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GENERAL ENGLISH

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Question Number One (20 points)

Read the following text carefully, then in your ANSWER BOOKLET answer all the questions that follow. Your answer should be based on the text.

Sociologists have been looking into this question for hundreds of years. They have now begun to look at not just how people talk, but also how they think, asking whether the way we understand and remember experiences is influenced by language. As a result of these studies, they have come up with some interesting results.

A lot of research has been carried out on the relationships between mind, world and language. In one study, a psychologist points out that when describing an event, English speakers tend to mention the person who was responsible. Whereas English speakers might say, 'John broke the vase', Spanish or Japanese speakers would use a passive form. It is believed that such differences between languages have an effect on how their speakers understand events, and whether someone is blamed for an action or gets away with it.

In another study, speakers of English, Spanish and Japanese were asked to watch videos of two people popping balloons, breaking eggs and spilling drinks, either on purpose or accidentally. Later, when asked to **recall** the videos, the English speakers mentioned the person who did the action. The Spanish and Japanese mentioned the person responsible for intentional events, but left this out when they considered that event to be an accident.

Scientists at Newcastle University, UK, have carried out tests to prove that different cultures also have different ways of seeing colours. **They** found that in Japanese, for example, there are different words for light blue and dark blue which are not found in English. Native speakers of Japanese, therefore, made a clearer distinction between colours on the spectrum. Is it our language that has affected our way of thinking? Or has a difference in cultural habits affected both our thoughts and our language? Most likely, culture, thought and language have all **come about** together.

1. The writer states two effects of differences between languages. Write them down.
2. Replace the underlined phrasal verb "**gets away with**" with its correct meaning.
3. In one study, speakers of English, Spanish and Japanese were asked to watch videos of two people doing three activities. Mention two of these activities.
4. What does the underlined word **they** refer to?
5. Quote the sentence that shows the difference in the system of colours between English and Japanese.
6. When people communicate with each other, they don't usually speak in the same way. Suggest three factors that affect our way of speaking.
7. The culture of the speaker influences his language, thought and the way of speaking. Think of this statement and in two sentences write down your point of view.



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B. Literature Spot. (5 points)

Read the following extract from *Around the World in Eighty Days* carefully, and then answer the questions that follow:

Passepartout, who had now rejoined his master, made a wry grimace, as he thought of his magnificent, but too frail Indian shoes. After a moment's hesitation, he said, 'Monsieur, I think I have found a means of conveyance.'

1. What kind of facial expression is used to show that Passepartout is unhappy? (3 points)
2. What have they found as a means of conveyance? (2 points)

Question Number Two: (15 point)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given in the box to complete each of the following sentences. There are more words than you need. Write down the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (8 points)

get on	play it by ear	seminars	extraction	get over
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1. Lectures in universities usually ask the students to prepare a weekly
2. Petroleum engineers plan and manage the of oil.
3. We will until we get clear information of how we do it.
4. It took me a very long time to the shock of my father death.

B. Study the following sentences carefully and answer the question that follow. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 point)

1. My grandfather was a great Headmaster.

Replace the underlined word with the correct gender-neutral word.

2. I have a bad memory that sometimes I can't blame the names of my friends.

Replace the underlined word with the correct one.

C. Choose the answer from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(4 point)

1. The graduation ceremony was a very occasion for everyone. (memory)
2. The best way to acquire a language is the total in it. (immerse)

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Question Number Three (12 point)

A. Correct the verbs between brackets and Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(6 points)

1. I could get a better job if I (have) a university degree.
2. By 2025 CE, our public transport system (be/ change)
3. Unless you have a language degree, youable to become an interpreter.(not/be)

B. Complete each of the following items so that the new item has a similar meaning to the one before it, and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (9 points)

1. If you don't have good qualification, you will not get the job.(unless)
.....
2. Learning Arabic is more difficult than learning English.
Learning English isn't.....
3. People know that cars will pollute the environment.
Cars.....
4. Does she prefer taking up tennis or football?
Do you know.....

Question Number Four (8 point)

A. Study the following situations and give the appropriate advice by completing the sentences bellow each situation using the words in brackets.

1. I think you should send a text message to your manager. (were)
.....
2. You ought to get some work experience. (don't)
.....

B . Complete each of the following sentences by adding the correct question tag to the end of each of them. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET (3 points)

1. 1. Lightning will kill swimmers and the fish in the water,.....?
2.a good teacher, aren't I?
3. Everybody knows the truth,.....?

