ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST

GRADE SEVEN

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Semester One
First Session

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School		Class	

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	LISTENING	10	
	GRM/VCB	10	
TEST SCORES	READING	10	
	WRITING	10	
	TOTAL	40	

LISTENING 1 (Items 1-5) (5 marks)

You are going to hear five people speaking. <u>Who are they?</u>
Listen and for each item, shade in the bubble ⬭ *under the correct option.*

	teacher	shopkeeper	dentist	policeman	Zookeeper	mother
1.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
2.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
3.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
4.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
5.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭

LISTENING 2 (Items 6-10)   **(5 marks)**

You are going to hear a report about The Omani Date's Festival.
*Listen and for each item, write a <u>short</u> answer (**not more than FOUR WORDS**).*

1. Where was the dates festival held?

2. How many types of dates were presented in the festival?

3. Why was the festival held?

4. What can you buy from the festival?

5. When will be the next festival?

VOCABULARY (Items 1-5) (2½ marks)

For each item, read the definition and the example.
Then complete the word in the space provided.
You are given the first letter(s) of the word. Make sure your spelling is correct.

Example: (noun) a room where food is prepared and cooked
e.g. They keep the fridge in the **kit** c h e n.

1. (noun) a school subject
   e.g. Mr. Salim teaches us   sc _ _ _ _ _ .

2. (superlative adjective) biggest
   e.g. Sahara desert is the   la _ _ _ _ _   desert in the world.

3. (verb) to take something not yours illegally
   e.g. Look, that person is planning to   st _ _ _   the bike.

4. (adverb) not slowly-fast
   e.g. The car is moving so   qu _ _ _ _ _ .

5. (noun) a group of seas
   e.g. The Atlantic is smaller than the Pacific   oc _ _ _ .

GRAMMAR   **(Items 6-10)**   **(2½ marks)**

For each item, shade in the bubble ◯ *under the correct option.*
(There are five extra words in the box.)

My favourite hobby is watching TV. Whenever I have free time, I (6)_____ watching
Television. Hobbies help us expand our knowledge and teaches us several things. First, I
like to finish all my school homework (7)_____then start watching TV. This controls
(8)_____ mood and makes me excited to learn new things, as (9)_____ increases my
curiosity about the world. Watching different useful programs on TV enhances my
knowledge and gives me lots (10)_____ joy.

	eat	my	but	are	it	love	of	ours	on	and
6.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯
7.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯
8.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯
9.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯
10.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯

GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY (Items 11-20) (5 marks)

For each item, shade in the bubble ⭘ next to the correct option.

A robot is an (11)_____. It is a special kind of machines that (12)_____given instruction. The instructions come from (13) _____computer. Because it is a machine which doesn't make mistakes (14)_____it does not get tired. (15)_____never complains. Robots are all around (16)_____;some robots are used to make things. Some robots are used to explore dangerous places. One of the (17)_____concerns about the introduction of robotic automation (18)_____the impact on jobs done by people. These days scientists (19)_____thinking on how to use robots(20)_____do things people cannot do.

11. ⭘ Invention   ⭘ inventor   ⭘ invented   ⭘ invent
12. ⭘ puts   ⭘ changes   ⭘ follows   ⭘ challenges
13. ⭘ in   ⭘ a   ⭘ an   ⭘ on
14. ⭘ but   ⭘ and   ⭘ so   ⭘ the
15. ⭘ it   ⭘ he   ⭘ she   ⭘ they
16. ⭘ I   ⭘ they   ⭘ we   ⭘ us
17. ⭘ big   ⭘ biggest   ⭘ bigger   ⭘ more big
18. ⭘ am   ⭘ are   ⭘ is   ⭘ were
19. ⭘ is   ⭘ be   ⭘ was   ⭘ are
20. ⭘ to   ⭘ at   ⭘ in   ⭘ of

READING 1 (Items 1-4)   (4 marks)

Match the texts with the pictures.
For each text, shade in the bubble ⬭ under the correct option.

A.

B.

C.

D.

E.

F.

Pictures

Texts	A	B	C	D	E	F
1. I enjoy making sculptures on the sand with my little brothers. We work together to design beautiful forts and shapes.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
2. Ali lives near the beach. He likes fishing. He sometimes goes fishing with his father.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
3. Ahmed spends his free time riding his bike. It is a good exercise and he enjoys this hobby.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭
4. My school organizes a six kilometres running race every year. Students feel excited about it. I am planning to participate this year.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭

Read the text. Then complete the task.

Who doesn't like shopping? I like everything about shopping. It makes me happyall the time. I actually like shopping for many reasons.

First, shopping is my favorite hobby. I like to spend time in the big supermarket near my home. I usually go there every Sunday. I go shopping withmy children Amal and Noor. They like shopping, just like me. Although, they spend a lot of money in chocolate and playing. However, I don't mind that since it makes them happy. Amal likes buying ice-cream a lot when we go shopping, but her sister Noor is interested in toys. She has more than 100 toys!!

Another reason why I like shopping is to meet my friends. Every weekend, I goto Muscat and spend all my time at the malls. Muscat has many big malls and supermarkets. However, Lulu is the best one for me. When I go to Muscat, I meet my friend Muna. She likes to spend her money on clothes and shoes.

Moreover, we like shopping because of the good cafes and restaurants at themalls. They offer the sweetest drinks. I don't like to eat in the supermarkets, butmy friend does. She likes to eat pizza and burger. Her favorite restaurant is MacDonald.

READING 2 (continued)

For each item, shade in the bubble ⬭ next to the correct option.

5. The writer fells_____when he goes shopping.

   ⬭ sad   ⬭ happy   ⬭ sad

6. She usually goes to the supermarkets with her_____.

   ⬭ husband   ⬭ childern   ⬭ friends
   ⬭   ⬭   ⬭

7. Noor likes buying_____.

   ⬭ toys   ⬭ chocolate   ⬭ clothes

8. The writer usually goes to_____at the   s.
weekend

   ⬭ Muscat   ⬭ Nizwa   ⬭ Sur

9. _____ is her favourite mall.

   ⬭ MacDonald   ⬭ LuLu   ⬭ Grandmall

10. Muna likes eating burger and_____when they go shopping.

   ⬭ chicken   ⬭ pizza   ⬭ fish

READING SCORE   10

*Write a paragraph about an <u>animal</u> called **killer whale**. Use **ALL** the information in the box. Your writing should be correct and well-organized.*

Killer Whale

Live/Cold places/coastal waters

color/black and white

large/dolphins   echolocation / communicate and hunt

penguins/ seals/ fish

pods/40 whales   swim/40 miles a day

Marker A	Marker B	Average

WRITING 2 (6 marks)

*Complete the following task. Write **at least 60 words**.*

<u>Situation</u>: Your friend Salim/ Salwa is planning for the next ***summer holiday***.
He/shewants to have unforgettable holiday in Oman.
Write an ***email*** to him/her helping them what they can visit and where to go.

Your writing should be well-organized,.

Marker A	Marker B	Average