

SECTION I: USE OF ENGLISH (2.5 points)

Read the following advertisement and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks. (1,25 points)

SUMMER SPORTS CAMP

Join our exciting Summer Sports Camp!

- Date: 1st July – 31st July
- Time: 8:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
- Location: City Sports Centre

This camp is perfect for students aged 5 to 16 years old. You can learn (1) _____ new sports such as volleyball and basketball. Our coaches (2) _____ you improve your skills. We will provide all the necessary equipment, and snacks will be (3) _____ during breaks. The camp is a great way to stay (4) _____ and make new friends during the summer.

Price: \$ 100 per week

For more information, please contact us (5) _____ 084008008 or visit our website at www.snurtscamp.com.

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| 1. A. a | B. Ø | C. the | D. an |
| 2. A. helps | B. helped | C. will help | D. is helping |
| 3. A. available | B. noisy | C. expensive | D. dangerous |
| 4. A. action | B. activity | C. actively | D. active |
| 5. A. for | B. on | C. during | D. at |

Part 2. Read the following leaflet and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the option that best fits each of the numbered blanks. (1,25 points)

TO GET FIT AND RELAX, START JOGGING!

Jogging is a great way to relax and stay fit. If you join a running club, you can (6) _____ a partner and enjoy his or her company while getting fit.

How to start:

- Wear Comfortable Shoes: Put on suitable shoes (7) _____ help you prevent injuries.
- Warm Up: Always start with a 5-minute warm-up.
- Start Slowly: Begin to jog slowly and (8) _____ deep breathing before increasing the pace.

Tips:

- Jog with friends that are at the same fitness level (9) _____ keep yourselves motivated.
- Set small (10) _____ and practice regularly to achieve them.
- Eat healthy food and have enough sleep.

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| 6. sign out | B. look for | C. set up | D. go on |
| 7. A. who | B. whom | C. whose | D. which |
| 8. A. pause | B. reduce | C. maintain | D. raise |
| 9. A. in case of | B. as to | C. because of | D. instead of |
| 10. A. goals | B. conditions | C. dreams | D. factors |

SECTION II: READING (3.25 points)

Part I. Read the following sign, notice or announcement and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the following questions. (0,75 point)

11. What does the sign say?	A. School ahead
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	B. Road work ahead C. Pedestrian crossing ahead D. Traffic lights ahead
12. What does the notice say? Remember to switch off the lights when you leave.	A. Keep the lights on until someone tells you otherwise. B. Leave the lights on for safely. C. Turn off the lights before you go. D. Only switch off the lights at night.
13. What does the announcement JOIN US FOR COMMUNITY DAY! Dale: Saturday. April 15th Time: 10 A.M. - 4 P.M. Location: City Square Food, games and fun for all!	A. The Community Day is on a weekday. B. The games and fun will go on until night. C. There is free food for children. D. All community members can join the games.

Part 2. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions. (1,25 points)

Since the end of the Second World War, technology has advanced rapidly. These advances in agriculture, transportation and industry have improved our way of life. Unfortunately, they have also damaged our environment.

The most obvious example of a useful technological advance is, of course, the car. Cars have changed the way we live and added to our convenience and comfort. They do, however, pollute the atmosphere. Steps are finally being taken to reduce the pollutants produced by cars. Now lead is being eliminated from gasoline and catalytic converters are installed in modern cars to remove pollutants produced by the engine.

Another example of a common product, of modern technology that contributes to environmental pollution is plastics. Plastics cause pollution when they are manufactured because a great deal of electricity is needed in their production. **They** are also difficult to dispose of because they will not break down and cannot be absorbed by the soil.

14. According to the passage, technological advances are not found in _____.

- A. industry B. transportation C. agriculture D. environment

15. What is NOT a benefit of modern technology?

- A. It has polluted our environment. B. It has made our life comfortable.
C. It has improved our life. D. It has brought convenience.

16. How many examples of modern technology are there in the text?

- A. 1 B. 2 C. 3. D. 4

17. What does the word **They** in paragraph 3 refer to?

- A. problems B. cars C. plastics D. advances

18. What is the best title for the passage?

- A. Types of pollution B. Benefits of modern technology
C. Technological advances D. Modern technology and its harmful effects

Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the best answer to each of the following questions. (1,25 points)

Healthy living is **crucial** for teenagers as it helps them grow, develop, and build habits that will last a lifetime. A balanced diet is the foundation of healthy living. Teens should eat plenty of fruits, vegetables, whole grain and lean proteins while avoiding too much junk food and sugary drinks. Regular physical activities is equally important, with at least 60 minutes of exercise recommended daily. This can include anything from sports like basketball or soccer to simple activities like walking or cycling.

In addition to diet and exercise, sleep plays a key role in maintaining health. Teenagers need about 8 to 10 hours of sleep each night to support their physical and mental growth. Lack of sleep can lead to poor concentration, irritability, and an **increased** risk of illness. Managing stress is another important factor. With the pressure of school friends, and social media, teens may feel overwhelmed. Practising mindfulness, taking break, and talking to someone they trust can help them manage stress more effectively.

