون إجابتك عن السؤال الأول على نموذج الإجابة (ورقة القارئ الضوئي)، وتكون إجابتك عن باقي الأسئلة على دفتر الإجابة، علماً أن عدد صفحات الامتحان (٥).

Question one:

اختر رمز الإجابة الصحيحة في كل فقرة مما يأتي، ثم ظلّل بشكل غامق الدائرة التي تشير إلى رمز الإجابة في نموذج الإجابة (ورقة القارئ الضوئي) فهو النموذج المعتمد (فقط) لاحتساب علامتك في هذا السؤال، علماً بأن عدد فقراته (٢٨)، وانتبه عند تظليل إجابتك أن رمز الإجابة (A) على ورقة الأسئلة يقابله (أ) على ورقة القارئ الضوئي، و(B) يقابله (ب)، و(C) يقابله (ج)، و(D) يقابله (د).

For items (1-28), choose the correct answer from A, B, C or D to complete each of the following sentences:

- Deforestation causes because tree roots are no longer in place to bind the earth together.
A) soil erosion B) ozone layer C) vehicle emissions D) toxic waste
- Nasser says he's worried about climate change, but he drives everywhere and goes on holiday by plane twice a year. He's
A) hypocritical B) dedicated C) passionate D) defensive
- Students need a at school to feel confident and active learners.
A) hand-to-mouth B) make ends meet
C) sense of belonging D) living day-to-day
- The jar's paper label came off in the dishwasher, but the glue remained on the glass.
A) sticky B) spiky C) silky D) squashy
- I need someone to take care of the children while I'm at work.
A) dependable B) fraud C) fake D) bizarre
- If someone says something....., it is not meant to be publicly reported.
A) go viral B) off the record C) attention span D) generate revenue
- My father told us to all the old bits of wood in the back yard.
A) get rid of B) switch off C) come across D) keep up with

- 8) My University is an internationally respected in education field.
A) institutionalise B) institution C) institutional D) institutionally
- 9) To find a solution, I think we need to look at the problem from a different
A) bright B) angle C) prove D) share
- 10) In fact, paper and envelope-based distance-learning courses are rarely found these days, and are considered
A) upgraded B) flattering C) obsolete D) embedded
- 11) During the celebration, I was embarrassed and felt like I'd really.....
A) relied on B) messed up C) splashed out D) paid off
- 12) When he gave the final line of the joke, nobody laughed.
The underlined part of the above sentence can be replaced with
A) played the lead B) delivered the punchline
C) cracked a few jokes D) was a must-watch
- 13) are types of animals in danger of extinction.
A) Greenhouse gases B) Endangered species C) Habitat loss D) Exhaust fumes
- 14) By 2050, software able to predict traffic jams.
A) will be B) would be C) would have been D) will have been
- 15) The company I work treats its employees well.
A) who B) which C) where D) whose
- 16) Fawzi regretted a second can of fizzy drink.
A) drinks B) drank C) drinking D) to drink
- 17) I would rather at home than go to a restaurant.
A) eat B) eats C) to eat D) eating
- 18) I was the only child and I bored at home on my own.
A) use to feel B) would feel C) will feel D) used to feel
- 19) moon shone down on Wadi Rum that night.
A) The / Ø B) Ø/ the C) The /the D) Ø/ Ø
- 20) I wish I her a nicer present – she looked a bit disappointed when I gave it to her.
A) had been bought B) bought C) have been bought D) had bought
- 21) The students were allowed to use internet in the school in the computer lab.
The underlined verb in the above sentence is used to indicate
A) permission B) prohibition C) advice D) obligation

22) "Where will you go after the lecture this afternoon?"

The correct reported speech form of the question above is

- A) Ahmad asked me where would you go after the lecture that afternoon?
- B) Ahmad asked me where I will go after the lecture that afternoon?
- C) Ahmad asked me where would I go after the lecture that afternoon.
- D) Ahmad asked me where I would go after the lecture that afternoon.

23) This picture by the same artist; the style is completely different.

- A) must have been painted
- B) can't have been painted
- C) couldn't have painted
- D) might have been painted

24) Some people claim that Wi-Fi signals are harmless to birds and insects.

The correct impersonal passive form of the sentence above is

- A) It is claimed that Wi-Fi signals are harmless to birds and insects.
- B) It was claimed that Wi-Fi signals are harmless to birds and insects.
- C) It is claimed that Wi-Fi signals were harmless to birds and insects.
- D) It was claimed that Wi-Fi signals were harmless to birds and insects.

