

**(Total: 560 Marks)**

**I- Vocabulary ( 100 Marks)**

100

**A) From a, b, c and d, choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences: (5 X 10 = 50 Marks)**

- 1- For this competition, we need people from a wide range of .....
- a) aborigines      b) disciplines      c) cardamoms      d) adjustments
- 2- I missed my appointment and I have to ..... a new one for next week.
- a) reschedule      b) reminisce      c) enhance      d) bin
- 3- They ..... quietly in the corner of the room as the lecture already started.
- a) hired      b) acquired      c) enclosed      d) conversed
- 4- Our government fought ..... among old people by spreading learning centers all around districts.
- a) illiteracy      b) clan      c) autograph      d) agenda
- 5- She is a/an ..... person. You can count on her to do her part of the project.
- a) irritated      b) reliable      c) annual      d) financial

**B) Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below:**

**(5 X 10 = 50 Marks)**

**wearied – intricate - cultivated - mainly – refilled – beforehand**

- 6- She taught her daughter the ..... art of weaving grass baskets.
- 7- I knew we would meet this afternoon because he had informed me .....
- 8- All farm workers felt very ..... after a very long day of hard work.
- 9- Coffee is widely ..... because it is used in coffee shops all over the world.
- 10- My swimming pool needs maintenance, so I'll have it cleaned and ..... with clean water.

**II- Grammar (60 Marks)**

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**A) From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer that best completes each of the following sentences: (4 X 10 = 40 Marks)**

- 11- He never ate raw food before he ..... Sushi.  
 a) has eaten                      b) had eaten                      c) is eating                      d) was eating
- 12- I saw neither your parents ..... your cousins at the party yesterday.  
 a) nor                      b) or                      c) and                      d) also
- 13- The family have stayed in this old house ..... the last 50 years.  
 a) just                      b) since                      c) yet                      d) for
- 14- The boy fell from the first floor, but fortunately we ..... rescue him.  
 a) managed to                      b) can                      c) weren't able to                      d) can't

**B) Do as shown between brackets: (4x5 = 20 Marks)**

- 15- She was a good swimmer. She didn't survive for one hour in the rough sea.  
 (Join using: in spite of)  
 .....
- 16- If you had got up early,..... (Complete)  
 .....
- 17- He speaks English fluently after living in England,.....?  
 (Add a question tag)
- 18- Our football team played well yesterday. (extremely)  
 (Put the intensifier in the correct place)  
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**III-Language Functions (40 Marks)**

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**Write what you would say in the following situations: (4X 10 = 40 Marks)**

19- Your mother doesn't know how to operate the new washing machine.

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20- Your friend suggested that you reach the speed of 250k/h in your sports car.

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21- The teacher asked you which way you choose to do the project, alone or in groups.

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22- Your sister says that learning French is better than learning the English language.

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**IV- Set Book (40 Marks)**

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**Answer ONLY FOUR of the following questions: (4x10 = 40 Marks)**

23- From your own point of view, how can festivals benefit our society in Kuwait?

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24- What other benefits can one get from joining family celebrations besides having fun?

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25- If you are asked to suggest a place for friends get together, where would you suggest and why?

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26- Why do some people consider face to face communication better than sending messages?

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27- How did writing develop overtime?

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**V- Writing (120 Marks)**

120

**Write on the following topic:**

**Mobile phones have become a necessity for people of miscellaneous ages and occupations. Your mobile phone broke down recently and the shop you bought it from refuses repairing it.**

**Plan and write an e-mail of 14 sentences (160 words) to the manufacturing company describing your experience with the phone- including positive and negative remarks- and how the shop reacted to your complaint.**

**Outline (20 Marks)**

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**Introduction:**.....

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**Body:**

**Paragraph 1:** .....

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**Paragraph 2:** .....

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**Conclusion:**.....

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**VI- Reading Comprehension (110 Marks)**

110

**Read the following passage carefully, then answer the questions below:**

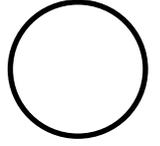
Doctors say that there are several kinds of headaches. Each kind begins in a different place and needs different treatment. Some of these headaches start with a change in vision or sight. The person sees wavy lines, black dot, or white spots in front of the eyes. This is a warning that a headache is coming. The headache occurs on only one side of the head. The vision is blurred and the person may vomit from the pain. These headaches are called the migraine headaches. They are more frequent in women than men. Sleep is the best cure for **them**.

