

**Total Mark (420 Marks)**

**I. Vocabulary (50 Marks)**

50

**A - From a, b, c and d, choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences: (5X5 = 25 m)**

01- Oil can ..... up to only 50 years. It is a finite resource of energy.

- a. last  
b. aviate  
c. spur  
d. remind

02- Do you know that Taj Mahal is the most googled ..... in the world?

- a. auction  
b. congestion  
c. landmark  
d. nanoshell

03- Lack of imagination is a/an ..... to one's creativity and advancement.

- a. appliance  
b. profit  
c. radar  
d. obstacle

04- A lot of coffee shops offer ..... Internet access for their frequent guests.

- a. rusty  
b. complimentary  
c. sudden  
d. bifocal

05- If your daily routine is too ..... you need to change your lifestyle from time to time.

- a. extinct  
b. monotonous  
c. latest  
d. acclaimed

**B - Fill in the spaces with the most suitable words from the list below: ( 5 x5 = 25 m)**

**patient / invest / courteously / diminish / crazily / hazardous**

06- Sorry, I couldn't attend the parents' meeting. I have been **crazily** busy.

07- Governments must **invest** more in the environment to protect our planet.

08- As mentioned in the Holy Qur'an, Luqman advised his son to be **patient** and modest.

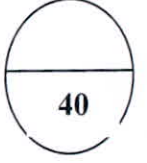
09- It is totally **hazardous** to let your children go swimming alone when the sea is rough.

10- We can use public transportation to **diminish** the amount of energy we use in our cars.



**III- Language Functions (40 Marks)**

**Write what you would say in each of the following situations: (4x 10 = 40 m)**



19- Your classmate doesn't know how to improve his English.

**Making Suggestions / Giving Opinion**

20- Your little brother never switches off the lights when he leaves his room.

**Giving Advice / Warning**

21- One of your friends says that playing computer games is a waste of time.

**Agreeing / Disagreeing**

22- You are explaining to your mother why you would like to be a pilot.

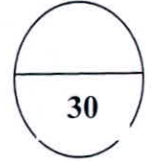
**Giving Reasons**

**Any reasonable response is accepted**



**IV- Set Book (30 Marks)**

**- Answer only (THREE) of the following questions: (3x10 = 30 m)**



23- How does the use of oil and other fossil fuels affect the environment badly?

**It contributes to environmental damage and global warming. / It causes pollution.**

24- Why do people go to work?

**Because they need money to pay for food, clothes, and a home.**

25- Why do a lot of people prefer travelling by plane?

**Because it is faster and more comfortable than travelling by car.**

26- What qualities and skills do you need to achieve your goals?

**I should have commitment and determination. / I should be hard working and well trained.**

**Any reasonable answer is accepted**



**V- WRITING (100 Marks)**

100

**Write on the following topic: ( Persuasive)**

**“Recently there will be big changes in technology. Some of them will be shocking.”**

Plan and write an essay of not less than 12 sentences (140 words) **persuading** your friend of how these inventions may improve our life in different fields like health, robot technology and smart devices, and how these inventions will look like in the future.

**NB:** Your writing should include **an introduction, 2 body paragraphs and a conclusion.**

**(Outline - 20 Marks)**

20

**Introduction:** .....

**Body:**

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

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

**Conclusion :** .....



Outlining	Exposition of ideas & coherence	Paragraphing & number of sentences	Spelling	Grammar	Hw., spacing & punctuation	Total
20	40	10	10	10	10	100

**VI- Reading Comprehension (80 marks)**

**Read the following passage and answer the questions below:**

Little libraries of all shapes and sizes have popped up in recent years. They might be found on street corners. Or they might be found on sidewalks. Often, they are built by community members. They are hoping to share their book collection with their neighbours. These "Little Free Libraries" are like a modern-day bookmobile. Minneapolis, Minnesota, even held the first Little Free Library Festival. Book fans and people with a do-it-yourself element came together. They promoted reading in their communities.

For the most part, Little Free Libraries have more in common with book-sharing shelves. Those shelves might be found in coffee shops and other public spaces. Most are based on the idea of "take a book, leave a book." These little libraries can take many forms. They might be found in wooden structures to be reused on a long-term basis.

