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اختبار الفصل الثاني

Read the text then do the following activities:

For years, many students who choose literary classes in high school set their heart on joining the foreign language class later. It is widely believed that they did this to avoid having philosophy as a core subject for the years to come. To find out whether that thought was true or false, I decided to conduct a survey. (§1)

I questioned a hundred pupils of the first year classes in order to know why they all aspired to become foreign language learners. When I asked them if they were into languages, the majority said they were interested in learning them. Then I asked them which language they preferred learning. Some of them enjoyed learning French, while others were passionate about English. Only a handful were equally enthusiastic about both. However, my main interest was why they wished to join a language class later. Most of them told me that they loved studying languages and planned to further a career in the field, but very few declared that they did not wish to study philosophy as the most important subject. When I wanted to know whether they intended to study languages at university, most of them revealed that they would do once they passed their BAC exam with distinction. (§2)

Surprisingly, my research showed that the common belief proved to be wrong, as the majority want to switch to language classes out of genuine interest rather than a desire to escape philosophy. (§3)

(From "El Watan" Newspaper)

A/ Comprehension: (7 pts)

1/ The text is: (0,5 pt) a- an interview. b- a questionnaire. c- a report

2/ Say whether the following statements are "true" or "false": (2 pts)

- a- Many pupils select literary classes mainly because they enjoy studying philosophy (.....)
- b- The survey involved questioning first year high school students (.....)
- c- English is the only language that captivates the students' interest (.....)
- d- Most of the informants planned to study languages at university (.....)

3/ Answer the following questions according to the text: (3 pts)

- a- Why did the reporter conduct the survey?
- b- Were the students interested in having careers related to languages? (Justify from the text)
- c- What did the findings reveal about students' choices?

4/ In which paragraph is it mentioned that the informants have different language preferences? (0,5 pt)

5/ Identify who or what the underlined words refer to in the text: (1 pt)

a- their (§1):

b- them (§2):

B/ Text Exploration: (8 pts)

1- Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following: (1,5 pt)

a- Primary (§1) = b- domain (§2) = c- succeeded (§2) =

2- Transform the following adjectives to adverbs then complete the sentences using them: (2 pts)

fast – selfish – financial - easy

- a- I think you behaved very
 b- Jack understood the new grammar rules
 c- I would like to buy a house, but it's impossible for me at the moment.
 d- She ran to catch the bus.

3- Rewrite sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a): (2 pts):

- a- The journalist asked them: "What kind of work do you think you will do for a career?"
 b- **The journalist asked them**
 a- The editor asked me: "Can the journalist attend the press conference?"
 b- **The editor asked me**
 a- "I try to learn new words every day", the student said
 b- **The student said**

4- Classify the following words according to the stressed syllable: (1,5 pt)

bookworm – teacher – historian – scientific – schoolyard - victorian

1 st syllable	2 nd syllable

5- Fill in the gaps with words from the list: (1 pt)

language -effort – afraid - regularly

Learning a language takes time and ...1... , but there are ways to make it easier. One useful strategy is to practise2..... by speaking and reading every day. Another tip is to use apps to learn vocabulary. Also, don't be ...3...of making mistakes. Finally, try to immerse yourself in the ...4... by watching movies or listening to podcasts.

C/ Written Expression: (5 pts)

Choose one of the following topics:

Topic 1: Imagine that you conducted a survey to understand the importance of learning a foreign language among teenagers in your high school. Report the following survey results.

Topic	The importance of learning another language
Informants	Number: 150 Age: 14-18 Gender: Male and female
Questions:	
A/ Do you speak a foreign language? →	Yes: 100 No: 50
B/ What motivates you to learn a foreign language? →	●To improve career opportunities (60) ●To travel and communicate easily (50) ● Interest in foreign cultures (40)
C/ What methods do you use to learn a foreign language? →	●Taking formal classes. (70) ●Watching movies (50) ● Practicing with native speakers (30)

Topic 2: Write a paragraph comparing traditional news sources and online news sources: which one is more trustworthy?

GOOD LUCK.



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تصحيح اختبار الفصل الثاني

A/ Comprehension: (7 pts)

1/ The text is: (0,5 pt)

c- a report

2/ Say whether the following statements are "true" or "false": (2 pts)

- a- Many pupils select literary classes mainly because they enjoy studying philosophy (false)
- b- The survey involved questioning first year high school students (true)
- c- English is the only language that captivates the students' interest (false)
- d- Most of the informants planned to study languages at university (true)

3/ Answer the following questions according to the text: (3 pts)

- a- Why did the reporter conduct the survey?
He conducted the survey to find out whether it was true that high school students joined foreign languages class to avoid having philosophy as a core subject. (to confirm this belief)
- b- Were the students interested in having careers related to languages? (Justify from the text)
Yes, they were. (Most of them told me they loved languages and planned to further a career in the field)
- c- What did the findings reveal about students' choices?
The findings revealed that the common belief proved to be wrong. The majority of the students switched to language classes out of genuine interest.

4/ In which paragraph is it mentioned that the informants have different language preferences. ? (0,5 pt)

In paragraph two (§2)

5/ Identify who or what the underlined words refer to in the text: (1 pt)

a- their (§1): students

b- them (§2): languages

B/ Text Exploration: (12 pts)

1- Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following: (1 pt)

a- Primary (§1) = core

b- domain (§2) = field

c- succeeded (§2) = passed

2- Transform the following adjectives to adverbs then complete the sentences using them: (2 pts)

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- b- Jack understood the new grammar rules easily.
- c- I would like to buy a house, but it's financially impossible for me at the moment.
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3- Rewrite sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a): (2 pts):

a-The journalist asked them: “What kind of work do you think you will do for a career?”

b-The journalist asked them **what kind of work they thought they would do for a career.**

a-The editor asked me: “Can the journalist attend the press conference?”

b-The editor asked me **if the journalist could attend the press conference.**

a-“I try to learn new words every day”, the student said

b-The student said **that he/she tried to learn new words every day.**

4- Classify the following words according to the stressed syllable: (1,5 pt)

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1 st syllable	2 nd syllable
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5- Fill in the gaps with words from the list: (1 pt)

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Learning a language takes time and **effort** but there are ways to make it easier. One useful strategy is to practise **regularly** by speaking and reading every day. Another tip is to use apps to learn vocabulary. Also, don't be afraid of making mistakes. Finally, try to immerse yourself in the **language** by watching movies or listening to podcasts.

Written Expression: (5 pts)

Choose one of the following topics:

Criteria	Relevance	Semantic coherence	Correct use of English	Excellence (vocab+ creativity)	Final score
	1	1	2	1	5