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TIME: 2 HOURS

ملحوظات: 1- اجب عن أسئلة هذه الورقة جميعها 2- للمتقدمين في الفروع المهنية 3- عدد الأسئلة (5) وعدد الصفحات (4)

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

Fatima Musa has worked as an interpreter for five years. She has always been fond of languages. Her father worked in many different countries when she was young and they usually travelled with him. When they visited a country, she always wanted to learn the language. At school she was very good at English. Therefore, she decided on a career as an interpreter.

It is not an easy job because English is not the same in all English-speaking countries. For example, the English words that are used in India are sometimes different to the words that people use in the UK, the USA or Australia. As well as knowing regional English, you also need to know a lot of specialist language. Some of the words that are used to talk about business, science or law, for example, make it almost a different language!

Provided that you have a postgraduate qualification, you will probably get a job as an interpreter quite quickly. If you get an interview for a job, you will need to show that you have good listening skills and a clear speaking voice. You will also need to show that you can think quickly and that you are able to concentrate for long periods of time. If you are successful, it is a secure and rewarding job.

It is a very responsible job. she was aware that if she translates things badly, it could affect an important law or trade agreement between countries.

Question number one (50 points)

A:

- 1- The article states that there are many reasons that made Fatima Musa decided to become an interpreter. Write down two of them. **(4 points)**
- 2- The text states that there are many difficulties for a job as interpreter. Mention two of these difficulties. **(4 points)**
- 3- The text shows that there are some skills you need to show in the interview to get a job as interpreter. Write down them. **(4 points)**
- 4- Quote the sentences which indicates the way in which you can become an interpreter fast. **(3 points)**
- 5- Find a word from the text which means "free from danger" **(3 points)**
- 6- what does the underlined word "it" refer to? **(2 points)**
- 7- It is thought that it is usual for people to change jobs in their lifetime. Suggest three reasons to there be for people to change their jobs? **(3 points)**
- 8- **Maya Angelou said "I've learned that making a living is not the same thing as making a life".** Think of this statement and in two sentences write your point of view. **(2 points)**

B:

You need to do your research to make sales pitch. It is essential to know everything about your product to make sales pitch. Do you know when it was developed, and where it is produced? You also need to know who the target market is – for example, the age group or income of the people who might buy it. Not only that, you should know all about the competition – that is, similar products on the market.

you should prepare and practice to make sales pitch .Plan your presentation carefully, not just what you will say, but how you will say it. Will you read it word by word, use notes or memorise it? Whatever you decide, it is always a good idea to have a list of your main points, in case something interrupts you, or you simply freeze with nerves (it happens!). Then practice it, if possible in front of colleagues. Make changes and practice it again.

The way in which you can be professional to make sales pitch is to Keep your presentation short and simple. Start with some friendly comments. For example, thank your hosts for allowing you to speak to them, and compliment their company. Remember to speak slowly and clearly. It is important to appear confident (even if you're nervous!). While you're speaking, don't keep your head down. Instead, look round the room and make eye contact with your audience. Smile! When you've finished speaking, invite questions. If you don't know the answers, don't pretend! Thank the questioner and promise to find out the answer (and do it!).

Finally, have a summary of your presentation ready to hand out at the end of the session.

- 1- The article states that there are many ways to do research to make sales pitch. Mention two of them. **(4 points)**
- 2- Mention two examples of the target market? **(4 points)**
- 3- There are many ways in which you say the presentation to make sales pitch. White them down? **(3 points)**
- 4- Quote the sentence which shows the reason to have a list of main points when you say the presentation? **(3 points)**
- 5- Find a word from the text which mean '**people who are identified as possible customers**' **(2 points)**
- 6- What does the underlined pronoun '**it**' refer to? **(3 points)**
- 7- There are many ways to be professional to make sales pitch. write four of them. **(4 points)**
- 8- You should have a summary of your presentation ready to hand out at the end of the session. Think of this statement and in two sentences write your point of view. **(2 points)**

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Question number two (33 points)

A) Choose the suitable item from those given in the box to complete each of the following sentences , then write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

(15 points)

make responsible artificially-created headphones footprint neutral

- 1- We burn carbon whenever we use oil, coal or gas. This is known as our carbon_____
- 2- Many megaprojects consist of cities, which will be built according to principles of sustainable living .
- 3- Be very careful when you answer the questions, and try not to a mistake
- 4- In order to work in finance, you need to be a veryperson.
- 5- I give the translation throughto other people at the meeting.