Cluster headaches, which also start in the arteries, are called cluster headaches because they come in clusters or groups. A cluster headache lasts only for two hours and then goes away. At the beginning of the cluster headache, the eyes become red and watery. There is a steady pain in the head. Men have more cluster headaches than women do.

The muscle headache, which starts in the muscles in the neck or forehead, is caused by tension. When the person becomes nervous about something, or has problems at work, or at school, or at home, the neck and head muscles become **tense** and the headache starts. A muscle headache usually starts in the morning and gets worse as the hours pass. There is a steady pain, pressure and a bursting feeling. Usually, aspirin doesn't help a muscle very much.

How do doctors treat headaches? If a person has frequent headaches, the doctor first has to decide what kind they are. Medicine can help, but there are other ways to treat them. The doctor asks the patient to analyze his or her daily living patterns. A change in diet, or an increase in exercise might stop the headaches. If the patient realizes that difficulties at home, or at work, or at school are causing the tension, it might be possible to make changes and decrease these problems. Psychological problems and even medicine for another physical problem can cause headache. The doctor has to discuss and analyze all these patterns of the patient's life. A headache can be also a signal of a more serious problem. So, patients should realize that there is no magic cure for headaches, but doctors can control most of them.

**From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer: (5x10 = 50 Marks)**



28- The best title for this passage is:

- a- Dangerous and Fatal Headaches
- b- Researches about Headaches
- c- Experimented Cures and Treatments
- d- Headaches: Types and Treatments

29- The underlined word “**tense**” in paragraph 3 is the OPPOSITE of:

- a- relaxed
- b- visible
- c- legible
- d- incredible

30- What does the underlined word “**them**” in paragraph 1 refer to?

- a- men
- b- migraine headaches
- c- women
- d- white spots

31- The author’s primary purpose in writing this passage is to:

- a- explain to the reader the importance of taking medicine.
- b- change patients’ habits when dealing with their illnesses.
- c- advise people not to neglect their mental and physical health.
- d- spread awareness concerning headaches, their causes and cures.

32- According to the passage, all the following statements are **FALSE EXCEPT:**

- a- migraine headaches affect the eye sight first.
- b- migraine headaches cause long term eye problems.
- c- men suffer from migraine headaches more than women.
- d- suitable drug is enough to treat migraine headaches .

**Answer the following questions: (4x15 = 60 Marks)**

33- What are the physical symptoms of cluster headache?

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34- How might patients stop their headache other than having drugs?

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35- What is the main cause of muscle headache?

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36- Why isn't there a magical cure for headache?

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**VII- Summary Making (60 Marks)**

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**Read the following passage, then do as required:**

Illegal immigration is a big problem for some countries. To prevent it, certain measurements can be applied. Creating more job opportunities in the immigrants' home countries is a good way. If migrants can find jobs at home they will have no reason to immigrate. Also people need to be warned against illegal immigration before they leave their home countries. If more people are aware about the risks, maybe fewer will break the law. Setting penalties to illegal immigration is also important. The immigrants, though, are not the only ones who need to be punished. Smugglers, who transport immigrants into a country illegally need to be punished too. Finally, provide a way for immigrants to return to their home countries. To apply this solution, governments could establish phone numbers where immigrants can call for help in returning to their countries.

**In FOUR sentences, summarise and paraphrase the previous passage in answer to the following question: (60 Marks)**

**What can governments do to solve the problem of illegal immigration?**

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Content / relevance of ideas	Paraphrasing	Spelling & grammar	Paragraph format	Total
30	20	5	5	60

**VIII- Translation (30Marks)**

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**Translate the following into good English: (2X15 = 30 Marks)**

**أحمد :** لماذا لا نذهب لمهرجان القرين الثقافي هذا المساء للاستمتاع بالحفلات الموسيقية؟

**خالد :** فكرة جيدة ! فأنا أحب الأفلام والمعارض وغيرها من الأحداث الفنية.

**Ahmed:**.....

**Khalid:**.....

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