Wiliam Kamkawamba

William Kamkwamba was Born in Kasungu,Malawi. He is a young school boy who comes from a family of farmers who live in the nearby village of Wimbe. William also dabbles in fixing radios for his friends and neighbors and spends his free time looking through the local junkyard for salvageable electronic components.

Although he is soon barred مُنع from attending school due to his parents' inability to pay his tuition fees, William blackmails his science teacher (who is in a secret relationship with William's sister) into letting him continue attending his class and have access to the school's library where he learns about electrical engineering and energy production.

By the mid-2000s, failing crops due to drought and the resulting famine مجاعة has devastated William's village, leading to riots أعمال شغب over government rationing تقنين and William's family being robbed of their already meager ضئيل grain stores. People soon begin abandoning the village, and William's sister elopes تهرب with his former teacher in order to leave her family "one less mouth to feed".

Seeking to save his village from the drought, William devises a plan to build a windmill to power an electric water pump that he had scavenged earlier. William builds a small proof of concept prototype نموذج مبدئي which works successfully, but to build a larger windmill, William requires his father, Trywell, to give permission to deconstruct the family bicycle in parts, which is the only bicycle in the village and the family's last major asset. His father believes the exercise futile غير مُجدي and destroys the prototype. However, after intervention from William's mother, he and his father reconcile, and with the help of his

friends and the remaining members of the village, they build a full-size windmill which leads to a successful crop being sown زُرعت .

A) Match – Write the correct number in the box.

1	What is the name of the boy?		Trywell
2	What is the name of the country?		Kamkwamba
3	What is the name of the village?		William
4	What is the name of the father?		Kasungu
5	What is the William´s surname?		Malawi

B) Complete the sentences using the words in the box.

also	although
born in	barred from
comes from	family of
nearby village	who live in
of	

1. William is _____ a scientist.
2. The Wind _____ _____ all sides.
3. William's family and friends are people ___ _____ ___ Africa.
4. Buy corn in _____ _____ ___ here.
5. William was _____ ___ Malawi.
6. It was a _____ ____ religious.
7. William insisted to continue his studies _____ he faced many problems
8. Wiliam was _____ _____ his school because His family wasn't able to pay the fees.

C) Answer the following questions.

When do the facts happen?

What resulted from the lack of harvest, hunger and drought?

What did people do next?

What message did the daughter leave before she ran away?

What does William plan to build? Did he succeed?

D) Decipher the sentence below from the following tip: The bicycle is necessary for William's experience, but it belongs to his father.

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