B . Complete the following sentences with the suitable words derived from the words in the words in brackets and write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

(15 points)

- 1-the surgeon performed anto remove some damaged lung tissue.
(operation operational operationally operate)
- 2- some drugs canyour ability to drive .
(influence influentially influential)
- 3- the city center isdestroyed on Sundays.
(practice practioner practical practically)
- 4-Another way of saying that something could beis to say it is viable.
(successful successfully success succeed)
- 5- The company is pleased with your work and is happy to give you a _____
(recommend recommendation recommended)

C . Study the following sentence and answer the questions that follows. Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

(3 points)

The person who is believed to be responsible for the design of the tower, **which was originally a minaret**, is the mathematician and astronomer Jabir ibn Aflah.

What is the function of using the non-defining relative clause in the above sentence?

Question number three (42 points)

A. Choose the correct form of the verbs from those given bellow to complete each of the following sentences and write your answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

(12 points)

- 1- Oh no! I've forgotten my library book. I wish Iit .
(didn't forgotten haven't forgotten forgot hadn't forgotten)
- 2- I want to go out this afternoon, but I don't feel well. If only Ia headache.
(didn't have hadn't had haven't had had)
- 3- Your new computera long time as long as you are careful with it.
(last will last would last would have lasted)
- 4- I regret going to bed late last night. I wish I earlier.
(had gone hadn't gone went didn't go)

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. (24points)

1- you shouldn't worry so much.

If I

2- The Olympic Games were held in London in 2012 CE.

The event

3- Samia regrets being angry at breakfast time.

If only

4- Sultan forgot to do his Science homework.

Sultan wishes

5- I like Geography most of all.

The subject

6- I stopped working at 11 p.m.

It

C) study the following dentence and answer the questions that follows. Write the answer down in yoyr ANSWER BOOKLETE.

(6 points)

Before you find a full-time job, **why don't you** consider doing voluntary work?

1- What is the function of using why don't you in the above sentence?

She worked hard; **consequently**, she did very well in her exams.

2- What is the function of using the underlined word in the above sentence?

Question number four (75 points)

A . Choose the suitable item from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (45 points)

1- I'd like to talk the film I've just seen; it was brilliant!

(in up around about)

2- How can I get work experience without getting a job first? This sentence shows

(puzzlement encouragement advice cause)

3- The year inPetra was made a World Heritage Site was 1985 CE.

(which where whose who)

4- I am tired . I wish Itoo late last night .

(didn't worked hadn't worked work was working)

5- You will not pass your exams you study hard.

(as long as unless provided that when)

6- Jamal might not have become a musician if his parents him.

(hadn't encouraged hasn't encouraged don't encourage didn't encourage)

7- It was the month of RamadanIbnSina died, in June 1037 CE.

(which where when who)

8- The walls and huge corner towers of the castle,was built at the beginning of the fourth century CE, are still standing.

(which that where when)

9- It was too hot to go to the beach yesterday. If only it cooler.

(had been hadn't been wasn't weren't)

10- Jordan needs to import a lot of oil. If only it _____ larger oil reserves.

(has had had had)

11- We were late the traffic.

(because of because because of that)

12- Your new computer will last a long time you are careful with it.

(as long as even if unless)

13- if Huda ill yesterday, she wouldn't have missed the exam.

(wasn't hadn't been hasn't been hadn't)

14- As you have a Geology degree, _____ do a course in Land Surveying and become a surveyor.

(you could why don't you if I were you ought to)

15- _____, I'd find out about training courses.

(you could why don't you if I were you ought to)

B . Read the following situation and rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (24 points)

1- It would be a good idea for you to make a list of questions. (could)

you

2- You ought to get some work experience. (don't)

why

3- I won't buy this car if it is expensive. (unless)

.....

4- I had a headache yesterday, and I didn't do well in the Maths test. (if, might)

.....

5- you had a brightly-coloured T-shirt on. That's how I noticed you in the crowd. (if, might not)

.....

6- The Sahara Desert is very hot. It's in Africa. (relative pronoun)

The Sahara Desert, _____

C . Complete the following mini-dialogues by giving advice. (6 points)

1.A: I would like to get a job as a teacher of English.

B: _____ study English at university?

