Test 3

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CLASS:	_____	**MARK:**	_____
			100
			(Time: 50 minutes)

Vocabulary

A Complete the sentences with the correct word.

talented • intelligent • curious • incredible • philosopher • accurate • detailed • whole • perfect • mirror

1 My friend achieved … things in painting.
2 This … described his theory of relativity.
3 Da Vinci created very … maps for future usage.
4 Pushkin is considered the most … poet of all time.
5 As a boy of ten he is so … for his age.
6 Like all girls my little sister is rather …
7 This review has a very … description of the film.
8 Can you use … writing to code your notes?
9 In general, human body has … proportions.
10 The painter used this colour for a … range of pictures.

(Points: ____ 10 x 1 10)

B Underline the correct item.

1 Ahead of their **time/ day**
2 Win a **place/ seat** in history
3 **Freshly/ Newly** discovered
4 **Get/ Fall** in love
5 **Speak/ Tell** a myth
6 **Get/ Fall** rid of sth
7 For **good/ better**
8 To this **day/ time**
9 A painting's **skeleton/ frame**
10 A trade **route/ path**

(Points: ____ 10 x 1 10)

C Fill in prepositions if necessary

on • in • of • on • about • against • to • on • into • with

1 … 10th of May
2 … his lifetime
3 three … his pictures
4 busy … painting
5 based … sketches
6 make notes … people
7 fight … armies
8 according … the story
9 float … the water
10 dive … the water

(Points: ____ 10 x 1 10)

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Grammar

D Choose the correct item.

1 When did you … this picture?
A finished **B** finish **C** finishing

2 Who … that invention?
A created **B** did create **C** create

3 … writing on the table!
A stop **B** stopped **C** stopping

4 My sister … painting last year.
A tryed **B** tried **C** trying

5 Why did he … so early?
A died **B** dyed **C** die

6 What … he … in his life?
A did achieve **B** was achieving **C** achieved

7 At five we … in the garden.
A were walking **B** waked **C** walking

8 … did that girl go last night?
A When **B** How long **C** Where

9 It was raining … .
A yesterday **B** all day **C** last week

10 … cities have you visited in the UK?
A What **B** Which **C** How

Points: 10 x 2 ____ 20

Everyday English

E Choose the correct response.

1 A: How was your weekend?
B: **a** I think great.
b Great, thanks.

2 A: Did you have a nice time?
B: **a** Yes, it was fantastic.
b Sure, no problem.

3 A: We met two famous actors this weekend.
B: **a** Really?
b That sounds interesting.

4 A: Did you have a nice holiday?
B: **a** Oh, I didn't do anything special.
b So that's all right.

5 A: We went on a day trip to Kolomenskoye?
B: **a** Oh, really?
b Well done.

Points: 5 x 2 ____ 10

Reading

F Read the text and mark the sentences T (true), F (false) or NS (not stated).

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Pandora's Box

In ancient Greece there were two brothers named Epimetheus and Prometheus. They upset the gods and annoyed the most powerful of all Gods, Zeus. He came up with a very cunning plan to punish the two brothers. He created a woman from clay, called her Pandora and sent her as a gift to Epimetheus.

His brother Prometheus warned him not to accept any gifts from the gods but Epimetheus thought Pandora was so beautiful that she could never cause any harm, so he agreed to marry her.

Zeus, pleased that his trap was working, gave Pandora a wedding gift of a beautiful box. Unfortunately, she could never open the box. Pandora was very curious about the contents of the box but she promised not to open it. Time passed and all Pandora could think about was to unlock the box and to find out its secrets.

Finally, Pandora could stand it no longer. When she knew Epimetheus was out of sight, she took the huge key off the high shelf, fitted it carefully into the lock and turned it. But, at the last moment, she felt a pang of guilt, and quickly locked the box again without opening the lid. Three more times she did this until, at last, she knew she had to look inside or she would go completely mad!

So, she unlocked the box and looked into it. But there was no gleam of gold or treasure. The look of excitement on her face quickly turned to one of disappointment and then horror. For Zeus had packed the box full of all the terrible evils he could think of. Out of the box poured disease and poverty. Out came misery, death, sadness - all shaped like tiny buzzing moths.

The creatures stung Pandora over and over again and she shut the lid. Her husband ran into the room to see why she was crying in pain. Pandora could still hear a voice calling to her from the box, asking her to be let out. Epimetheus agreed that nothing inside the box could be worse than the released horrors, so they opened the lid once more.

All that remained in the box was Hope. It fluttered from the box like a beautiful dragonfly, touching the wounds created by the evil creatures, and healing them. Even though Pandora had released pain and suffering upon the world, she had also allowed Hope to follow them.

1 Epimetheus and Prometheus were relatives. .....
2 Zeus was angry with the brothers. .....
3 Zeus forgave the brothers' sins. .....
4 Pandora was a kind woman. .....
5 Pandora fell in love with Prometheus. .....
6 Pandora wanted to see the contents of the box. .....
7 Pandora didn't keep her promise. .....

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8 Zeus put only all the terrible evils into the box. .....

9 Epimetheus helped Pandora to open the box twice.....

10 The evil creatures were very cruel with Pandora. .....

Points: 10 x 2 ____ 20

Writing

G Read the biography and make the fact file. Include:

- the name,
- the time of birth,
- the place of birth,
- his early years,
- achievements,
- later years.

Points: ____ 20

John Glenn

John Glenn was born on July 18, 1921 in Cambridge, Ohio. He grew up in the small town of New Concord, Ohio. After graduating from the local high school in 1939, he attended nearby Muskingum College. Glenn then joined the American war effort in 1942 by entering into the Naval Aviation Cadet Program. The following year, he completed his studies and was deployed in the Pacific front of World War II with the marines.

After the war, Glenn stayed in the military. He then enrolled in the U.S. Navy Test Pilot School in Patuxent River, Maryland. In 1957, the daring pilot set a new speed record for traveling from Los Angeles to New York. He went from coast to coast in three hours and 23 minutes.

In 1959, Glenn took on a new challenge when he was selected for the U.S. Space Program. He went through rigorous training and became known as the "Mercury 7." At the time, the United States was locked in a heated race with the Soviet Union over advancements in space technology and research. Glenn made his own significant contribution on February 20, 1962.

On that fateful day, Glenn piloted the Friendship 7 spacecraft, which was launched from Kennedy Space Center in Florida. He orbited Earth three times during his mission, which lasted nearly five hours. But this historic journey was not without some glitches. In the control room, NASA officials grew worried that Glenn's heat shield was not firmly attached to the spacecraft. Glenn made some adjustments, and managed to make a safe landing.

After this ground-breaking mission, Glenn became an American hero. President John F. Kennedy even gave him the NASA Distinguished Service Medal, and the two eventually became friends. Kennedy encouraged Glenn to consider a life in public service.