



Level: 3m.s

2022-2023

First Term English Exam

Text

Grandpa

My name is William. I was born in 1935 in a small village. My father was a farmer and my mother was a housewife. Now, I'm the oldest person in my family but my memory is still fresh. I remember my childhood as a happy time in my life.

I didn't go to school for many years. When I was fourteen I had to help my father in the farm. Every morning I fed the cows, worked in the fields and went to the market to sell the products. I was a shy boy but I was generous and kind to everybody in the village. I had some good friends there. We used to play hide and seek, hopscotch and marbles. We enjoyed ourselves a lot. We were free.

At that time, there weren't any technology so my father couldn't call me on the phone. When I didn't come home early, my father used to shout my name loudly in the neighborhood. In the evening, my parents and I sat around the table. We ate fresh and healthy food (fruits, vegetables), milk and homemade bread. I can't forget those days, they were amazing!

**Questions :****Reading and comprehension : (7 pts)**

Activity one: Read the following statements carefully and put a cross(×) in the right box : (3 pts)

Sentences	True	False	Not mentioned
1/ Grandpa went to school regularly .			
2/ He got married at the age of 19 .			
3/ In the past , they ate fresh and healthy food .			

Activitytwo: Read the text again and answer the questions: (2 pts)

1 /What did grandpa do every morning?

2/ Did they have mobiles phones?

Activity three : a/Find in the text words that are close in meaning to the following words : (1 pt)

Liked = wonderful=.....

b/Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to the following words : (1pt)

Unhealthy ≠..... youngest ≠.....

Mastery of the language :(7 pts)

Activity one :Put the verbs between brackets in “the past simple tense” :(3pts)

- 1/ Life in the past (to be)completely different from our present life .
- 2/ In the past people (to write).....on slates with chalk because they didn’t have paper .
- 3/Grandma (to cook) food on a wooden stove .

Activitytwo:Turn the following sentences into negative form :(2 pts)

- 1 / We played hide and seek.
- 2/ We ate healthy food.

Activity three :Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of the final “ed” (2pts)

(Helped / decided / used / watched)

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Situation of integration : (6 pts)

Your teacher of English asked you to write a short paragraph about life in the past in Algeria using the information in the table and the semi modal “used to “ :

Dwelling (house)	Activities	Clothes	Food	Games	Travel
- Small old houses in the mountains - cottages 	Housework : -make clothes -feed animals -Grow vegetables	-Traditional clothes. -Woman : El Hayek -Man : El barnous 	-Traditional dishes -Couscous -Homemade bread 	-Hide and seek -Boys : marbles -Girls :hopscotch 	-Animals back -Horse cart -On foot 

Good Luck♥

Correction

Questions :

Reading and comprehension : (7 pts)

Activity one: Read the following statements carefully and put a cross(×) in the right box : (3 pts)

Sentences	True	False	Not mentioned
1/ Grandpa went to school regularly .		✓	
2/ He got married at the age of 19 .			✓
3/ In the past , they ate fresh and healthy food .	✓		

Activity two: Read the text again and answer the questions: (2 pts)

1 /Every morning, he fed the cows , worked in the fields and went to the market to sell the products

2/No, they didn't.

Activity three : a/ Find in the text words that are close in meaning to the following words : (1 pt)

Liked = enjoyed

wonderful= amazing

b/ Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to the following words : (1pt)

Unhealthy ≠ healthy

youngest ≠ oldest

Mastery of the language : (7 pts)

Activity one : Put the verbs between brackets in "the past simple tense" : (3pts)

1/ Life in the past was completely different from our present life .

2/ In the past people wrote on slates with chalk because they didn't have paper .

3/ Grandma cooked food on wooden stove .

Activity two: Turn the following sentences into negative form: (2 pts)

1 / We didn't play Hide and Sick.

2/ they didn't eat healthy food.

Activity three : Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of the final "ed" (2pts)

(Helped / decided / used / watched)

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Helped watched	used	decided
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