C. Study the following sentences carefully and answer the question that follows. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 point)

*Toleen worked hard, because of that, she took a gift.

What is the function of using because of that in the above sentence?



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Question Number Five (15points)

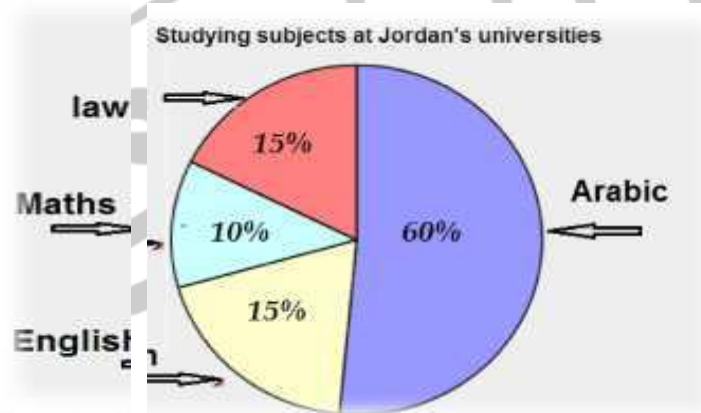
A. EDITING (4 points)

Imagine that you are an editor in the Jordan Times. You are asked to edit the following lines that have **one grammar mistake, two spelling mistakes and one punctuation mistake**. Find and correct them. Correct the mistakes and write the answers to your **ANSWER BOOKLET**.

I knew that the director had researched my business thoroughly before the meeting, so I am prepared for his detailed questions. When I began negotiating, I started with the important issues. The Chinese believe in avoiding conflict, It is always important to be patient.

B- GUIDED WRITING:(4 points)

Read the information in the table below, and then in your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write two sentences about studying subjects in Jordan's universities.



C. FREE WRITING (7 points)

In your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write a composition of about 120 words on **ONE** of the following:

1. You want to apply for the position of an engineer in regional company. Write a covering letter explaining your qualification, and mention the work experience that you had before
2. In our modern times, learning at least one foreign language has become a necessity. Describe the reasons why people need to speak a foreign language then mention three reasons making English a good choice for learners.



Question Number One

- A. 1. On how their speakers understand events, and whether someone is blamed for an action or gets away with it.
2. Not blamed for something
3. Popping balloons, breaking eggs and spilling drinks
4. Scientists
5. "They found that in Japanese, for example, there are different words for light blue and dark blue which are not found in English."
6.(open answer) 7. (open answer)

- B. 1. a wry grimace 2. An elephant

Question Number Two

- A. 1. seminars 2. extraction 3. play it by ear 4. get over
B. 1.head teacher 2. recall
C.1. . Immersion 2. memorable

Question Number Three

- A. 1. Had 2. will have been changed 3. will not be
B. 1. Unless you have good qualification, you will not get the job.
2. as difficult as learning Arabic.
3.are known to pollute the environment.
4.If she prefers taking up tennis or football?

Question Number Four

- A. 1. If I were you, I would send a text message to your manager.
2. Why don't you get some experience?
B. 1 wont it 2. طريقة عكسية I am 3.don't they
C. Result

Question Number Five

- A. 1. was prepared 2. negotiating 3. .It 4. Thoroughly

B- GUIDED WRITING

This diagram shows the percentage of studying subjects in Jordan's universities. The percentage of studying Arabic is the biggest and the percentage of maths is the least. It shows that the percentage of English is as much as the percentage of law.

C. open answer

Studio schools are pioneering schools which receive funding as well as support from private businesses, and which seek to encourage young people to undertake a less conventional form of secondary education. These schools often specialize in one specific area, whilst understanding that the same broad range of skills and qualifications should be made available to all young people.

One such school has recently opened to educate fourteen- to eighteen-year-olds who have a special interest in working in the space industry. Students follow a tailor-made curriculum at the school, including subjects such as Astronomy and Astrophysics. Lessons are a mixture of small-class tutorials, with projects supervised by leading companies in both the space and technology industries. Prominent scientists and engineers are brought in as guest lecturers. When students leave school, they will be well-placed to take any number of different career paths. 'They don't have to become astronauts!'

