

## The First Term English Test

Hi,

*I went to Rome last August with my friend Peter. We flew to Rome with British Airways.*

*We stayed for a week in a small hotel near the Colosseum. The hotel was nice and quite cheap.*

*During the day we walked around the city .We saw all the famous places like the Colosseum and St Peter's, and we threw a coin in the Trevi Fountain .We took a lot of photos. At night we went to restaurants and had fantastic pasta.*

*Our favourite restaurant was the Piazza Navona. We bought a painting of Trastevere (the old town)and Peter bought some presents for his family .*

*We had a great time. Rome is full of history and has a special atmosphere, and Italian food is delicious. We only had two problems: it was hot, and it was very difficult to cross the road.*

*What about you? Did you go somewhere?*

*Hope to hear from you soon,*

*Steve*

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### PART ONE A/Reading Comprehension( 07 pts )

#### **Task One(2pts) : Aswer the following questions :**

1. Did Steve and Peter stay at a friend's house ?
2. Did they enjoy themselves ?

#### **Task Two(3pts)Read the following statements and write "True" , "False"or "Not mentioned" .**

1. Steve and Peter travelled by plane. ....
2. They didn't have time to visit all the well-known places . ....
3. They had their meals at the Trattoria Romana restaurant. ....

#### **Task Three(2pts): Match the words in column A with their equivalents in column B.**

A	B
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cheap</li> <li>- Famous</li> <li>- Fantastic</li> <li>- difficult</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-wonderful</li> <li>-hard</li> <li>-inexpensive</li> <li>-well-known</li> </ul>

**B) Mastery of Language. ( 07 Pts )**

**Task one: Complete this table with Base or strong adjectives: (2pts)**

Base adjective	Strong adjective
..... Very small	Huge .....
..... Very tasty	Gorgeous .....

**Task Two(3pts) : write the Correct form of the verbs in brackets .**

Last spring My friends and I visited the Sahara. The first week we (to stay) ..... at a friend's house in Ghardaia and the second week we (to go) ..... to Djanet. Next year , we (to visit ) ..... other fascinating places.

**Task Three(2pts): Find in the text words that have consonant clusters . (2pts)**

Initial position	Middle position	Final position
1. ....	1. ....	1.....
2. ....		

**PART TWO: Situation of integration. (6pts)**

You received a letter from your friend.She/he told you about her/his holidays. She/he would like to know how you spent your holidays.

Write her/him a letter .Tell her/him what you did.

Write about:

- The place you went to (abroad/another town/or stayed at home)
- What you did (your activities during the holidays)
- Your feelings

Good Luck

**Your Teacher  
Mr HADJ RABAH**



## The First Term English Test (correction)

### PART ONE A/Reading Comprehension( 07 pts )

#### Task One(2pts) : the acceptable answers :

1. No. / No, they did not (didn't) ./No, they didn't stay at a friend's house. / They didn't stay at a friend's house. **1pt**
2. Yes. /Yes, they did ./ Yes, they enjoyed themselves ./They enjoyed themselves. **1pt**

#### Task Two(3pts) "True" , "False" or "Not mentioned" .

1. Steve and Peter travelled by plane. **True 1pt**
2. They didn't have time to visit all the well-known places. **Not mentioned. 1pt**
3. They had their meals at the Trattoria Romana restaurant. **False 1pt**

#### Task Three(2pts): he words and their equivalents.

A	B
- Cheap	-wonderful <b>0.5 pt</b>
- Famous	-hard <b>0.5 pt</b>
- Fantastic	-inexpensive <b>0.5 pt</b>
- difficult	-well-known <b>0.5 pt</b>

### B) Mastery of Language. ( 07 Pts )

#### Task one: Complete this table with Base or strong adjectives: (2pts)

Base adjective	Strong adjective
<b>Very big</b> 0.5 pt Very small	Huge
<b>very pretty/beautiful</b> 0.5 pt Very tasty	<b>tiny</b> 0.5 pt Gorgeous
	<b>delicious</b> 0.5 pt

#### Task Two(3pts) : The correct form of the verbs (3pts) .

Last spring My friends and I visited the Sahara. The first week we (to stay) **stayed (0.5 pt)** at a friend's house in Ghardaia and the second week we (to go) **went (0.5 pt)** to Djanet. Next year, we (to visit) **are going to visit / will visit ( 0.5 pt)** other fascinating places.

#### Task Three(2pts): The words that have consonant clusters . (2pts)

Initial position	Middle position	Final position
Friend- Flew - British stayed- small places- threw Trevi- Trastevere presents- great special- problems cross- from – Steve . <b>2 words (1 pt)</b>	Around- fountain restaurants- fantastic pasta -painting Trastevere - atmosphere <b>1 word ( 0.5 pt)</b>	Went- last august- airways stayed -walked restaurants- old presents- and- problems- difficult- English <b>1 word ( 0.5 pt)</b>

