

School year: 2016/2017

Date: Sunday, February 26th, 2017.

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Level: 4MS

THE SECOND TERM EXAM

INUIT PEOPLE



The lives of the Inuit people of North America have changed a lot in thirty years. First, People used to call them Eskimos, but now they are called Inuit, which means "the people". They lived in igloos in the winter, but today many of them live in houses in small towns. They used to hunt seals. They ate the meat and made clothes from the fur. Many of the people still wear seal-skin clothes today because they are very warm. Remember, the weather is extremely cold for many months of the year. An 85 year-old Inuit told us a little about her early life. "Our winter igloos were very warm. We used to cook inside so sometimes it got too hot. When I was a child, I used to take off most of my

clothes when I was in our igloo. In short summers, we lived in seal-skin tents, but I used to spend as much time as possible playing outside". To move over the snow, they used to wear special snowshoes on their feet, but today many Inuit drive snowmobiles. These machines can travel long distances in a short time. In the past, it used to take them days or weeks to travel the same distance. Inuit children never used to go to school, they learnt everything from their parents but now like all North American, they have about ten years of school education. Life is not as hard as it used to be, but many of the older Inuit hate town life and want to go back to the old days.



Adapted from: <https://en.islcollective.com/resources/printables/worksheetsdocdocx/inuitpeople>

PART ONE:

A) Reading Comprehension

Activity One (02pts): Find in the text four differences between the past and the present in Inuit's life.

| Then | Now |
|----------|----------|
| 1- | 1- |
| 2- | 2- |

Activity Two (03pts): Read the following statements and write "true", "false", or "not mentioned".

- 1- Inuit people used to hunt dolphins.
- 2- They used to freeze meat to save it.
- 3- Inuit children didn't use to go to school.

Activity Three (02pts): What do these words mean? Choose the right word.

- 1- Hunt = a) build b) chase c) work d) wear
- 2- Weather = a) town b) illness c) night d) climate

B) Mastery of language

Activity One (02 pts): Spot the mistakes and write the corrected sentence on your answer sheet.

In the paste, many child didn't used to go in school.

Activity Two (03pts): Complete the following sentences with the correct relative pronoun. (which, who, where, whose)

- 1- This is the school I used to go when I was six.
- 2- People used to eat bread was made at home.
- 3- My grandfather lived in the countryside, used to be a farmer.

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

| /ei/ (late) | /ai/ (mine) | /aʊ/ (loud) | /əʊ/ (no) |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|
| 1- | 1- | 1- | 1- |

PART TWO (06pts): Written Expression

You have fond memories of your school and happy moments of your childhood. Write an article for the school magazine about what you used to or didn't use to do when you were a child.

Write about:

- Childhood (home behaviour)
- Primary school (subjects, teachers ...)
- Leisure and free time activities (games ...)
- Likes and dislikes (food, cartoons ...)



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A/Reading Comprehension: Read the text then do the following activities.

• Activity One: Answer the questions. (3pts)

- 1- Did the Inuit use to prepare their food inside the igloos?
- 2- Did the Inuit travel long distances very fast when using their special snowshoes?
- 3- Who used to teach the Inuit children?

• Activity Two: Find two changes that took place in the life of the Inuit People between then and now. (2pts)

THEN (In the past)

NOW (At present)

- | | | |
|----|---|----|
| 1- | → | a- |
| 2- | → | b- |

• **Activity Three:** Find in the text words which definitions are the following. (2pts)

- a- Eskimo house built from blocks of solid snow:
- b- The coldest season of the year:
- c- A motor vehicle for travelling over snow:
- d- An institution for educating children:

B/Mastery of language:

• **Activity One:** Spot the mistakes then correct them. (2pts)

• I remember what fun we use to had on weekends when my father was at home. He use to calling me his sweet little princess.

• **Activity Two:** Combine the pairs of sentences below using the appropriate relatives pronouns: "who", "which", "where". (3pts)

- 1- I used to study in a school. The school was not very far from my house.
- 2- Mrs. Noor used to be my teacher. She was very kind.
- 3- We used to practise sport in the school yard. The school yard was very big.

• **Activity Three:** Find in the text words that rhyme with the following. (2pts)

- 1- Knives →
- 2- Came →
- 3- Know →
- 4- pool →

PART TWO:

Written Expression: (06pts)

- ☺ You certainly remember many special moments and things about your childhood.
- ☺ Tell us about the things you used or you didn't use to do in the past and how things have changed now.

MY CHILDHOOD MEMORIES



my best friend used to be..

