

### ASSESSMENT OF LEARNINGS

ACADEMIC PERIOD:	2020-2021	TERM:	Supplementary exam	subject:	LANGUAGE ARTS			
TEACHER/S:	Vicente Suárez				GRADE:	9 <sup>th</sup>	COURSE:	A
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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:	<div>1. Read the questions carefully.</div> <div>2. You have <b>60 minutes</b> to develop the evaluation.</div> <div>3. If you have completed the exam, review it carefully and then submit.</div>							

#### Reading Part 1. Identify the correct answer. 5pts

#### HYPNOTISM



We have all seen those cartoons where the crazy scientists hypnotize someone with a swinging watch and their eyes become strange and they do anything the scientist tells them to do. But that's not how hypnotism really works. Doctors now use hypnotism to help people with problems, like giving up smoking.

Franz Mesmer, an Austrian scientist, first introduced the idea of hypnotism. He believed that a hypnotist had special powers that could be used to control other people. This effect was called mesmerism. Early ideas about magicians, swinging watches, and hypnotism probably came from him, because he had a very active imagination, and he saw himself as a magician.

Today, scientists see hypnotism in a different way. They think it's a natural state of deep focus and relaxation. During hypnosis, someone shuts out other things, focusing intently only on one thing. When we read a book, watch a movie, or drive a car, we're in a sort of hypnosis, because we concentrate strongly on that activity.

During hypnosis, people are usually more relaxed and more creative. It is also very easy to convince them to do something. That means, they are more open to

ideas and requests, but only if they are happy with the requests. The mind avoids all other things and the person can focus completely on what the scientist is asking them to do.

Doctors use hypnosis to help people deal with pain, or if they have had an accident. Women have used it while having their babies, to help them to control the pain. People have found that it helps to stop bad habits, such as smoking, or to get a better night's sleep.

There are a lot of ideas about hypnotism which are not correct. Some people think you can get a person to do anything when they are hypnotized, but that is not true. During hypnosis, people are more willing to listen and respond to ideas, but they still have control over their actions. They won't do something that they really don't want to do, because their brain will not let them be controlled.

*The Tribune*

#### QUESTIONS

1) Some people

- A) use hypnotism with their friends and family.
- B) like to hypnotize themselves.
- C) have the wrong idea of hypnotism.
- D) are scared of hypnotism.

2) Hypnotism first appeared

- A) in Egypt.
- B) with someone from Austria.
- C) with the Chinese.
- D) in India.

3) Hypnotism

- A) is considered dangerous by scientists.
- B) is avoided by doctors.
- C) is sometimes used by religious leaders.
- D) is actually quite natural.

4) Difficult people

- A) are easier to convince with hypnotism.
- B) cannot be hypnotized.
- C) become aggressive when hypnotized.
- D) should avoid hypnotism.

5) What would be a good introduction to this article?

- A) Hypnosis can be used in many different ways but beware, it will make you do things that you don't really want to do.
- B) Hypnosis helps you listen and respond to ideas. It can be used in many ways to help break bad habits, to relax or to ease pain.

- C) Franz Mesmer was the first person to use hypnosis as a way of controlling people and making them do everything he said.
- D) In this text, Franz Mesmer, an Austrian scientist, explains his method for hypnotizing people and the outcomes that can be achieved.

**Reading Part 2 Choose which section of the text corresponds to each person. 5pts**

#### WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

##### **A - EQUESTRIAN WEEKEND**

This equestrian event will bring together the best jockeys and horses to take place in dressage and jumping demonstrations. Saturday and Sunday evening. Pony rides available for children aged 5 to 12.

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##### **B - ICE SPECTACULAR**

A Q.5 musical show on ice starring the world championship skater Jack Williams. Amazing effects and music -Q.5 only this Saturday. Afternoon and evening shows available.

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##### **C - TELETOWER OPEN DAY**

The telecommunications tower, Q.1 the tallest building in the city, is opening its doors to the public this weekend. Travel in Q.1 the glass elevator to the top of the building for some amazing views of the city.

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##### **D - ROCKET RACES**

Come and compete or watch the competition, which takes place this weekend over three days. International teams compete to race their virtual cars to the finish line. Suitable for computer lovers who love speed and special effects.

