

THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN-MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
GENERAL SECONDARY CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION-2018
GENERAL ENGLISH

الدورة الشتوية / المستوى الثالث النموذج الأول الاستاذ محمد الحارون

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

The King Hussein Cancer Center (KHCC) is Jordan's only comprehensive cancer treatment centre. It treats both adult and paediatric patients. As the population of the country increases, more and more families will rely on the hospital for cancer treatment. Patients come not only from Jordan but also from other countries in the region, as they are attracted by its excellent reputation, lower costs, and cultural and language similarities.

In order to cope with the increase in demand for treatment, the KHCC has begun an expansion programme. Building started in 2011 CE. The hospital will have more than doubled its capacity by 2016 CE, increasing space for new cancer cases from 3,500 per year to 9,000.

By then, they will have added 182 extra beds, along with bigger units for different departments, including radiotherapy. New adult and paediatric wards will have opened. Additionally, they will have built a special ten-floor outpatients' building, with an education centre which will include teaching rooms and a library.

Many cancer patients live far away from Amman, where the KHCC is located, and the journey to and from the hospital is often difficult. For this reason, there are plans to extend cancer care facilities to other parts of Jordan. In the near future, King Abdullah University Hospital in Irbid hopes to set up radiotherapy machines, so that cancer patients from northern Jordan will not have to go to Amman for radiotherapy treatment.

1. There are two **kinds of patients** can be treated in **KHCC**. Write down these two kinds. (4 points)
2. Quote the sentence which indicates that there are too many people in Jordan **depend on KHCC** for cancer treatment. (3 points)
3. **KHCC** is considered one of the most popular treatment centres in the Middle East for many **reasons**. Write down two reasons. (4 points)
4. The **educational center** that the hospital is going to build will have two main **facilities**. Write down these facilities. (4 points)
5. What do the underlined **phrasal verbs** mean? (4 points)
6. What does the underlined pronoun **it** refer to? (2 points)
7. Population increase will **affect Jordan's housing**, education and health facilities. **Suggest three tips** that the government should do to **cope with** this **increase** in population. (3 points)
8. The **reputation** of the Jordanian doctors **increases**. Think of this statement, and in **two sentences** write your **opinion**. (2 points)

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B: literature spot (6 points)

Read the following lines, from *I remember I remember* carefully, then answer the questions that follows:

I remember. I remember,
Where I used to swing
And thought the air must be rush and fresh
To swallows on the wing;
My spirit flew in the feathers then,
That is so heavy now

1. Find an example of onomatopoeia in the lines.
2. What is the name of the bird mentioned in the lines?
3. How does the poet contrast his memories of the past with the present day?

Question number two.

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

Obese, optimistic, reputation, polymath, revolutionize

1. The word means extremely **fat** in a way that is dangerous to your health.
2. One factor that influences health is an **Outlook** on life.
3. Ali's was **destroyed** when he was caught **stealing** some **money**.
4. Mr. Haroun is a **true** working in all kinds of **creative** and **scientific** fields.

B. study the following dictionary entry and answer the question that follows, then answer the question in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 points)

Doctors look at the signs of illness before decide how to treat the patient

***Replace** the underlined words with the correct meaning.

C. Choose the suitable words derived from the words in the options below and Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

1. His views on medicine are **more** _____ than those of some of his friends.
(conventionally, convention, conventional)
2. Parents **must** _____ their children after being exposed to any disease.
(immune ,immunize, immunisation)

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Question number three هذه الصفحة تدريبية تشمل اسئلة ضع دائرة

A. Choose the Correct Answer from the Multiple-Choice List.

1. Rakan doesn't feel so great, he**already**..... his driving test three times.
(had failed , has failed , have failed)
2. He **started** studying at **5 p.m.** It's **10 p.m.**, and he's **still** studying.
a. He had been studying since 5 p.m.
b. He has been studying since 5 p.m.
c. He has studied for 5 p.m.
3. He **was** really angry **because** he **for** more than half an hour.
(has been waiting , had been waiting , was waiting)
4. The workersthe company **by the end of the day**.
(will be leaving, will leave , will have left)
5. Wefor the **coming** yearly festival **for** at least three weeks.
(will prepare , will have prepared , will be preparing)
6. People have been using **smart phones** since **they****in** the early 2000s.
(have been invented, invented, were invented)
7. There **be** much pollution, **but** these days it is a global problem.
(isn't used to , wasn't used to, didn't use to)
8. Toleen **said** that she her project **the day before**.
(did , had done , does)
9. Describes an **object** that is **manufactured** by **humans**.
(Artificial , Sponsor, Fat)
10. The similar meaning of **Equipment** is:
(Limb, Prosthetic, Apparatus)
11. The need for more effective **urban**..... is evident when we consider modern day.
(planning, transport, growth)
12. He's **the man** **daughter** I met in Jordan.
(who , whose , which)
13. Tell me about the novel you're reading. Where does the story **take**?
(on , down, place)

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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.

