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GENERAL ENGLISH**

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TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

ملحوظات : ١ (أجب عن جميع أسئلة هذه الورقة) ٢. (للمتقدمين لجميع الفروع الأكاديمية).
٣ (عدد صفحات هذا الامتحان 4)

Our country has a high standard of education. This is mainly due to the fact that the government considers education a necessity. All schools, from kindergarten to secondary, are the responsibility of the Ministry of Education (MOE). Pre-school and kindergarten education is optional, followed by ten years of free, compulsory education. For higher education, students enter university, either for academic or vocational courses.

Students can attend one of ten public universities, or one of nineteen private universities. A large number of Jordanian students choose to study at these institutions, as well as foreign students from all over the world. These are undergraduates studying for a first degree, or postgraduates studying for a Master's degree, a PhD or a higher diploma.

The three universities with the most undergraduates are the University of Jordan in Amman, Yarmouk University in Irbid and Al Balqa Applied University in Salt. These are all public universities. An example of a newer university is the German-Jordanian University in Amman, which was set up in 2005 CE. It is a collaboration between the MOHE and Germany's Federal Ministry of Education and Research, and it follows Germany's model of education in Applied Sciences.

For students **who** wish to complete their university studies while working at the same time, it is also possible in some Jordanian universities to **enrol onto** online distance learning programmes. In the future, this option will become available in many other universities.

Question Number One:- (20 points)

A.

- 1- Ministry of education is responsible of two kinds of schools . write them down .
- 2- Students go to university for many purposes . write these purposes .
- 3- In Jordan there are two kinds of universities . write these kinds .
- 4- High education (university) has many stages . write these stages .
- 5- There is an example of private university in Jordan . write the name of this private university .
- 6- There are many examples of public universities . write down two examples.
- 7- What does the underlined word (**who**) refer to .
- 8- What do the underlined phrase (**enroll onto**) mean ?
- 9- Quote the sentence which indicates that students from all over the world study in Jordan's public universities .

Question Number Two : (15 points)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

(8 points)

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1. As part of the interview, we will be asking all candidates to..... a short task.
2. Ali broke the glass, but his mother didn't notice. He
3. Last night, I watched an interesting documentary about
4. how the ice age>
5. I've been thinking about a subject for my History project,
6. I usually add chocolate to the recipe when I make this cake,
7. but as I haven't got any today, I'm going to.....
8. We promise to..... immediately.

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1. English is studied subject.
2. studied subjects are Music and Art.
3. There are students studying Science as Maths.
4. Maths is popular than Science, but it popular than English.
5. Students don't like doing Music and Artthey like doing Maths.
6. Neither Maths nor Science are..... English.

B- Study the following sentence and answer the question that follows.

Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 points)

1. For centuries, mankind has preserved culture through storytelling.
2. A postman delivers your post.
3. I need to do some research before I start my project.

Replace the underlined words with the suitable gender and phrasal verb .

C. Choose the suitable item derived from those between brackets complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (4 points)

1. The graduation ceremony was a veryoccasion for everyone.

(memory / memorising / memorable)

2. Nuts contain useful..... such as oils and fats.

(nutrients / nutritious / nutrition)

Question Number Three (13 points)

A. Correct the verbs in brackets then write your answers down in your BOOKLET. (4 points)

1. I don't have much money . If only I more (**have**)
4. Do you mind why the sky sometimes looks red? (**explain**)
5. It is that the earth was flat. (**think**)
7. Our school has recently. (**be , close**)

B. Complete the following sentences so that the new sentence is similar in meaning to the one before it, then write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (9 points)

- 1- People say that the brain is like a computer.
the brain
- 2- Ibn Bassal invented an irrigation system .
An irrigation system
- 3- Where can I find the post office , please?
Could?
- 4- I am sorry that I didn't send the E-mail for you .
I wish ,.....
- 5- When does the manager leave the office ?
Could you tell me
- 6- Students say that English has many disturbing vocabularies .
English.....

Question Number Four (6 points)

A. Read the following situations and complete the sentences with the Third Conditional using the word in brackets. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (6 points)

Choose the correct answer for these questions .

- 1- You don't speak French,..... ?
(**don't you / you don't / do you**)
- 2- If you want to learn a new language, you motivated.
(**will be / are / were**)
- 3- Ziad is not very good at basketball. He wishes he..... taller!
(**is / were / was**)
- 4- I can't do this exercise. I wish I..... it.
(**understood / understand / understanding**)
- 5- Mr Haddad does not understand the Chinese businessman. If only he..... Chinese.
(**speak / spoke / had spoken**)
- 6- Jordan needs to import a lot of oil. If only it..... larger oil reserves.
(**has / had / had had**)

Question Number Five (9 points)

A. EDITING: (4 points)

Imagine you are an editor in the Jordan Times, you are asked to edit the following lines that have four mistakes (There are three grammar mistakes, one spelling mistake and one punctuation mistake). Find out these four mistakes and correct them. Write the correct answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

It is believe that when you learn a forein language ,it helping you to use the language much as you can. You should take every oppportunity to engaged in the conversation with a native speaker. reading English books , magazines also helps.

B. GUIDED WRITING: (5 points)

Read the following information bellow, and write two meaningful sentences about Characteristics of hardworking people

- listen to others .
- ask questions .
- offer help to others .
- learn from others' mistakes .

All the best