

Level: 3rd year
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..... Middle School

Timing : 1 Hour

The second term first test

The text :

Thomas Edison was a very Famous business man and inventor. He was born in "Ohio", USA on February 11, 1847. He started school when he was 8 years old but he didn't do well and ended up, he quitted it shortly afterwards. His teachers thought that he was not very clever. Yet he began to make experiments in Physics at home. At the age of twelve Edison became deaf, but he continued to carry out experiments. On December 9th, 1914 a fire destroyed Edison's laboratory while he was making experiments. This didn't discourage him. So he re-built the laboratory and went back to work. When Edison died on October 18, 1931. He had made more than one thousand inventions.

Part one:

Part one: section one : Reading Comprehension (7pts) :

A - Read the text carefully then fill in this table (2pts) :

Full name	
Date of birth	
Place of birth	
Date of death	

B - Read the text again then answer these questions (3pts) :

- 1- What was Edison's occupation ?
- 2 - when did he become deaf?
- 3- Did he stop carrying experiments after the accident of December ?

lexis: (2pts) .

A- find in the text words that are closest in meaning to:

Well known = intelligent =

Finished = Returned =

Section two: Mastery of language (7pts).

A- Put the verbs between brackets in their correct form. (3pts) :

- 1 - Louis Pasteur (to be) a great inventor.He (to invent) Penicillin.
- 2 - Dr “Abderrahim Bourouis” (to participate) in "Stars of Science " competition.

B- fill in the gaps using : made of - made in :(2pts).

- 1 - "BMW" cars are Germany.
- 2 - Her ring is gold .

C - I classify these words in the right box (2pts).

of, photo , love, rough

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Part two : situation of integration (6pts) :

In few lines write a short biography about Dr "Abderrahim Bourouis " using the information below :

-Full name : Abderrahim Bourouis

-Age :29 years old

-Place of birth : Tlemcen

Father's job : a mechanic

Mother's job : a housewife

-Inventions: smart shirt for patients suffering from Alzheimer

Rewards : the first price of the "Arab Youth creativity Award" in 2013.

You may start like this :

Dr Abderrahim Bourouis is an Algerian great inventor and reseacher.

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