In England, almost 50% of school leavers go on to higher education. The figure has not always been as high as this. Twenty years ago, it was closer to 30%, and thirty years before that, it was only about 5%. Another huge change has been financial. Before 1998 CE, higher education in the UK was completely free for UK citizens. Since then, tuition fees have been introduced. Most students borrow this money from the government.

Despite the high cost, most students choose to study away from home. Of course for most young people, living away from home means borrowing even more money from the government. Most of them say that they want to move to the University their Choice, rather than the nearest one. Another strong motive is the desire to live in a new culture. Where do these students live? Many have rooms in halls of residence, especially in their first year; others rent flats or houses. Most of them need to learn to cook, do their own washing and manage their time and money.

1. Write down two changes that took place in the system of higher education in the UK.
2. Two types of lessons are presented to students at space schools, mention them.
3. Quote the sentence which gives the age range of students who can join Studio Schools.
4. British students choose to complete their higher education abroad for two reasons, what are they?
5. what does the underlined word "fees" mean?
6. what does the underlined word "one" refer to?

Critical thinking

1- It is expected that students who choose to study away from home will face many difficulties, suggest three difficulties that the students may face.

2- Studying abroad has many advantages and disadvantages. Think of this statement and in two sentences write down your point of view.

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B. Literature Spot. (5 points)

Read the following extract from A Green Cornfield carefully, and then answer the questions that follow:

The earth was green, the sky was blue
I saw and heard one sunny morn
A skylark hang between the two,
A singing speck above the corn;

1. What do you think the colours (green / blue / white) symbolise?
2. The poet uses many examples of alliteration. Find one example.

Question Number Two: (15 point)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given in the box to complete each of the following sentences. There are more words than you need. Write down the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (8 points)

take off, vocational, go ahead with, agreement, interpreter

- 1- I give the translation through the headphones to other people at the meeting, so I decided to work as an
- 2- your shoes when you get home.
- 3- Jordan signed a free trade with Egypt, Morocco and Tunisia in 2004 CE.
- 4- To be successful a plan , and do it .

B. Study the following sentences carefully and answer the question that follow. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 point)

1. We are investigating the story .we will discover what really happened.

Rewrite the above sentence by using suitable phrasal verbs.

C. Choose the answer from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(4 point)

1. In hot weather our bodies are in danger of (dehydrate)
2. Don't talk to the driver. He must..... . (concentration)

Question Number Three (12 point)

A. Correct the verbs between brackets and Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(6 points)

1. The teacher blamed me! I wish I my homework. (not / forget)
2. As long as you get an interview for a job, youto show that you have good listening skills.(need)
3. The course of the river two years ago to save more land for farmers. (divert)

B. Complete each of the following items so that the new item has a similar meaning to the one before it, and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (9 points)

1. Speaking a foreign language, **it** is claimed, improves the functionality of your brain in several different ways.

People

2. Who is in charge of these children? (responsible)

Who.....?

3. I am sorry that I didn't pay a lot of money.

I wish.....

Question Number Four (8 point)

A. Read the situations and complete the sentences with the third conditional, using the word in brackets.

1. Toleen got the job because she had much experience. (might not)

.....

2. The weather was terribly stormy, so we didn't go to the beach.(might)

.....

B . Complete each of the following sentences by adding the correct question tag to the end of each of them. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET (3 points)

1. My mother slept three hours ago,?

2. Operate the A.C, it is very hot here,.....?

3. Taleen has got high marks,?



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C. Study the following sentence and answer the question that follows. Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 points)

The following advice about preparing for exams was given by our teacher.

He should know-as he has taken many of them in his life.

What is the function of using the pronoun reference in the above sentence?

Question Number Five (15points)

A. EDITING (4 points)

Imagine that you are an editor in the Jordan Times. You are asked to edit the following lines that have **one grammar mistake, two spelling mistakes and one punctuation mistake**. Find and correct them. Correct the mistakes and write the answers to your **ANSWER BOOKLET**.

It is say that the best way to acquire a language is to immerse yourself in it, and that's what we offer at Extreme English? total immertion. You will stay in one of our beautiful apartments. You'll hear and speak English all day long. You can either join a small group of other students of a similar level, or request a 'tailer-made' course.

B- GUIDED WRITING:(4 points)

Read the information in the table below, and then in your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write two sentences about how to make a sales pitch.