1. The Olympic Games were held in **London** in 2012 CE.

London was

2. Ahmad Ben Baso **was** the architect of the tower. Ahmad Ben Baso **began** work in 184CE.

Ahmad Ben Baso,

3. Ali **intends to** finish his project tonight

Ali is.....

4. It's **possible** that Ali broke his phone.

Ali.....

5. When I was younger, I worked as a glass-blower. (**use to**)

When I was younger.....

Question number four

A. Study the following dictionary entry and answer the question that follows, then answer the question in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (3 points)

1. My mother used to buy my clothes but now I choose my own.

What's the function of using used to?.....

2. Some unskilled workers were appointed and, **conversely**, some skilled workers had been rejected.

* **Choose the correct function** for the underlined word:

(a. to indicate consequence. b. to express continuation, c. to express opposition)

B. The underlined words in the following sentences are not used correctly. Replace these words with the correct ones.

1. Don't phone me at **the** seven. I'll **have** dinner with my family.

2. I **am used to** go shopping in the local supermarket, but it closed two years ago, so now I have to drive into town to shop **where** it is crowded.

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C. The following sentences are in British English, rewrite them in American English.

1. ."Goodness, you have got very tall"

.....

2. Have you ever been to an aquarium?

.....

Question Number Five

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. (one grammar mistake, one punctuation mistake and two spelling mistakes). Find out these four mistakes and correct them. Write the correct answer down in your ANSWERBOOKLET.

Al-Kindi was a physicain, philosopher, mathematician, chemist, musician and astronomer – a true polymath. He made ground-breaking discoveries in many of these fields. but it is probably his work in arithmetic and geometry that has make him most famous

B. GUIDED WRITING (4 points)

Read the information below, and then in your ANSWER BOOKLET, write a brief biography using all the given notes below about The Giralda tower. Use the appropriate linking words.

The Girlada tower
location : Spain
date of construction : 1198 CE.
Height: 104 meters
the architect of the tower : Ahmad Ben Baso

C. C. FREE WRITING: (7 points)

In your ANSWER BOOKLET, write an essay\report of about 80 words on ONE of the following.

1. Most people nowadays don't go to the market to buy what they want; they rely more and more on online shopping. Write an essay in which you discuss the advantages and disadvantages of online shopping.

2. Write a report about health facilities in your area. Remember to include a title, and supply factual information. Write about 200 words.

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Answers

1. adult and paediatric

2.

"As the population of the country increases, more and more families will rely on the hospital for cancer treatment."

3. excellent reputation, lower costs, and cultural and language similarities. (any two of them)

4. teaching rooms and a library.

5. set up : establish / rely on: to have trust or confidence in something or someone

6. The King Hussein Cancer Center 7+8 open answer

B: literature spot

1. swing 2. Swallows 3. In the past, he was so happy but now he is sad

Question 2

A. 1. Obese, 2. optimistic, 3. reputation, 4. polymath

B. symptoms

C. 1. conventional 2. Immunize

Question number three

A. 1. has failed 2. He has been studying since 5 p.m. 3. had been waiting 4. will have left 5. will be preparing 6. were invented 7. didn't use to 8. had done 9. Artificial 10. Apparatus 11. Planning 12. whose 13. place

B.

1. London was the place where the Olympic Games were held in 2012 CE.

2. Ahmad Ben Baso, who was the architect of the tower, began work in 184 CE.

3. Ali is planning to finish his project tonight.

4. Ali might have broken his phone.

5. when I was younger, I used to work as a glass-blower.

Question number four

A. 1. To describe **past habits** that now have changed.

2. c. to express opposition

B. 1. x, will be having 2. used to, which

C. 1. "Gosh, you have gotten very tall"

2. Did you go to an aquarium yet?

Question number 5

A. 1. Physician 2. fields, but 3. discoveries 4. made

B. The Giralda tower, **which is located in** Spain, **was built in** 1198 CE. The Height of the tower is 104 meters tall and **the person who** designed it was Ahmad Ben Baso.