

Question Number one:

Text A:

Despite the high cost, most students in the UK choose to study away from home. A recent survey of 17,000 students revealed that only 7% wanted to stay at home while they studied for their degree. Of course for most young people, living away from home mean borrowing even more money from the government. So why don't students choose to avoid debt by staying at home, where they don't have to pay rent? Most of them say that they want to move to the university of their choice, rather than the nearest one. Another strong motive is the desire to live in a new culture.

Where do these students live? Many have rooms in halls of residence, especially in their first year; others rent flats or houses. A lucky minority live in property that their parents have bought for them. Most of them need to learn to cook, do their own washing and manage their time and money.

1. The author suggests that students in the United Kingdom choose to study away from home for many reasons. Write two of these reasons.
2. The author states that students who choose to study away from home need to learn a lot of skills. Write two of these skills.
3. Find a word from the text that means "money you owe".
4. What does the underlined word "others" refer to?

Text B:

Ten-year-old Adeeb al-Balooshi, from Dubai, is going to travel to seven countries. The tour which has been organised and funded by Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammad, Crown Prince of Dubai. The boy got 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 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.

1. Quote the sentence which shows Adeeb al-Balooshi's age..
2. Sheikh Mohammed is interested in helping Adeeb al-Balooshi for two certain purposes, Write down two of these purposes.
3. The author says that Adeeb al-Balooshi invented several devices. Write three of these devices.
4. Find a word from the text that means " the common opinion that people have about someone or something".
5. What does the underlined word "he" refer to?

6. Replace the underlined misused verb "got" with the suitable one to make the correct collocation.

Critical thinking

1. Young inventors should be encouraged to show their abilities. Suggest three ways for encouraging them.
2. Many students choose to go on an exchange programme to study in another country. Think of this statement and in two sentences write down your point of view.

Literature spot:

Read the following lines from "The Green Cornfield" carefully, then answer the questions that follow:

The earth was green, the sky was blue

I saw and heard one sunny morn

A skylark hang between the two

A singing speck above the corn

1. Find an example of alliteration.
2. What does the word "speck" mean?

Question Number Two:

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.

regional, track record, symptoms, compromise,
equipment, immunisation

1. When each side changes their position a little so that they can agree, they have managed to
2. In the UK, there is a central government, but there are also councils around the country.
3. When you can prove that you have experience, you have a.....
4. If you don't feel well, you should describe your.....to the doctor.
5. Before the climbers go climbing, they'll go to a special shop to buy all thethat they need.

B. Choose the suitable items from those given below to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

1. Electric, driverless cars will as public transport vehicles. (operate, operatively, operation)
2. The picture was drawn by the artist. (skillfully, skillful, skill)

3. In our Maths exam, we have to write ouras well as the answers. (calculation, calculate, calculated)

4. There is a particular Bedouin style of weaving that buyers find very..... (attraction , attractive , attract)

C.Study the following sentences and answer the question that follows.

Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (6 points)

1. Luckily, the police arrived and the thief was caught out of the blue.

Replace the misused underlined colour idiom with the suitable colour idiom.

2. If you are polite, you won't earn offense or upset anyone.

Replace the underlined misused word to make the correct collocation.

Question Number Three

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

1.I wish she..... up late.

(didn't get, doesn't get, hasn't got, haven't got).

2.Jerash historical siteby hundreds of tourists every day.

(is visited, are visited, was visited, were visited)

3. Could you tell me where.....a nearest restaurant here?

(can I find, I can find, find I can, could I find)

4. Nour writing an essay all morning.

(have been, were, has been, are)

5. Students oftenan essay using information in Internet.

(write, writing, writes, is writing)

6. My mother.....buy my clothes, but now I choose my own.

(use to, used to, is used to, isn't used to)

7. London was the placethe Olympic games were held in 2012C.

(who, which, where, whose)

8. Most of passengers waiting at the airport at 8 o'clock tomorrow.

(have been, had been, will be, has been)

9. Water to ice when the temperature falls below zero.

(turn, turning, turned, turns)

10. We should always be polite we feel tired.

(when, unless, if, even if)

11. Can you translate this Arabic English for me, please? (into, on, at, about)

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. People believe that eating almonds reduces the risk of heart disease
Eating almonds
2. The electronic newspapers are not as acceptable as the ordinary ones.
The ordinary newspapers
3. How can I get to Queen Alia Airport by public transport?
Could you tell me
4. I regret living abroad for a long time.
I wish.....
5. Saleem left his wallet at home, so he wasn't able to purchase his necessary items.
If I hadn't
6. We always go to the market across the street, so it is normal for us to eat fresh vegetables.
We always go to the market across the street, so we

Question Number Four

A. Imagine that you are an editor in the Jordan Times. You are asked to edit the following lines which have the underlined four mistakes. Correct the mistakes and write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.

It has been prove that multilingual people are able to switch between two systems of speech, writing, and structure quite easily ? They are also able to switch easily between completely different tasks. One experiment required participants to operate a driving semulator while carrying out separate tasks at the same time.

Guided Writing:

B. Read the information in the table below, and then in your ANSWER BOOKLET write two sentences about how to revise for exams well. Use the appropriate linking words such as: also, too, and..... etc.

How to revise for exams well
- make a study schedule. - study in an appropriate setting. - keep a well – kept notebook. - learn the most important facts first.

FREE WRITING:

C. In your ANSWER BOOKLET, write a composition of about 100 words on ONE of the following:

1. You have read an advertisement in the Jordan Times magazine about the job of a researcher for a pharmaceutical company. Write a letter applying for the job, mentioning qualifications, your personal attributes, your degree and the reason for applying for this job. **Your name is Jehad Ali, Your address is P.O. Box 242, Amman, Jordan**
2. Learning a foreign language is very important and necessary nowadays . Write an article mentioning the reasons for learning a new language and the benefits that you can achieve inside and outside your country.

إجابات النموذج الأول

Question Number One

Text 1

1. They want to move to the university their choice, rather than the nearest one. Another strong motive is the desire to live in a new culture.
2. Most of them need to learn to cook, do their own washing and manage their time and money.
3. Financial
4. Students

Text 2

1. Ten-year-old Adeeb al-Balooshi, from Dubai, is going to travel to seven countries.
2. will give the young inventor more self-confidence and inspire other young Emirati inventors.
3. A waterproof prosthetic limb, a tiny cleaning robot , a heart monitor , a fireproof helmet
4. Reputation
5. Sheikh Hamdan bin Mohammad
6. Caught

Literature: singing speck / small thing

Question Number two

- A) compromise/ regional/ track record/ symptoms/ equipment
B) operate / skillfully/ calculation / attractive
C) red-handed/ cause

Question Number three:

- A) Didn't get/ is visited/ I can find/ has been/ write/ used to/ where/ will be/ turns/ even if/ into.
B) Is believed to reduce/ are more acceptable than the electronic ones/ how I can/ I hadn't lived/ left, could have been / are used to eating.

Question Number four:

Editing : proved/ multilingual/ . full stop / simulator