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**THE HASHEMITE KINGDOM OF JORDAN**

**MINISTRY OF EDUCATION**

**GENERAL SECONDARY CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION-2019**

**المستوى الثاني / GENERAL ENGLISH**

(وثيقة محمية/محدود)

**DATE: Saturday, 22<sup>nd</sup> of June, 2019**

**TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF**

٢- للمتقدمين في الفروع المهنية.

ملحوظات: ١- أجب عن أسئلة هذه الورقة جميعها.

٢- عدد الأسئلة: (٥)، وعدد الصفحات (٤).

**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.**

In Petra, Jordan, there lie the remains of a majestic city carved out of the desert rock. This city was the main area inhabited by the Nabateans, who migrated gradually from Arabia during the 6<sup>th</sup> century BCE. Originally, they were a nomadic people who chose to settle in various places, such as southern Jordan, the Naqap Desert and northern Arabia.

There is little known about the lifestyle of the Nabateans, except that they were important traders in the ancient world. They might have traded goods such as spices, gold and animals with civilisations such as China, India and Rome because of their convenient position at a commercial crossroads in the world.

Many Roman writers wrote about what the Nabatean culture must have been like, but no one knows for sure. However, they agree that the language of the Nabateans could have been a mixture of Arabic and Aramaic. These Roman writers also say that the Nabateans were ruled by a royal family, and that, unlike many cultures in the ancient world, the Nabateans society might not have used any slaves. In addition to that, the Nabateans must have been expert engineers because they managed to build complicated water conservation system in the desert terrain.

**Question Number One (23 points)**

- A. 1. The Nabateans chose to live in various places after emigrating from Arabia. Write down two of these places. **(4 points)**
2. What does the underlined word (they) refer to? **(3 points)**
3. Find a word in the text that means "cut out of solid wood or stone". **(2 points)**
4. The Nabateans might have traded certain goods with other civilisations. Write down three of these goods. **(3 points)**
5. What evidence is there to show that the Nabateans were excellent engineers? **(4 points)**
6. Why might the Nabateans have traded goods with China, India and Rome? **(4 points)**

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## PAGE TWO

**B. Extra Reading (3 points)**

Read the following paragraph which is taken from *Hard Times* carefully, then answer the questions that follow:

Coketown is an industrial city filled with large, smoking factories. In this gray place, Thomas Gradgrind has opened a school for the children of the factory workers. "They need facts, facts and more facts," he tells the teacher on a school visit.

- 1) Where has Mr Gradgrind opened a school? (1 point)
- 2) What do school children need according to Mr Gradgrind? (2 points)

**Question Number Two (16 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. (8 points)

oven , marinated , author , gestures , worldwide

- 1) If you write any kind of published material, you are an -----.
- 2) All our pizzas are baked in our special -----.
- 3) Sign language consists of ----- and finger spelling.
- 4) People ----- need to be careful with biofuel production.

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

(6 points)

- 1) Maha's dream of going abroad finally became a -----.  
(real , reality , realistic)
- 2) Students are ambitious to ----- close links with their teachers.  
(maintain , maintenance , maintained)
- 3) Most companies are now ----- on computer technology.  
(rely , reliant , reliance)

C. Study the following sentence and answer the question that follows. Write the answer down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (2 points)

A tsunami is a powerful and a destructive wind storm.

Replace the incorrect underlined word related to natural disasters with the correct one.

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**PAGE THREE****Question Number Three (14 points)**

**A. Choose the correct form of the verb from those given below to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.**

**(8 points)**

- 1) Does your father remember ----- school for the first time?  
(start , starting , to start)
- 2) The boys are hoping ----- medicine at the university.  
(study , studying , to study)
- 3) While Ali was reading a book, his brother ----- his mother.  
(is helping , was helping , were helping)
- 4) By the time that Noor arrived at the station, the train -----.  
(has left , have left , had left)

**B. Rewrite the following items using reported speech. Write the answers down in your ANSWER BOOKLET.**

**(6 points)**

- 1) "I'm having breakfast with my friends."  
Alia said that -----.
- 2) "When did Jordan start competing in the Olympics?"  
The teacher asked the children -----.
- 3) "Do you like horror films?"  
Lina asked me -----.

