

Level : 4AM	February 2013
Second TERM ENGLISH EXAM	Timing : 1h30

Text:

"There are more new inventions nowadays and life has become easier." My grandfather who used to live in the Djurdjura, told me that.

Do you know that people used to live in houses of mud bricks and inside them, they used to build huge pottery jars called "Akufi" where they stored food. Men used to wear a burnous which is made of wool. Women used to make them.

They didn't use to prepare their food in metal utensils. They made pottery bowls which were put directly on the fire or into a clay oven and they used to drink cool and tasty water from the pottery jars.

At night, they didn't use to watch T V; they sat by the fire and listened to stories. Early in the morning, men used to go to their fields where they grew vegetables.

Part one:

Section one: reading comprehension:

A-1- Choose the most suitable title: (01pt)

- Life used to be easier.
- Life in the past.
- Inventions.

2- Read the text then answer the following questions: (02pts)

- How many paragraphs are there in the text?
- In which paragraph is it mentioned that people didn't watch TV?

B- Say "True", "False" or "not mentioned". (02pts)

- People used to live in big houses.
- They used to make metal utensils.
- They used to work in the fields.
- My grandfather lived in the Djurdjura.

c- Find in the text words or phrases that are closet in meaning to the following: (01pt)

- Put on= ,
- Very big=

-Find in the text words or phrases that are opposite in meaning to the following: (01pt)

- Outside≠ ,
- late≠

Section two: Mastery of Language:

A- Complete this table: (02pts)

Infinitive	Past simple	Past participle
-To live	-lived	-
-To drink		-
-	Put	-Put

B- Choose the correct relative pronoun: (01,5pt)

- Which -Who -Where -Whose
- My grandfather is 75 years old, still works in his garden.
- Every summer, I go to Tigzirt... .. I meet my best friend.
- Our neighbor... .. house is made of mud bricks, enjoys the silence of the country.

C-Choose the correct response: (01,5pt)

- We live in small house.
- use to -will use to -used to
- If I ancient potteries, I will buy them.
- will find -found -find
- I until I take photos.
- will go -won't go -go

D- Classify these words according to the pronunciation of their vowel sounds: (02pts)

- make - inside -house -home

/ai/ (eyes)	/ei/ (cake)	/əʊ/ (now)	/əʊ/ (know)

Part Two: (06pts)

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- Life/ simpler and safer.
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- Gardens / streets /schools ...

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- **There are four paragraphs**

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big= ... **huge** ...**-Find in the text words or phrases that are opposite in meaning to the following: (01pt)**-Outside≠ ... **inside** ... ,late≠ ... **early** ...**Section two: Mastery of Language:****A- Complete this table: (02pts)**

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