

Level : First year literary stream

Duration : 1Hour

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THE THIRD ENGLISH TEST N°2**Text:**

Nowadays, air is getting more and more polluted because of the industrialization and noxious gases released from cars. You can hardly breathe clean or fresh air in cities. People are getting dirtier and dirtier. They throw rubbish wherever they can. They don't even use tins or bags. We can also talk about the boats which transport oil and sink in seas and oceans. **They** cause great damages in the submarine world

Everything polluting the air causes acid rains which damage the forests. If **these** disappear, great changes in the climate will be caused because the trees are chemically very active as they provide us with oxygen. So let us safeguard the nature or it will be an environmental suicide for humanity and especially for the ozone layer which is so important for the world. If this layer is destroyed, people will be threatened to be affected by any kind of skin diseases.

Reading comprehension.**1. The text is about : (1pt)**

- a. Kinds of pollution
- b. Air pollution
- c. Measures taken to fight air pollution

2. Say whether the statements below are true or false (2pts)

A-People use tins and bags to throw rubbish.

b-The ozone layer protects people from skin cancer.

C-Trees give us oxygen.

D-Man is responsible for the climatic change.

3-Answer the following questions according to the text (3pts)

a- Why is air getting polluted?

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b-Why is sub-marine world damaged?

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c-What will happen if the ozone layer is destroyed?

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4. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text (1pt)

They : (1§)

These: (2§)

Text exploration.**1. Find in the text words or phrases that are closest in meaning to (1pt)**

Garbage= (1§)

destroy= (2§)

2. Match each word with its opposite (2pts)

Words	opposites
a -more	1 -passive
b -clean	2 -less
c -active	3 -death
d -life	4 -dirty

3. Divide the following words into roots and affixes (2pts)

Ecological, dishonest, irresponsible, drinkable

Prefix	root	suffix
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4. Combine the following pairs of sentences using the connectors given in brackets. Make any necessary changes. (02pts)

a- People are suffering from various diseases. People build factories in towns. (because).

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b- Polluting emitting cars are uncontrolled. The atmosphere is full of noxious gases. (consequently).

3- Put the verbs between () in the correct tense: (3pts)

a.If you(to put) an ice cube in water, it (to melt).

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b. if I (to be) Prime Minister of the environment ,I (to punish)the irregular timber companies.

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c.I (to go) to the zoo, if it (to be) sunny.

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4-Classify the following words in the table according to the pronunciation of their final “ed” .(1PT)

cleaned- linked- destroyed – polluted

/t/	/d/	/ed/

Fill in the gaps with words from the list(2pts).

air - destroyed - deserts - even

Our planet is in great danger. All over the world, are advancing.

Forests are beingat an alarming rate. Lakes, rivers and seas are being poisoned and polluted. Perhaps most seriously of all, the we respire is changing for the worse.

Good luck

Ccorrection .

Section one :

Reading comprehension.

2pts

1- true or false:

- A-People use tins and bags to throw rubbish. → **False**
b-The ozone layer protects people from skin cancer. → **True**
C-Trees give us oxygen. → **True**
D-Man is responsible for the climatic change. → **True**

Answer the following questions according to the text:

3pts

- a-Air is getting more and more polluted because of the industrialization and noxious gases released from cars.
b-The sub-marine world is damaged due to the oil that comes from boats.
c-If the ozone layer is destroyed people will be threatened to be affected by skin cancer.

3-Match each word with its synonym:

1pts

Words	Synonyms
rubbish	1-menaced
provide	2-give
destroyed	3-damaged
threatened	4-waste material

4-Mach each word with its opposite

1pt

Words	Opposites
more	1-passive
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life	4-dirty

Mastery of language.

upply punctuation and capital letters:

2pts

He says: "Our air soil, beaches and seas are polluted with sewage".

Reorder the following words to get a coherent sentence:

1.5pts

The ozone layer which is damaged protects us from ultra-violet radiation.

3- Rewrite sentence "b" so that it means the same as "a"

3pts

- 1-
b- He said **that they had to stop pollution .**
2-
b-She asked me **what would happen if they didn't stop it.**

Classify the words according to their number of syllables.

1.5pts

1 syllable	2 syllables	3 syllables
modern - grammar	connect - destroy	destruction – connection

Section two :

Written expression

5pts