How to make a sales pitch

-do your research

-be professional

-plane your presentation carefully

-invite question

C. FREE WRITING (7 points)

In your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write a composition of about 120 words on **ONE** of the following:

1. Write a letter applying for a job of an interpreter at one of the TV companies.

2. Last Summer holiday you worked in order to earn your pocket money. Write a letter to a pen-friend in England telling him/her about this experience and describing how it was of a great benefit to you.

(Your name is Nihad Ali. Your address is P.O Box 106, Amman ,Jordan)

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Answers: Question number one

- A. 1. a. The figure has not always been as high as this b. Another huge change has been financial
2. Astronomy and Astrophysics
3. "One such school has recently opened to educate fourteen- to eighteen-year-olds who have a special interest in working in the space industry."
4. a. Most of them say that they want to move to the University their Choice, rather than the nearest one. b. Another strong motive is the desire to live in a new culture.
5. cost or charges
6. university
- Critical thinking: open answer

B. Literature Spot.

1. Green: the freshness of nature\ Blue : the beauty of nature\ White : the purity of the butterfly.
2. Singing , speck.

Question Number Two:

- A. interpreter, take off, agreement, go ahead with
- B. looking into
- C. 1. dehydration 2. concentrate

Question Number Three

- A. 1. hadn't forgotten 2. will need 3. was diverted
- B. 1. people claim that speaking a foreign language improves the functionality of your brain in several different ways.
2. is responsible for these children
3. I had paid a lot of money.

Question Number Four

- A.1. Toleen might not have got the job if she hadn't had much experience.
2. If the weather hadn't been terribly stormy, we might have gone to the beach.
- B. 1. Didn't she 2. Will you 3. Hasn't she
- C. To link ideas

Question Number Five

- A. 1.said 2.immersion 3.tailor 4. : total

B- GUIDED WRITING:

There are many ways to make a sales pitch such as doing your research and being professional. In addition, there are other ways to make a sales pitch like planning your presentation carefully as well as inviting questions.

C. FREE WRITING (7 points) open answer

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

Question Number One (20 points)

Read the following text carefully, then in your ANSWER BOOKLET answer all the questions that follow. Your answer should be based on the text.

Speaking a foreign language, it is claimed, improves the functionality of your brain in several different ways. Learning new vocabulary and grammar rules provides the brain with beneficial 'exercise', which improves memory. As well as exercising the brain, it is thought that learning a new language also presents the brain with unique challenges. These include recognising different language systems and ways to communicate within these systems. These skills improve your chances of success in other problem-solving tasks as well. It is said that students who study foreign languages do better, on the whole, in general tests in maths, reading and vocabulary than students who have only mastered their mother tongue.

According to a study completed by Pennsylvania State University, USA, multilingual people are able to switch between two systems of speech, writing, and structure quite easily. It has been proved that they are also able to switch easily between completely different tasks. One experiment required participants to operate a driving simulator while carrying out separate tasks at the same time. The experiment showed that multilingual participants were less distracted by the other tasks and therefore made fewer driving errors.

It is believed that language learning can also improve your decision-making skills. When you speak a foreign language, you are constantly weighing up subtle differences in meaning of a word or the way that an utterance is made. This process is then transferred subconsciously to other situations in which judgment is called for, and decisions have to be made .

Finally, learning a foreign language can also improve your ability to use your mother tongue more effectively. As you become more aware of the way that a language works, you begin to apply it to the language that you use every day. The skills you obtain from learning a foreign language, therefore, can make you a better speaker and writer in your own language.

1. Learning a new language presents the brain with unique challenges. Write down two examples of such challenges.
2. Students who study foreign languages do better in some subjects in general tests.
3. Quote the sentence which indicate that learning a foreign language could affect the ability of your own language.
4. What does the underlined pronoun their refer to?
5. what is the function of the underlined linking word therefore?
6. Replace the underlined word or verb 'completed' with the correct phrasal verb.
7. After reading the text and learning from it, do you think there is a relationship between speaking more than one language and being clever in general?
8. The writer suggests many benefits of speaking more than one language. You are required to suggest three other benefits from your own brain.
Write down two of these subjects.

