



**THE HASHIMATE KINGDOM OF JORDAN-MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
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GENERAL ENGLISH**

الدورة الشتوية/المستوى الثالث/الكتاب الجديد

DATE:

TIME: 1 HOUR AND HALF

1- أجب عن أسئلة هذه الورقة جميعها. 2- للمتقدمين للفروع الأكاديمية. 3- عدد الأسئلة: (5) و عدد الصفحات (4).

Ten-year-old Adeeb al-Balooshi, from Dubai, is going to travel to seven countries on a tour which has been organised and funded by Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammad, Crown Prince of Dubai. The boy caught Sheikh Hamdan's attention with his invention – a prosthetic limb for his father. The Sheikh has taken a special interest in the boy, and hopes the tour that he is sponsoring for Adeeb will give the young inventor more self-confidence and inspire other young Emirati inventors. Adeeb got the idea for a special kind of prosthetic leg while he was at the beach with his family. His father, who wears an artificial leg, could not swim in the sea as he could not risk getting his leg wet. This inspired Adeeb to invent a waterproof prosthetic leg.

Adeeb is going to visit the USA, France, the UK, Ireland, Belgium, Italy and Germany, where he will be staying with relatives. However, while he is in Germany, Adeeb will not be spending all his time sightseeing. He will be working with a specialist doctor to build the appendage. He will also be attending a course on prosthetics and learning about different kinds of medical apparatus.

Adeeb has invented several other devices, including a tiny cleaning robot and a heart monitor, which is attached to a car seat belt. In the case of an emergency, rescue services and the driver's family will be automatically connected with the driver through this special checking device. He has also invented a fireproof helmet. This special equipment, which has a built-in camera system, will help rescue workers in emergencies. It is for these reasons that Adeeb rightly deserves his reputation as one of the youngest inventors in the world.

Question Number One (21 points)

(2points)

- A.1. Adeeb will be staying with relatives in Germany to handle several works. Write down two of these works. **(4points)**
2. Sheikh Hamdan offered Adeeb a world tour for two reasons. Write these two reasons down. **(3points)**
3. Quote the sentence, which shows that one of Adeeb's inventions used in a car. **(2points)**
4. Find a suffix from the article which means "**to provide protection against**".
5. What does the underlined pronoun "**this**" refer to? **(2points)**
6. Heart monitor is a great invention for those who drive long distances. Think of this sentence, and write down three positive impacts of having one in cars. **(3points)**

7. Funding inventors and inventions comes with many benefits to the community.
Think of this statement and in two sentences write down your point of view.

(2points)

B. Literature spot: (3 points)

Read the following stanza about *All the world a stage* then answer the questions that follow.

...Into the lean and slippered pantaloon,
With spectacles on nose and pouch on side;
His youthful hose, well saved, a world too wide
For his shrunk shank, and his big manly voice,
Turning again toward childish treble, pipes
And whistles in his sound.

1. Find a line from the speech that represents ageing? (1points)
2. What does the underlined word "pantaloon" suggest? (2points)

Question Number Two: (15 points)

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

Headlines, access, sculpture, viable, tablets

1. My grandfather has to take a lot of medicine – he takes six different every day.
2. Another way of saying that something could be successful is to say it is
3. Techno criminals managed to use illegal programs topeople's confidential information.
4. is a solid piece of art, usually made of stone, metal or wood..

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

I was shocked when I heard the news it came completely unexpectedly.

Replace the underlined phrase with its colour idiom?

C. complete the following sentences with the suitable words derived from the words in brackets and write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (4points)

1. The KHCC has begun an programme in 2011 to increase spaces for new cancer patients .

(expand, expansion, expanded).

2. Who was the most writer of the twentieth century?

(influence, influential, influenced).

Question Number Three: (16points)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (10points)

1. Will it still this evening?

(be rain, be raining, rains)

2. She's only woman to have won two Nobel Prizes..

(an, x , the)

3. Ahmad: "I've lived in Amman for six years."

Ahmad said that he in Amman for six years.

(had lived, has lived, had been living)

4. he's the man daughter I met in Jordan.

(where, whose ,who)

5. If you computer games all day, you won't have time to study..

(will play, played, play)

B. Complete each of the following items so that the new item has a similar one to the one before it, and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (6points)

1. People use smartphones to communicate via the internet.

Smartphones

2. I stopped working at 11 p.m.

The time

3. It is normal for me now to get up in the morning to study.

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Question Number Four: (7 points)

A. the following words are written in two different dialects. Choose the correct dialect for each word "British or American English" and write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (4points)

1) Apartment 2) Lift 3) traveling 4) favourite

B. Study the following sentence and answer the question that follows. (3points)

Doing regular exercises is a great way to cope with stress; in addition, it helps you to keep healthy.

What is the function in the above sentence?

Question Number Five: (15 points)

A. EDITING (4POINTS)

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 answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

In the 1940s, technology has developed enough for inventors to make the first generation of modern computers, One such model was so large that it needed a room that was 167 square metres to accommodate it. During that decade, scientists in England developed the first combuter program.

B. GUIDED WRITING (4points)

Read the information below, and then in your ANSWER BOOKLET , write two sentences using the given notes about the disadvantages of the internet. Use the appropriate linking words.

Disadvantages of the internet
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Waste time playing games.• Hurt eyes due to looking at screens.• Less communicating with others.• Cyber crime is common nowadays on internet.

C. FREE WRITING (7points)

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

1. Health conditions in Jordan are among the best in the Middle East. Write an essay about health care facilities in your area, suggesting some ideas for improving these facilities.
2. Write a summary paragraph about someone from the past who made an important achievement. Write what it is that made them famous.

Question number one:

1. (2 points, 1 point each) any two of these suggestions

1) He will be working with a specialist doctor to build the appendage. 2) He will also be attending a course on prosthetics 3) learning about different kinds of medical apparatus.

2. (4points, 2 points each)

1) Will give the young inventor more self-confidence 2) inspire other young Emirati inventors.

3. Adeeb has invented several other devices, including a tiny cleaning robot and a heart monitor, which is attached to a car seat belt. **(3points)**

4. proof **(2 points)**

5. waterproof helmet **(2 points)**

6. Any relevant answer. **(3 points)**

7. Any relevant answer. **(2 points)**

B. literature spot: (3points)

1. His youthful hose, well saved, a world too wide

2. old man .

Question number two: (15points)

A. 1) tablets 2) viable 3) access 4) sculpture **(8points)**

B. out of the blue **(3points)**

C. 1. Expansion 2. influential **(4points)**

Question number three: (16points)

A.1) be raining 2) the 3) had lived 4) whose 5) play **(2points each)**

B. (6 points 2points each)

1. smartphones are used to communicate via the internet.

2. the time when I stopped working was 11 P.M.

3. I am used to getting up in the morning to study.

Question number four: (7points)

A. **(4points, 2points each)**

1) American 2) British 3) American 4) British.

B. addition **(2points)**

Question number five: (18points)

A. **(4points, 1point each)**

1) had developed 2) computers. 3) accommodate 4) computer.

B. GUIDED WRITING: (4points)

Marking scheme

Comprehensive information with appropriate linking words, without spelling mistakes.

C. (10points)

Open answer.