By adopting these healthy habits - eating well, staying active, sleeping enough, and managing stress – teens can improve their own overall well-being and set the stage for a healthy adult life.

19. What is the main idea of the passage?

- A. Teenagers need to exercise for 60 minutes every day.
- B. Teens should avoid stress and eat only fruits and vegetables.
- C. Physical activities is more important than sleep for teenagers.
- D. Healthy living includes balanced nutrition, exercise, sleep, and stress management for teens.

20. The word **crucial** in paragraph 1 is CLOSEST in meaning to _____.

- A. essential B. dangerous C. optional D. exciting

21. The word **increased** in paragraph 2 is OPPOSITE in meaning to _____.

- A. improved B. reduced C. worsened D. removed

22. Which of the following is NOT TRUE according to the passage?

- A. Teens should eat a balanced diet that includes fruits and vegetables.
- B. Teenagers need around 8 to 10 hours of sleep every night.
- C. Teens should avoid junk food and sugary drinks.
- D. Stress has no impact on the health of teenagers.

23. From the passage, it can be inferred that _____.

- A. Teens don't need to manage stress if they sleep well
- B. Teenagers need more than 10 hours of sleep every night
- C. Lack of sleep can negatively affect a teenager's mood and health
- D. Teens can stay healthy by only exercising

SECTION HI: WRITING (4.25 points)

Part 1. Mark the letter A, B, C or D to indicate the best arrangement of utterances or sentences to make a meaningful exchange or text in each of the following questions. (1,25 points)

24.

- a. Luke: Hi, Anna! You look different today. Did you just have new glasses?
- b. Luke: Wow! They really suit you.
- c. Anna: Yes. I did. My mum bought them for my birthday.

- A. a-b-c B. a-c-b C. b-c-a D. c-a-b

25.

- a. Ben: I'm waiting for my sister as she's picking me up today.
- b. Ben: She's an engineer. How about your sister?
- c. Tom: Hey! What's up?
- d. Tom: Oh, what does she do?
- e. Tom: My sister is a computer programmer. She really loves her job.

- A. a-d-b-c-e B. c-a-d-b-e C. c-b-a-d-e D. c-a-e-d-b

26.

Dear Students,

- a. We are excited to update the latest information about our charity camp to support the homeless.
- b. Thank you for your dedication and we look forward to having you all in the camp.
- c. The camp will be in the middle of December and details about it will be informed later to teachers, students and staff.

d. Your support will help raise awareness and inspire others so if you register are interested in volunteering, register with your homeroom teachers.

e. For volunteers, we are happy to welcome students to help organize activities during the event.

Best regards,

Willow Valley School

A. a-c-e-d-b

B. a-c-d-b-e

C. a-b-d-e-c

D. a-b-c-d-e

27.

a. Firstly, you should ride bikes instead of using cars to reduce the amount of carbon footprint.

b. There are several things that you can do to solve serious environmental problems.

c. Public transport is also a good option for travelling longer distances at a cheaper price.

d. Finally, you need to turn off lights and electronic devices when you are not using them.

e. Secondly, trees take carbon dioxide and produce oxygen, so you should plant more trees for better air quality.

A. b-a-c-e-d

B. b-c-d-a-e

C. a-b-c-e-d

D. a-e-d-c-b

28.

a. Stress can occur when people have too much work or many problems to handle.

b. To feel better, people should talk to someone they trust to release the hard feelings, exercise or engage in activities they enjoy.

c. As a result, they might feel exhausted and get sick more easily.

d. Because of stress, they may feel worried most of the time and have trouble sleeping at night.

e. Another effective way is to join a mindfulness course to calm the mind.

A. a-c-d-e-b

B. a-c-b-e-d

C. a-d-e-b-c

D. a-d-c-b-e

Part 2. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word(s) in brackets. (1,0 point)

29. It took me 4 hours to read the first chapter of the book. (SPENT)

→ _____

30. We had the barbecue as planned in spite of the cold weather. (ALTHOUGH)

→ _____

31. Work hard or you will fail the coming exam. (IF)

→ _____

32. It was such an interesting TV series that I watched it all in two days. (SO ... THAT)

→ _____

Part 3. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, beginning with the given words. (1,0 point)

33. Mr. Brown's team has lost the game and he looks very sad.

→ Mr. Brown, whose _____

34. My sister started learning English 5 years ago.

→ My sister has _____

35. "You will be fined if you litter while walking along the coast", the guard said to us.

→ The guard told _____

36. No other players of the school team can play better than Peter.

→ Peter is the _____

Part 4. (1,0 point)

Your friend Paul has invited you to go to the cinema tomorrow, but you can't go. Write an e-mail to Paul (about 80 - 100 words). In your email, you should

- explain why you can't go
- invite Paul to do something with you another day.

(DO NOT write your name or your personal information.)