25) Many cookies are secure., it should be possible to use the sites without accepting them.

- A) In spite of
- B) Whereas
- C) Although
- D) Nevertheless

26) If video games weren't so costly, I'd buy a new one every month.

This means that

- A) Video games were costly and I buy a new one every month.
- B) Video games are costly and I don't buy a new one every month.
- C) Video games aren't costly and I don't buy a new one every month.
- D) Video games weren't costly and I buy a new one every month.

27) It was not only the worst holiday we'd ever had, but also the most expensive!

The correct form of negative inversion of the above sentence is

- A) Not it only was the worst holiday we'd ever had, but also the most expensive!
- B) Not was only it the worst holiday we'd ever had, but also the most expensive!
- C) Not only it was the worst holiday we'd ever had, but also the most expensive!
- D) Not only was it the worst holiday we'd ever had, but also the most expensive!

28) So how can we resolve this problem? Is everyone happy with that?

The above questions indicate that the speaker is

- A) making suggestions
- B) making a final decision
- C) asking for clarification
- D) accepting a suggestion

عزيزي الطالب: أجب عن السؤالين (الثاني والثالث) على دفتر إجابتك، فهو المعتمد فقط لاحتساب علامتك في هذين السؤالين.

Question Two: (20 points)

A: Read the following article carefully, and then in your ANSWER BOOKLET answer all the questions that follow. Your answers should be based on the article. (16 points)

How could a young English woman with no scientific training possibly make contact with a group of wild chimpanzees? At first, the animals ran away as soon as they saw her. But maybe because she knew very little about these wild animals, it is highly likely that her calmness gained their trust. It was only later that Jane would learn how dangerous they could be. She saw that different groups of chimpanzees had battles in which they tried to wipe out the rival group. But before this, her studies showed her that the chimpanzees could clearly communicate, allowing them to groom and help each other, share food as well as have arguments. Jane pointed out that the animals couldn't communicate using language like people, but they could communicate by touch and sound. Amazingly, she also realised they could use sign language.

At this time, people believed that only humans could use tools, but Jane watched chimpanzees using sticks to take ants from a tree, and then used the sticks to feed the ants to their young. Through her work, Jane spelled out to the scientific community for the first time that animals, too, could use tools.

Jane went on to write a number of books about her work. As well as explaining chimpanzees' highly developed social behaviour, she taught us that they are omnivores (people used to think they were vegetarian). In 2002, she became a UN Messenger for Peace.

Since her work in Tanzania, naturalists have continued to study different forms of communication between animals such as whales and elephants, who can pick up sounds made by other whales and elephants over large distances. I feel that we may well learn even more about animal communication in the future.

- 1) Jane directed people's attention to three ways chimpanzees used to communicate with each other. Write down these three ways. (3 points)
- 2) Jane made important discoveries that changed scientific understanding about animals. Write down two of these discoveries. (4 points)
- 3) Find out a word in the article which means "to brush and clean fur". (2 points)
- 4) Write down the sentence which indicates the writer's belief that it is possible we will understand more about animal communication over time. (3 points)
- 5) What does the underlined pronoun "they" refer to? (2 points)
- 6) The author believes that humans might learn important lessons if they could talk to animals. Think of this statement and in two sentences write down your point of view. (2 points)

B: CULTURE SPOT: (2 points)

Read the following extract from "Not of an age, but for all time" and then answer the question after:

Shakespeare died over 400 years ago, but today his plays and sonnets are still studied by over half the students in the world. The playwright's influence is everywhere.

Let's have a quick look at modern culture. Shakespeare's plays have influenced the plots of famous novels like Aldous Huxley's *Brave New World* and films like *Ten Things I Hate About You*.

- Why does the writer mention famous novels and films?

C: LITERATURE SPOT: (2 points)

Read the following lines from “*Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening*” and then answer the question after:

*My little horse must think it queer
To stop without a farmhouse near
Between the woods and frozen lake
The darkest evening of the year.*

- How many syllables are in each line?

Question Three: (10 points)

FREE WRITING

In your ANSWER BOOKLET, write a composition on ONE of the following:

- 1) An essay about your dream house. Describe its location, the number of rooms, their arrangement, and the furniture in each room. Support your description with clear reasons for your choices and explain why this house would be ideal for you.
- 2) An article about an initiative in your school to support poor students at the beginning of the school year. Describe the initiative (its goals, activities, and how it helps poor students), expressing your opinion about its importance and impact on the school community.

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