THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY - FINAL TASK

ACTIVITY 1: Answer the following questions.

a) When and where was Oscar Wilde born?

b) What was his father's occupation?

c) Where did Oscar Wilde study?

d) What was the title of his first published book?

e) How many novels did Wilde write?

f) Name four of his successful plays.

g) Where and when did he die?

ACTIVITY 2: For questions 1 - 8, choose the correct answer **A, B, C** or **D**.

1. Where did Lord Henry Wotton tell Basil to exhibit his picture?
    a. At the National Gallery.
    b. At the British Museum.
    c. At the Grosvenor.
    d. At the Tate.

2. Why did Basil not want to exhibit the picture?
    a. Because he was afraid it showed the secret of his heart.
    b. Because it would make Dorian Gray angry.
    c. Because he knew he wouldn't receive much money for it.
    d. Because he didn't think it was good enough to exhibit.

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3. What did Dorian Gray look like?
    a. He had golden hair and green eyes.
    b. He had brown hair and brown eyes.
    c. He had black hair and blue eyes.
    d. He had golden hair and blue eyes.

4. Who did Dorian Gray fall in love with?
    a. A nurse.
    b. A teacher.
    c. An actress.
    d. A painter.

5. Why did Dorian Gray decide he no longer wanted to marry Sibyl Vane?
    a. Because she decided she wanted to go to Australia.
    b. Because she acted very badly one night.
    c. Because he decided she was very ugly.
    d. Because he discovered she had been unfaithful to him.

6. When did Dorian Gray realise his portrait had changed?
    a. After he had decided to marry Sibyl after all.
    b. Before the night Sibyl acted badly.
    c. After Lord Henry had come to visit him to tell him Sibyl was dead.
    d. When Basil came to visit him, after his visit to the opera with Lord Henry.

7. After many years Dorian revealed the portrait to Basil and then he killed him. How?
    a. He shot him with a pistol.
    b. He strangled him.
    c. He poisoned him.
    d. He stabbed him with a knife.

8. What did Dorian ask Alan Campbell to do with Basil's body?
    a. Take the body away so that it would be discovered elsewhere.
    b. Destroy the body scientifically.
    c. Throw the body into a river.
    d. Dig a grave for the body and bury it.

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ACTIVITY 3: For questions 1 - 15, which of the people in the box are the following statements true?

DORIAN GRAY	BASIL HALLWARD	LORD HENRY	SIBYL VANE
ALAN CAMPBELL	A COUNTRY GIRL		

1. He met Dorian at Lady Brandon's. _____
2. He said he could believe anything if it was incredible. _____
3. He was the painter's inspiration. _____
4. He was a bad influence on people. _____
5. He had a beautiful, musical voice. _____
6. She called Dorian "Prince Charming". _____
7. He said it was absurd for Dorian to marry an actress. _____
8. She swallowed some poison. _____
9. He gave Dorian the news about Sibyl's death. _____
10. He read a fascinating book which Lord Henry sent him. _____
11. He was stabbed. _____
12. He disposed of Basil's body. _____
13. He was recognised in the opium den. _____
14. She wanted to run away with him. _____
15. He wanted to destroy the past and stabbed the portrait. _____

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