#### 2018 – 2019

#### PRACTICE ENGLISH EXAMINATION

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Twelfth Grade (Scientific & Literary)

**DATE: Thursday, 10/1/2019** 

**TOTAL:** /80

TIME: 2 HOURS

Read the following text carefully, and then in your ANSWER BOOKLET answer all the questions that follow. 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.

# **Question Number One (20 points)**

- 1. Many patients choose the King Hussein Cancer Centre (KHCC) for treatment. This is ascribed for many reasons. Write three reasons down. (3 points)
- 2. The KHCC treats two groups of people in terms of their age. Write them down. (4 points)
- 3. What does the underlined word "where" refer to?

(2 points)

- 4. Find a word in the text which means "the act of making something bigger". (3 points)
- 5. Quote the sentence which shows that more and more patients will depend on the KHCC due to the increasing population growth in Jordan. (3 points)
- 6. Many cancer patients cannot afford to be treated because of their poverty. Write down three ways to help these poor patients. (3 points)
- 7. Health conditions in Jordan are among the best in the Middle East. Think of this statement and, in two sentences, write down your point of view. (2 points)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given in the box to comple	ete the following
sentences. There are more words than you need.	(8 points)

setback,	migrai	ne	,	friendly,
frau	d,	coma	a	

- 2. It is possible for neuroscientists to communicate with some patients in a ......
- 4. 'Green' projects are environmentally + ......

# B. Replace the underlined misused colour idiom in the sentence below with the correct one to form the appropriate colour idiom. (2 points)

We were shocked when we heard the news. It came completely white elephant.

- C. Choose the suitable item from those given below to complete each of the following sentences. (6 points)
- 1. 'Etymology' is the study of the historical ...... of words. (origins, original, originate)
- 2. It is worth remembering that our immune systems can fight ...... and diseases on their own.

(infect, infectious, infections)

3. Many technologies rely on ...... intelligence and its applications. (artifice, artificial, artificially)

# **Question Number Three (12 points)**

- A. Choose the correct form of the verbs from those given below to complete each of the following sentences. (6 points)
  - 1. Five minutes from now, the boy ...... in the court. (will run, will be running, would run)
  - 2. It's cloudy! It ..... to rain. (was going, goes, is going)
  - 3. Yesterday, the man ...... the first prize in the Art competition. (is given, were given, was given)

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. (6 points)
1. The First Commonwealth Games were held in 1930 CE.  The event
2. I think you should redo your project.  If I
3. It is normal for the boy now to swim in the pool.  The boy
Question Number Four (14 points)
A. Choose the suitable item from those given to complete each of the following sentences.(10 points)
1. The stress in the following phonetic transcription for the word 'technology' / tek'nplədʒi / is based on the following syllable:
(tek, no, lə, dʒi)  2. Maher: "I did my assignment last night."  Maher said that he his assignment the previous night.  (did, has done, had done, does)
3. I didn't buy a dictionary myself. I had it
4. Samer live in the countryside, but now the matter changes. (wasn't used to, didn't use to, isn't used to, weren't used to)
<ul><li>5. Masdar City, began its development in 2006 CE, is a megaproject.</li><li>(that, who, where, which)</li></ul>
B. Study the following sentence and circle the best answer. (4 points)
<b>Whereas</b> , the more quickly and conveniently we communicate, the more likely it is that there will be misunderstandings.
The function of the underlined linking word 'Whereas' is:  (expressing addition, indicating opposition, indicating consequence)

#### **Question Number Five (18 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 underlined mistakes. Correct the mistakes and write the answers down <u>in your ANSWER BOOKLET</u>.

Fatima al-Fihri was the <u>daughtar</u> of a wealthy businessman. She <u>uses</u> her father's <u>inheretance</u> to build a learning centre in Fez <u>.</u> Morocco. This learning centre became Morocco's top university.

# **B. GUIDED WRITING** (4 points)

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

Name: The Giralda tower

Location: Seville, Spain.

**Date of construction:** 1184 CE.

**Description of the tower: -** over 104 metres tall

- based on the design of the Koutobia Mosque in Morocco.

# C. FREE WRITING (10 points)

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

- 1. a report about how to deal with natural disasters, like floods, earthquakes, ...etc.
- 2. a three-paragraph essay about the importance of tourism for Jordan.
- 3. an argumentative article about the Internet of things showing the opposing views.

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# MODEL ANSWERS

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#### **Question Number One (20 points)**

1 excellent reputation	n - lower costs	- cultural and language similarities	(3 points)
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2. - adult patients - paediatric patients (4 points)

3. Amman (2 points)

4. expansion (3 points)

5. "As the population of the country increases, more and more families will rely on the hospital for cancer treatment." (3 points)

6. OPEN ANSWER (3 points)

7. OPEN ANSWER (2 points)

#### **Question Number Two: (16 points)**

## A. (8 points)

1. migraine 2. coma 3. fraud 4. friendly

#### B. (2 points)

out of the blue

### C (6 points)

1. origins 2. infections 3. artificial

#### **Question Number Three (12 points)**

#### A. (6 points)

1. will be running 2. is going 3. was given

#### B. (6 points)

- 1. The event which / that took place in 1930 CE was the First Commonwealth Games.
- 2. If I were you, I would redo my project.
- 3. The boy is **now** used to swimming in the pool.

# **Question Number Four (14 points)**

# **A.** (10 points)

- 1. np
- 2. had done
- 3. bought
- 4. didn't use to
- 5. which

# B. (4 points)

indicating opposition

# **Question Number Five (18 points)**

#### A. EDITING

(4 points)

daughtar

► daughter

uses

▶used

inheretance

**▶** inheritance

**Fez. Morocco** ► Fez, Morocco

- **B.** Open Answer (4 points)
- C. Open Answer (10 points)

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