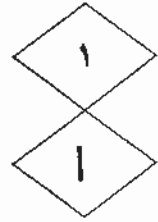


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GENERAL ENGLISH

الدورة الصيفية / كليات المجتمع

(وثيقة محمية/محدود)

DATE: Saturday 14th of July, 2018

TIME: 1 HOUR AND A HALF

٢- للمتقدمين في الفروع المهنية (مسار كليات المجتمع).

ملحوظات: ١- أجب عن أسئلة هذه الورقة جميعها.
٣- عدد الأسئلة: (٥)، وعدد الصفحات: (٣).

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

It's normal to feel a bit blue from time to time. However, studies show that negative emotions can harm the body.

Anger can also have harmful effects on health. When you see red, your blood pressure is raised and you can suffer from headaches, sleep problems and digestive problems. However, what about positive feelings and attitudes? Until recently, scientists had not investigated whether there is a link between positive feelings and good health. Researchers found that positivity reduced the risk of heart disease.

The research showed that children who were more able to stay focused on a task, and who had a more positive attitude to life at age seven, were usually in better health 30 years later.

Some health professionals believe that bad lifestyle choices, such as smoking or lack of exercise, are the reason for heart disease and other illnesses, and not an individual's attitude.

The researchers appreciate that not everyone's personal circumstances and environment make it possible to live without worry. However, they believe that if we teach children to develop positive thinking, and to "bounce back" after a setback, these qualities will improve their overall health in the future.

Question Number One (15 points)

- 1- Two bad lifestyles are mentioned in the text. Write them down. (4 points)
- 2- Write down the sentence which indicates that positivity can decrease the effect of certain diseases. (3 points)
- 3- Find a phrasal verb in the text that means (to feel sad). (2 points)
- 4- The underlined word (who) refers to. (2 points)
- 5- There are many possible effects of anger on someone's health. Write down two of these effects. (2 points)
- 6- There are two qualities that will improve the children's health in the future. Write them down. (2 points)

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Question Number Two (10 points)

A. Choose the suitable item from those given below 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)

track record , geometry , ailments , satisfaction , interpreter

1. Headaches and colds are common ----- especially in winter.
2. I get a feeling of ----- after a hard day's work.
3. When you can prove that you have experience, you have a -----.
4. We learn about shapes, lines and angles when we study -----.

B. Choose the suitable item from those given below to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (2 points)

1. The company gave Mr. Marwan a glowing -----.
(recommend , recommendation , recommendable)
2. Trees absorb carbon dioxide and ----- oxygen.
(produce , production , productive)

Question Number Three (8 points)

A. Choose the correct form of the verb from those given to complete each of the following sentences and write it down in your ANSWER BOOKLET. (4 points)

1. Ice cream ----- when it gets warm.
(melt , melts , melted)
2. Hind ----- very hard for several weeks before she did her final exams.
(had been working , work , works)

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. (4 points)

1. Oh no! I've forgotten my library book .
I wish -----.
2. The heat made the journey unpleasant.
It was -----.

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PAGE THREE**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. Show me the road ----- leads to the railway station.
(who , which , when)
2. When you were younger , did you ----- play in the park?
(use to , are used to , is used to)
3. You can't go for a vacation ----- you save some money.
(unless , if , provided that)
4. Our team didn't play very well yesterday. If only they ----- better.
(play , hadn't played , had played)
5. I will go to the restaurant ----- I can have a good meal.
(who , which , where)

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 using all the given notes about how to become an ideal student. Use the appropriate linking words.

How to become an ideal student...
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• be prepared.• get organized.• pay attention.• avoid distractions in class.

B. FREE WRITING (5 points)

In your ANSWER BOOKLET, write a composition of about 80 words on ONE of the following:

1. Describe a particularly interesting journey you once made. Explain why you made this journey and mention the different stages of the journey.
2. Many people think that all students should be required to learn a foreign language before graduating from high school. Write an article discussing the importance of learning a foreign language and mention its advantages.

THE END



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Question Number One (15 points)

- (4 points, 2 points each)
 - smoking
 - lack of exercise
- Researchers found that positivity reduced the risk of heart disease. (3 points)
- feel a bit blue (2 points)
- children (2 points)
- (2 points, 1 point each) Any two of the following:
 - blood pressure is raised
 - you can suffer from headaches
 - sleep problems
 - digestive problems
- (2 points, 1 point each)
 - teach children to develop positive thinking
 - to "bounce back" after a setback

Question Number Two (10 points)

- A. (8 points, 2 points each)**
1) ailments 2) satisfaction 3) track record 4) geometry
- B. (2 points, 1 point each)**
1) recommendation 2) produce

Question Number Three (8 points)

- A. (4 points, 2 points each)**
1) melts 2) had been working
- B. (4 points, 2 points each)**
1) I wish I had not forgotten my library book.
2) It was the heat that made the journey unpleasant.

Question Number Four (10 points, 2 points each)

- 1) which 2) use to 3) unless 4) had played 5) where

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