**Question Number Four (10 points)**

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

- 1) The girls' trip to Aqaba has been cancelled. I am almost sure that they ----- disappointed.  
(couldn't have been , must have been , might have been)
- 2) Basem ----- his teeth checked by a dentist yesterday.  
(have , has , had)
- 3) Experts are certain that the Romans ----- illiterate because there are some inscriptions that remain.  
(must have been , can't have been , could have been)
- 4) That day, my grandfather was celebrating his birthday. In the garden, the sun ----- and the birds were singing.  
(shine , was shining , were shining)
- 5) I'll call the painter today, I need to have the room -----.  
(paint , painting , painted)

**SEE PAGE FOUR...**

**PAGE FOUR****Question Number Five ( 7 points)****A. GUIDED WRITING (2 points)**

Read the information in the table below, and then in your **ANSWER BOOKLET**, write two sentences about how to protect the environment. Use the appropriate linking words.

How to protect the environment...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• conserve energy.</li><li>• leave your car at home.</li><li>• plant a tree.</li><li>• choose a greener way of cleaning clothes.</li></ul>

**B. FREE WRITING (5 points)**

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

1. The advantages and disadvantages of students doing part-time unskilled work while attending college or university.
2. Your favourite dish; how it is cooked and why it is special.

**THE END**

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صفحة رقم (١)



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## Model Answers / المستوى الثاني

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## Question Number One (23 points)

A. 1. (4 points, 2 points each) any two of the following:

- Southern Jordan - The Naqap Desert - Northern Arabia

2. Roman writers (3 points) Many Roman writers / writers

3. carved (2 points)

4. (3 points, 1 point each)

- spices - gold - animals

They ----- Rome.

5. they managed to build complicated water conservation system in the desert terrain. (4 points) In addition ----- terrain.

6. because of their convenient position at a commercial crossroads in the world.

They might ----- world. (4 points)

B. Extra Reading (3 points)

1) Coketown (1 point) Coketown ----- Factories.

2) They need facts (2 points)

They ----- Facts.  
visit.

## Question Number Two (16 points)

A. (8 points, 2 points each)

1) author 2) oven 3) gestures 4) worldwide

B. (6 points, 2 points each)

1) reality 2) maintain 3) reliant

C. tornado (2 points)

## Question Number Three (14 points)

A. (8 points, 2 points each)

1) starting 2) to study 3) was helping 4) had left

B. (6 points, 2 points each)

1) Alia said that she was having breakfast with her friends.2) The teacher asked the children when Jordan started competing in the Olympics.3) Lina asked me if I liked horror films. had started

**Question Number Four (10 points, 2 points each)**

1) must have been 2) had 3) can't have been 4) was shining 5) is painted

**Question Number Five (7 points)****A. GUIDED WRITING: (2 points)**

Marking Scheme :

2	comprehensive information with appropriate linking words, without spelling mistakes
1	acceptable level of communicating the ideas with some grammatical and spelling mistakes
0	miscommunication of the ideas, a lot of grammatical and spelling mistakes

**B. FREE WRITING: (5 points)**

Open answer

**THE END**

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(A)

السؤال الأول

١- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة (Originally) إلى آخر الجملة  
(Northern Arabia)  
يُعطى علامةً كاملةً

٢- Many Roman writers أو writers ← علامة كاملة -

٣- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة (They might) إلى كلمة (India and Rome)  
يُعطى علامةً كاملةً

٤- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة (In addition) إلى آخر الجملة يُعطى  
علامةً كاملةً.

٥- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة (They might) إلى نهاية الفقرة  
(In the world) يُعطى علامةً كاملةً.

### Extra Reading (B)

١- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة  
(Coketown) إلى (Smoking factories)  
يُعطى علامةً كاملةً.

٢- إذا بدأ الطالب من كلمة (They need) إلى آخر الجملة (visit)  
facts  
يُعطى علامةً كاملةً.

(B)

- السؤال الثالث :
- إذا أخطأ الطالب في أحد الضميرين يُعطى علامةً واحدةً.
  - إذا أخطأ الطالب انفس (had started) يُعطى علامةً كاملةً.
  - إذا أخطأ الطالب في الضمير يُعطى علامةً واحدةً.
  - إذا لم تستم التحويل من موقع الأوائيل التعليمي

إذا كتب الطالب العجلة دون مراعاة الترتيب الصحيح ← خطأ

\* إذا أخطأ الطالب في تحويل العُضْرين ← خطأ

\* عدم وجود الفاعل في بداية العجلة عند التحويل ← علامة راحة

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