2.A: I don't understand what we have to do for homework.

B: _____, I would ask the teacher.

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Question number five: (25 points)

A. EDITING (8 POINTS)

Imagine you are an editor in the Jordan times. You are asked to edit the following lines that have eight underlined mistakes . correct these mistakes and write the answers in your ANSWER BOOKELET.

Magaprojects are extremely large investment projects, where are design to encourage ekonomic growth and bring new benefits to cities, Although megaprojects vary in terms of size and cost, they were all, by definition, expensive, public projects that attract a high level of interest and media coverage.

Masdar City. which began its development in 2006 CE, will be the world's first carbon-nautral, zero- waste arteficially-created city.

B. GUIDE WRITING (8 points)

Read the information in the table below, and then write two sentences about Exports from the Eu to Jordan using the information in the box. use the appropriate linking words.

Exports from the EU to Jordan	
food and live animals	14.5 %
chemicals	18.6 %
machinery	37.8 %
Metals	7 %

C. FREE WRITING (9 POINTS)

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

1- Write about 80 words to describe your ideal job. Say how you will feel if you get it.

2- Choose or invent a product. Note down its good and bad qualities. Write a paragraph of 100 words about it, ending with your opinion.

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Answers

Question number one

- A) 1- 1- She has always been fond of languages.
2- Her father worked in many different countries when she was young and they usually travelled with him. When they visited a country, she always wanted to learn the language.
3- At school she was very good at English.
- 2- 1- English is not the same in all English-speaking countries.
2- knowing regional English,
3- you also need to know a lot of specialist language.
- 3- 1- you will need to show that you have good listening skills and a clear speaking voice
2- You will also need to show that you can think quickly
3- and that you are able to concentrate for long periods of time.
- 4- Provided that you have a postgraduate qualification, you will probably get a job as an interpreter quite quickly.
- 5- secure
- 6- a job as an interpreter or interpreter
- 7- - to get more money – to be nearer home – to get better environment – to get a new job direction
- 8- I think that it is true because 'making a life' is not totally dependent on the money you earn but it also depends on your friends and family
- B) 1- 1- Do you know when it was developed, 2- and where it is produced? 3- You also need to know who the target market is 4- you should know all about the competition – that is, similar products on the market.
- 2- 1- the age group 2- income of the people who might buy it.
- 3- 1- Will you read it word by word, 2- use notes 3- memorise it
- 4- Whatever you decide, it is always a good idea to have a list of your main points, in case something interrupts you, or you simply freeze with nerves (it happens!).
- 5- target market
- 6- presentation
- 7- 1- to Keep your presentation short and simple. 2- Start with some friendly comments 3- Remember to speak slowly and clearly 4- It is important to appear confident (even if you're nervous!). 5- While you're speaking, don't keep your head down 6- Smile 7- When you've finished speaking, invite questions.
- 8- I think that is true because people get and remember all information about the product easily such as phones numbers and some people arrive late

Question number two

- A) 1- footprint 2- artificially-created 3- make 4- responsible 5- headphones
- B) 1- operation 2- influence 3- practically 4- successful 5- recommendation
- C) to give additional information

Question number three

A) 1- hadn't forgotten 2- didn't have 3- will last 4- had gone

B) 1- were you, I wouldn't worry so much

2- that took place in London in 2012 CE was the Olympic Games

3- Samia hadn't been angry at breakfast time

4- he hadn't forgotten to do his science homework

5- that I like most of all is Geography

6- was 11 p.m when I stopped working

C) 1- giving advice or encouragement 2- showing result/consequence

Question number four

A) 1- about 2- puzzlement 3- which 4- hadn't worked 5- unless 6- hadn't encouraged 7- when 8- which 9- had been 10- had 11- because of 12- as long as 13- hadn't been 14- you could 15- if I were you

B) 1- could make a list of questions.

2- don't you get some work experience

3- I **will** buy this car unless it is expensive

4- if I hadn't had a headache yesterday, I might have done well in the Maths test

5- if you hadn't had a brightly-coloured T-shirt on, I might not have noticed you in the crowd.

6- which is in Africa, is very hot

C) 1- why don't you 2- if I were you

Question number five

A) Megaprojects which designed economic . Although are , which neutral artificially

B) The EU exported to Jordan 18.6% of chemicals and it exported 14.5% of food and live animals. واكتب جملة اخرى مشابهة.