The Little Free Library organisation began in 2009. Todd Bol, a resident of Wisconsin, built a little model of a one-room schoolhouse. He filled it with books. Then he put it in his front yard. It was a **tribute** to show respect and gratitude to his late mother who was a teacher and a book lover. Together with a local educator named Rick Brooks, the two began setting up Little Free Libraries. They placed them across Wisconsin. Bol and Brooks also shared the idea with people across the country who were very interested. By 2011, there were at least 400 free libraries. "Something we need in this digital age is that connection between people," Bol explains. "I want to show how Little Free Library is about readers inspiring readers. It goes on and on."

Little Free Libraries might seem like a harmless and innocent means to promote reading and share books with neighbours. But at least a few of the roadside lending libraries have caused minor legal issues. According to the Los Angeles Times, officials have told some residents that their homemade libraries broke city laws. **They** would have to remove them. The little libraries' caretakers could pay fines if the lending libraries weren't removed.



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**A- From a, b, c and d, choose the correct answer: ( 6x10=60 m)**

27- The **best title** of this passage is:

- a. Public Spaces
- b. **Little Free Libraries**
- c. Library Festivals
- d. Local Communities



28- The underlined word "**tribute**" in the 3<sup>rd</sup> paragraph **means**:

- a. **gift**
- b. call
- c. meeting
- d. shift



29- The underlined word "**They**" in the 4<sup>th</sup> paragraph **refers to**:

- a. city laws
- b. legal issues
- c. **some residents**
- d. homemade libraries

30- The Little Free Library organisation helped people to:

- a. fill their schools with free books.
- b. **connect in this digital world.**
- c. decorate their front yards with books.
- d. build a model of one-room coffee house.

31- According to the 2<sup>nd</sup> paragraph, all the following statements are **TRUE Except**:

- a. **Little Free Libraries have nothing in common with book-sharing shelves.**
- b. Little free library shelves might be found in coffee shops and other public places.
- c. Most little free libraries are based on the idea of "take a book, leave a book."
- d. Little libraries might be found in wooden structures to be reused later on.

32- The **purpose of the writer** in writing this passage is to:

- a. narrate the life of Todd Bol.
- b. show us how libraries are built.
- c. explain why reading is important.
- d. **tell us more about Little Free Libraries.**

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**B- Answer the following questions: ( 2 X 10 = 20 m)**

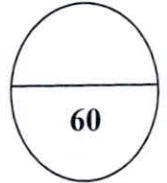
33- Why do community members often build little libraries?

**To share their book collection with their neighbours. / To promote reading in their communities**

34- What would happen to the little libraries' caretakers if the lending libraries weren't removed?

**The little libraries' caretakers could pay fines if the lending libraries weren't removed.**

**VII – Summary Making (60 Marks)**



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

There are a lot of benefits to knowing more than one language. Learning a second language can provide you with more chances of having a good job or advancing in your career. In addition, learning a foreign language can also give you a better understanding of other cultures. You will be more prepared and confident to travel the world and explore other people's ways of living. Did you know that learning a second language can also help you master your own language? For example, learning a new language with similar roots can help you learn other languages as well. Besides, it allows you to train your memory to remember new words.



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**In a paragraph of FOUR sentences ONLY, summarise and paraphrase the passage above in answer to the following question:**

**Why is it important to know more than one language?**

**Answers must include only FOUR of the following ideas:**

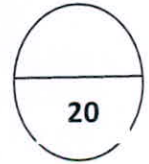
- Having a good job /or advancing in one's career.
- Understanding other cultures.
- Being prepared and confident for travelling.
- Mastering one's own language / other languages.
- Training one's memory to remember new words.

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

- Copying the whole paragraph receives ZERO.
- Exceeding the required number of sentences (Minus 5 marks for one sentence / Minus 10 for two sentences and above).

**VIII – Translation (20 Marks)**

**- Translate the following into good English: (2x 10 =20 m)**



سالم: كيف يمكن أن نستفيد من قصص القرآن الكريم؟  
عمر: ان هذه القصص تمنحنا الكثير من الدروس والنصائح.

**Salem: How can we benefit from the stories of the Holy Qur'an?**

**Omar: These stories provide us with a lot of lessons and pieces of advice.**



**End of Questions  
Best of Luck!**