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

B. Literature Spot. (5 points)

Read the following extract from *Around the World in Eighty Days* carefully, and then answer the questions that follow:

And as I paused to hear his song
While *swift* the sunny moments slid,
Perhaps his mate sat listening long,
And listened longer than I did

1. There are two listeners for the skylark`s songs, what are they?
2. What is the rhyme scheme used in the poem?

Question Number Two: (15 point)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given in the box to complete each of the following sentences. There are more words than you need. Write down the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (8 points)

Beneficial	vocational	undergraduate	interpret	satisfaction
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1. My brother has just left school. Now he`s a university
2. My cousin is an electrician. Instead of going to university, he did a course at a local training college.
3. I get a feeling of After a hard day`s work.
4. It`s to take regular breaks when revising.
5. My uncle is fluent in several language. He is often able to for us during conversation with foreigners.

B. Study the following sentences carefully and answer the question that follow. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 point)

*I need to organise my time better. I think I`ll draw up a time table.

Replace the underlined word with a suitable definition.

C. Choose the answer from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(4 point)

1. No one denies that language has become important for anyone who wants to travel abroad. (proficient)
2. How quickly does bloodround the body?(circulation)

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

Question Number Three (12 point)

A. Correct the verbs between brackets and Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET.(6 points)

1. Our flat is very small. If only we..... in a big house. (live)
2. The athlete the first prize if he had trained better. (win)
3. By 2025 CE, our public transport system (be/ change)

B. Complete each of the following items so that the new item has a similar meaning to the one before it, and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (9 points)

1. They have just discovered some books that people wrote 200 years ago.
Some books that
2. Toleen should have consulted a doctor before taking that medicine.
Toleen wishes
3. Eating fruit is more important than taking vitamins.
Taking vitamins

Question Number Four (8 point)

A. Read the situations and complete the sentences with the first and third conditional, using the word in brackets.

1. I didn't prepare better for the competition, I didn't win the first prize. (might)
If
3. Unless he works hard, he will face problems.
If

B . Complete each of the following sentences by adding the correct question tag to the end of each of them. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET (3 points)

1. The students rarely arrive on time,?
2. stop making noise,.....?
3. I have to start my essay,..... ?

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

C. Study the following sentences carefully and answer the question that follows. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 point)

Their high academic achievements do suggest that the longer you study, the better you do in final exams.

How many syllables are there in the underlined word ?

Question Number Five (15points)

A. EDITING (4 points)

Imagine that you are an editor in the Jordan Times. You are asked to edit the following lines that have **one grammar mistake, two spelling mistakes and one punctuation mistake**. Find and correct them. Correct the mistakes and write the answers to your **ANSWER BOOKLET**.

Recently, the benefits of learning sign language are being promoted not only to deaf people, but also to those with normal hearing: In some schools, sing language is being offer as a foriegn language. Since, like all languages, sign language has a grammatical structure, it is now being recognized and taught as an optional foreign language.

B- GUIDED WRITING:(4 points)

Read the information in the table below, and then in your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write two sentences about The advantages of recycling waste materials.

The advantages of recycling waste materials
- save energy.
-protect natural resources.
- reduce pollution.

C. FREE WRITING:

Write about 80 words on ONE of the following. (7 points)

1. Write a magazine article about how we can deal with the stress of the final exams, giving advice to students who face this difficulty.
2. Introducing technology can be very beneficial to the productivity of traditional crafts. Write an essay about the role of technology in improving the products of traditional crafts to suite the changing requirements.

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

Answers :

Question number one.

- A. 1. These include recognising different language systems and ways to communicate within these systems.
2. in maths, reading and vocabulary
3." Finally, learning a foreign language can also improve your ability to use your mother tongue more effectively."
4.students 5. Result 6. Carried out 7+8 open answer

B. Literature Spot. 1. His mate/the poet 2. ab ab

Question Number Two:

- A. 1. undergraduate 2. Vocational 3. Satisfaction 4. Beneficial 5. Interpret

B. write a schedule

- C. 1.Proficiency 2. Circulate



Question Number Three

- A. lived B. would have won c. will have been changed
B. 1. **were written 200 years ago have just been discovered.**
2. **she had consulted a doctor before taking that medicine.**
3. **Taking vitamins is less important that eating fruit.**

Question Number Four

- A. 1. If I had prepared better for the competition, I might have won the prize.
2.If he doesn't work hard, he will face problem.
B. 1. Do they 2.will you 3. Don't I
c. four syllables

Question Number Five

- A. language 2. . In some 3. offered 4. foreign
B. There are many advantages of recycling waste materials such as saving energy and protecting natural recourses. In addition, it can reduce pollution too.
C. Open answer