Level: 2 AM The First English Exam

Name: ………………………….

Class: …….

Abdelhamid Ben Badis was a well-known Algerian scientist. He was born on December **4th** ,**1889** in Constantine .At the age of 13, he memorized the Quran .He was courageous. In **1925**, he published “Al-Chihab” magazine which he used as a written weapon to fight the French colonists. Then, in **1931**, he founded the Association of Muslim Algerian Ulama . Ben Badis died on April **16th** ,**1940** in Constantine .

Part One : A/ Reading Comprehension ( 7pts )

Read the text and do the following activities:

**Activity one:** Read the text then fill in this form: ( 02pts )

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| Name: ……………………………….  Place of birth: ……………………….  Nationality: ……………………………  Date of death: ………………………. |

**Activity two :** Answer these questions : ( 02pts )

1- Did Ben Badis memorize the Quran? ………..……………………………….

2- Was Ben Badis born 125 years ago ? ………………………………………….

3- Did he die in Algiers ? …………………………………………………….

**Activity three**: Match each word with its equivalent: ( 02pts )

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|  |  |
| 1. Association 2. Researcher 3. Brave 4. Well-known | 1. Courageous 2. Famous 3. Organization 4. Scientist |

**B/ Mastery of Language ( 07pts )**

**Activity one:** Find in the text four verbs describing past actions to complete

this table: : ( 02pts)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Regular verbs | Irregular verbs |
| -…………………….  -……………………. | -………………………..  -……………………….. |

**Activity two:** Turn these sentences to the negative form: ( 03pts )

1- Ben Badis erased ignorance. ……………………………………………...

2- He was a brave man. ……………….…………………………………..

3- He could fight against the French . ……………………………………….

**Activity three:** Find in the text four words and classify them according to

the pronunciation of their final “**ed**” : ( 02pts )

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| --- | --- | --- |
| / **t** / | / **d**/ | / **id** / |
| 1- ……….….. | 1-………………  2- ………………. | 1-…………….. |

Part Two: Integrated Situation ( 6pts )

Mohamed Dib is a famous writer .

Write a short biography about him using these clues :

Name: Mohamed Dib

Date and place of birth: July 21st , 1920 / Tlemcen

Occupation: writer.

Nationality: Algerian

Work: He wrote La grande maison (1952) / L'incendie (1954) / Au café (1957) ...etc.

Date of death: May 02nd ,2003.

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Name: ………………………….

Class: …….

TEXT :

Charles Dickens was born on Friday February 7th,1812 in Portsmouth. His father was a clerk . In 1814 Charles and his family moved to London where he received some education.

Dickens wrote 15 major novels , countless short stories and articles . He was the foremost English novelist at the Victorian era. He died in 1870.

PART 1 : **A** / Reading comprehension : (07pts)

**Activity one :** Read the text then choose the correct answer to complete the sentences : (03pts)

1. Charles Dickens was born in …………………

a) Liverpool b) London c) Portsmouth d) Manchester

1. He was a ……………..
2. painter b) novelist c) singer d) teacher
3. He died at the age of …………….. years old.

a) fifty-eight b) forty c) sixty-eight d) forty-eight

**Activity two :** Answer these questions : (02pts)

1. Was Charles dickens an English novelist ? …………………………..
2. Did he study in Portsmouth ? ………………………………

**Activity three :** Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to the following : (02pts)

Died ≠ …………. Sent ≠ ………….

**B**/ Mastery of language : (07pts)

**Activity one :** Write the correct form of the verbs between brackets : (03pts)

Karima is a pupil . She (to like ) ………. Reading books and magazines . Yesterday, she ( to go)

…………. to the library . She (to borrow) …………….. Charles’ Dickens novel “ Oliver Twist” .

**Activity two :** Re-order the following words to get coherent sentences : (02pts)

* went / the / I / bookshop / ago / days / to / two .

…………………………………………………………..

* we / yesterday / on / Terminator / , / saw / evening / TV .

………………………………………………………………

**Activity three :** Pick out from the text four (04) Verbs describing past actions : (02)

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| Regular verbs | Irregular verbs |
| * ………………….. * ………………….. | * ………………… * ………………… |

PART 2 : Integrated Situation (06 pts)

Write a biography about a famous person . These clues may help you :

Name : Mouloud Date of birth : 08 /03/1913 Nationality : Algerian

Surname : Feraoun Place of birth : in Tizi Hibel Job : writer Date of death : 15/03/1962

Achievements &work : wrote novels such as : “La terre et le sang” , “Le fils du pauvre” …etc.

Level: **2**AM Second Term English Examination

Name: ………………………….

Class: …….

Kate: Hello, Susan You look rather pale. What’s the matter?

Susan: I don't feel well. I was sick last night. I didn't sleep very well.

Kate: Perhaps it's the flu.

Susan: No, I think it’s something that I ate. I had dinner with my family at the new

restaurant last night. I have eaten something that it didn't agree with me.

Kate: Is the restaurant located on the Fourth Street next to the bank?

Susan: Yes, that's one. Why do you ask?

Kate: Because my brother ate there last Saturday and he had the same kind of

problem. He suffered from a terrible stomachache.

Susan: So, the health authorities must investigate the place.

Kate: That's what I think. Two people with similar problems in such a short time can't

be just a coincidence !

**PART ONE** : **A/ Reading Comprehension ( 07 pts** )

**Activity one:** Read and say**: "true ", "false"** or **"not mentioned"** **: (03pts** )**:**

1) Susan went to the restaurant last night. ……………..

2) She ate roasted chicken. ……………..

3) Kate's sister was ill, too. ……………..

**Activity two:** Read the conversation and answer the questions: **( 02pts** )

1- Does Susan suffer from flu? …………………………………………….

2- Is the new restaurant on the Fourth Street? ……………………………….

**Activity three: (02pts** ):

Find in the text words or phrases that are closest in meaning to the following:

ill = ……… situated = ………..

old ≠ …….. long ≠ ………

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**B/ Mastery of Language ( 07pts )**

**Activity one:** Supply the punctuation and the capital letters where necessary: **(02pts)**

last night susan didn't feel well ……………………………………………..

**Activity two:** Write the correct form of the verbs between brackets:  **(03pts)**

Susan ( to be) …….. ill. Last night, she (not to sleep) …………………….. well because she ( to eat) ………… expired food.

**Activity three:** Find in the text four words that have the following sounds: **(02pts)**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **/ i / six** | **/ i: / teeth** |
| 1……….…….…..  2………………... | 1-……………………  2- ……………..……. |

**PART TWO**: Integrated Situation **( 06pts )**

Your friend seems to be ill and you want to know what he suffers from.

Write a conversation with him/her in which you ask about his/her illness and give some advice .

These hints can help you

- terrible - awful- not well….

- headache –backache - flu…

- relax – take some aspirin - should – must …

A: ………………………………..

B: ……………………………….

A: ……………………………….

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