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ملحوظات: (1) أجب عن جميع أسئلة هذه الورقة

(2) للمتقدمين لجميع الفروع الأكاديمية

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

Jordan 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 GermanJordanian 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.

Question Number One (55 points)

1. The article states some public universities in Jordan. Write down two of these public universities. (8 points)
2. There are two types of university courses mentioned in the article. Write them down. (8 points)
3. Quote the sentence which shows the reason why Jordan has a high standard of education. (8 points)
4. Find a word in the text which means "someone who has not yet completed their first degree". (7 points)
5. What does the underlined word "which" refer to? (5 points)
6. It is possible in some Jordanian universities to enroll onto distance learning programs in the future. Suggest three advantages of distance learning. (9 points)

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7. The German-Jordanian University in Amman follows Germany's model of education in Applied Sciences. Suggest four reasons that make students come to universities in Jordan. (10 points)

Question Number Two (45 points)

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 the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET . (24 points)

Listen to , memory , postgraduate , make a start , vocational

1. Amer never forgets anything! He's got an amazing.....
2. The deadline is tomorrow, and you haven't done anything yet! You really must.....
3. My brother has just left school. Now he's a university.....
4. I try to give them advice but they never what I tell them

B) Study the following sentence, then answer the question below. Write the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (6 points)

Replace the collocation with the right one .

You look tired. Why don't you **make a difference**?

C) Choose the correct answer from those given in brackets to complete the following sentences and write down the answer in your ANSWER BOOKLET . (15 points)

1. My friend has a great ----- to learn sign languages.
(**ambition** , **ambitious** , **ambitiously**)
3. Despite of his ----- personality , all students like him.
(**dominance** , **dominant** , **dominate**)
2. Scholars have discovered andocument from the twelfth century.
(**origin** , **original** , **originally**)

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Question Number Three (40 points)

A) Choose the correct form of the verb from those given in brackets to complete each of the following sentences, then write your answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (15 points)

1. Do you mind me at this year so that we can see each other?
(**proposes** , **proposing** , **proposed**)
2. What does she like ?
Do you know what _____ ?
(**she likes** , **she liked** , **she does like**)
3. Will you try to give me the truth?
Could you tell me _____ to give me the truth ?
(**if you try will** , **if will try will** , **if you will try**)

B) Complete each of the following items so that the new item has a similar meaning to the one before it and write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET . (25 points)

1. Learning English isn't as difficult as learning Chinese.
Learning Chinese.....
2. Are the patients allowed to leave the hospital without doctor's permission?
Can you telling me.....
3. Neither Land phone and auto phone isn't as active as Mobile phone.
Mobile phone.....
4. How much time did your brother spend at school?
Can you tell me.....
5. Khalid doesn't earn as much money as Faris.
Faris
6. How many professional football teams are there?
Do you mind telling me

Question Number Four (20 points)

Choose the correct answer from those given in brackets to complete each of the following sentences, then write down your answers in your ANSWER BOOKLET . (20 points)

1. She did very well in her exams **as** she worked hard. The function of using the underlined expression is
(**showing consequence** , **showing cause** , **giving advice** , **explaining the reason**)
2. Our lawyer is going to draw the contract .
(**up** , **to** , **at** , **between**)
3. My toothaches. I think a dentist should **look at** it .
(**change** , **understand** , **examine** , **notice**)
4. It's important to drink a lot of water in order to avoid.....
(**concentration** , **dehydration** , **diet** , **beneficial**)

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Question Number Five (40 points)

A) EDITING . (12 points) Imagine that you are an editor in the Jordan Times . You are asked to edit the following lines which have four mistakes. Correct these mistakes and write the correct answers in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

Physical activity is very important, of course, especially when you are studying. Exercise will make a huge differance to the way you feel ? The physical activity will increased your heart rate and, in turn, that will increase your blood circolation. It also sends more oxygen to the brain, which makes you revise more efficiently!

B) GUIDED WRITING (12 points) Read the information in the table below about the internet of things , and then in your ANSWER BOOKLT ,write two sentences about them . Use the appropriate linking words you need .

Disadvantages of internet of things
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- affect people's health badly.- reduce people's dependence on themselves .- make people lose control over their things .- enable techno-criminals dominate people's staff

C) In your ANSWER BOOKLT , write a composition of about 120 words on one of the following. (16 points)

a. It's said that "Traditional crafts have no place in today's society" Write a report for your school magazine in which you discuss this statement about the importance of preserving such crafts and the best ways to achieve this goal .

b. Write two paragraphs about an art or cultural event that you have been to or have read about. The first paragraph should say what was good about it, and the second should contain any criticisms that you may have.

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