

English Language  
1st Stage

Computer Sciences Department  
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Time : 3 hours

First trial  
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**Q1 :** A survey of technology thinkers and watchers shows, they believe the internet will continue to spread in improving world. There are many, though, who think that the major problems will accompany technology advances of it by 2020. DO you think so !

Write briefly about INTRNET, no more than one page ,may be less if you want , the most important is to make good writing . Follow the correct steps of writing an essay . Try to answer the following points in your essay if you want .

- You can talk about the political , social and economic future of the internet.
- You can talk about the internet now a days.
- Show the advantages and disadvantages of using the internet in our society.
- What is the interested subjects you look for .

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**Q2:** Read the following passage carefully , then answer the questions below :-

One of the most important things in successful language learning is getting over the fear of communicating with others in the foreign language. It's not unusual to find learners who have been studying English for many years , but who find it almost impossible to have a conversation . This is usually because , when they learnt English in School , the focus was on learning grammar and vocabulary , and learning it perfectly . Making mistakes was seen as "bad" and it is often this fear of making mistakes which means that they are too frightened to use the language which they know.

Forming "Learning circles" club is very important to encourage learners and to overcome their fears , they can have as few as two members , or they can be large clubs . The most important features of Learning Circles is that they encourage people to communicate in English , to talk about things which interest them , without being embarrassed about making mistakes . But Learning Circles needn't only focus on speaking . Learners could have a Learning Circle of penfriends who all write letters to each other . The most important thing is that it is what they say or write to each other , which is important is not simply the grammar and vocabulary they use .

- 1- The most important goals in successful language learning are to speak and write well . And , in order to do this , you need to communicate with other people . So how you can do this if you are studying alone ?
- 2- What is the main idea of the passage ?
- 3- What is the biggest obstacle (عائق) which learners have to overcome when they are learning a foreign language ?
- 4- How many people you need to form Learning Circle.
- 5- What is the big problem of you as English Learner?
- 6- What is the meaning of the idiom "getting over " in the first line?
- 7- What do mean by the expression "pen friends" . You can find the answer in the last paragraph.
- 8- Choose a suitable title for the passage .

**Note : Answer either Q 3 or Q4**

**Q3 : Do as required :**

a- Add a suffix to the following words: (choose 5)

arrive , exact , new , read , use , happy , water , friend

b- Change the following sentences to the passive voice: ( choose 2)

- 1- The company employ 100 person .

- 2- Everybody drinks water .
- 3- I will read the story .
- 4- I had finished my homework .

c- Give the meaning of the underline idiom :(choose 3)

- 1- He was out of work now.
- 2- My friend is always in hurry.
- 3- Let's go for a short walk .
- 4- She waited for me in the mean time .

d- Give an example for the following adverbial clauses : (choose 3)

- 1- Clause express manner .
- 2- Clause express result .
- 3- Clause express place .
- 4- Clause express time.

**Q4 : Do as required :**

a- Put the correct idiom in the blank :(choose 3)

- 1- The pretty black dress is very..... ( in date , up to date)
- 2- He ..... his old shirt. (gets rid of , gets up )
- 3- Don't worry . Just ..... ( hang there , hang in there )
- 4- The teacher ..... ( told the students off , told the students of)

b- Change the following sentences to the active voice: (choose 2)

- 1- The car was being washed .
- 2- My lessons had been finished .
- 3- Mistakes were made yesterday .
- 4- The dinner is prepared .

c- Add a prefix to the following words: (choose 5)

legal , virus , correct , understand , possible , gram , courage , honest

d- Choose the correct kind of the underline adverbial clauses : (choose 3)

- 1- If it rains tomorrow , I won't go .
- 2- The small scale is for weighing letters .
- 3- Why can't I live my life how I want to live it .
- 4- As you know , things are difficult just now .

**Q 5 : A- Complete the following conversation :**

A : is going to buy film to his camera , B : is the seller

A - .....

A- Can I help you ?

A- Can I have some film to my camera?.....

B- How many exposures ?

A-..... What does exposure means ?

B-How many pictures ? 24 ? 36?

A- ..... ! Now I understand . Twenty -four , .....

B- .....

**B - Answer either (a) or (b)**

a- Try to write short conversation between you and your friend telling him about how much you miss him (her) .

b- Try to write short conversation between you and your friend in the telephone .

**GOOD LUCK**

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