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##### **E - KATIE JACKSON**

If you love Indie music, this is an event not to be missed! Q.2 Katie Jackson presents her new album at the Riverside Concert Hall on Saturday and Sunday.

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##### **F - GRAFFITI ART**

Graffiti is a form of Q.4 art that fascinates young people and is becoming more and more popular in today's world. Q.4 The Banksy Gallery presents its new collection of graffiti art this weekend.

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##### **G - BOAT RACE**

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A boat race with a difference! Make your own boats out of recycled materials and race them in the lake. Children and adult categories. Takes place on Saturday and Sunday at 11 a.m.

## H - THE GAMES FESTIVAL

Learn all about the newest board games available and come and try them out at Q.3 The Games Festival this weekend. Open from 9 a.m. until 10 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. Suitable for all ages. Games for everyone!

*The Herald*

### QUESTIONS - Kids

- 1 - **Gina** has her own boat and goes sailing when she can. She is going shopping with her mother on Saturday and would like to take her to see a view of the city from high up. Her mother is a keen photographer and likes taking pictures of city landscapes.
- 2 - **Harry and his friends**, who are members of the school equestrian team, are total Katie fans, and have heard that she will be in town this weekend. They want tickets for her concert as they love her music.
- 3 - **The Locke family** are looking for a suitable event for this weekend. They want something for all the family and particularly enjoy playing games together. They aren't keen on computers and need something that is open all day.
- 4 - **Kaitlin** is an avid artist and has heard that there is a great exhibition in town. She loves different kinds of art, especially modern art. She loves helping her brother make rockets.
- 5 - **Noa and her sister** are Q.5 free on Saturday afternoon and they want to see a show in town. They love anything to do with music and sports and are particularly interested in winter sports as they both love skiing.

### Reading Part 3 choose the correct word for each space from the set of words given. 6pts

#### Milk

Milk is a white liquid made by many (1)  animals. Newborn (2)  have no teeth. That is why they must be given milk before they can eat (3)  food. Milk has many nutrients to help babies (4)  and be healthy. It is also a rich (5)  of calcium which is good for your bones and teeth. If milk is not kept cold in a refrigerator, it goes bad after some (6) .

*The Tribune*

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| (1)        | (3)        | (5)         |
| A eve      | A solid    | A beginning |
| B feminine | B hard     | B source    |
| C female   | C rough    | C spring    |
| D dame     | D heavy    | D origin    |
| (2)        | (4)        | (6)         |
| A dwarves  | A expand   | A hour      |
| B children | B rise     | B year      |
| C kids     | C increase | C time      |
| D babies   | D grow     | D age       |

Listening Part 1. Select the correct option. 7pts

1 - Which sound could the speaker not have heard?



A



B



C

2 - Which activity was the speaker too busy to do?



A



B



C

3 - What did the speaker leave for another person to do?



A



B



C

4 - Which activity did the speaker have to leave for another day?



A



B



C

5 - Which item does the speaker obviously not use?



A



B



C

6 - What weapon does the speaker make a mistake about?



A



B



C

7 - What will the speaker not have for breakfast?



A



B



C

Listening Part 2. Complete the gaps with the word you hear. 6pts

### SOAP CARVING

Every student will be given a (1)  bar of soap.

Miss Lawson is experienced in carving (2)  from wood.

To copy the model, the best way to start is to (3)  the soap.

When adding detail, make sure it goes in the right (4) .

You have enough time so you won't need to (5) .

The best carvings will be on exhibition in the school (6) .



10 marks

Complete the text with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.



### ***An amazing language learner***

Susanna Zaraysky (1) \_\_\_\_\_ (study) 11 languages (English, Russian, French, Spanish, Italian, Portuguese, Croatian, Ladino, Hebrew, Arabic and Hungarian) and speaks eight of them.

Susanna (2) \_\_\_\_\_ (be) born in Russia and first (3) \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) English when she (4) \_\_\_\_\_ (move) to California. She (5) \_\_\_\_\_ (study) French and Spanish at school. Then, one day, she (6) \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) some tourists speaking in Italian and (7) \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) to learn that language. Portuguese came next and then all her other languages.

Susanna (8) \_\_\_\_\_ (write) several books and (9) \_\_\_\_\_ (be) on TV many times. She (10) \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a special interest in language and music for many years. On her blog, you'll find many interesting articles about this, as well as video clips and language-learning advice.

