



NILE INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION SYSTEM  
Grade 6 Mock Test

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**ENGLISH**

Paper 1 – READING AND WRITING

**GRADE 6**

**MOCK 2024**

**60 minutes**

Answer on the Question Paper.

No additional materials are required.

**INSTRUCTIONS**

- Write your name, center number, and candidate number in the boxes at the top of the page.
- Answer **all** questions.
- Use a black or dark blue pen.
- Do **not** use any erasable pen or correction fluid.

**INFORMATION**

- The total number of marks for this paper is 25.
- The number of marks for each question or part question is shown in brackets ( ).

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Reading	Mark	Marker	Reviewer
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Writing	Mark	Marker	Reviewer
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**Reading Part 1**  
**Questions 1-5 (5 marks)**

**Read the text about 'Climate Change'. Answer the questions which follow. For each question, answer A, B, C or D.**

Climate change is an important global issue that has dangerous effects on our planet. Human activities, such as burning fossil fuels and removal of trees, release large amounts of greenhouse gases into the atmosphere, leading to an increase in the Earth's average temperature. This warming effect, known as global warming, is a main factor of climate change. One of the important effects of climate change is the rise in sea levels.

As temperatures increase, polar ice mountains and glaciers melt, causing oceans water to rise. This results in sea flooding, threatening areas near the oceans and islands. Additionally, extreme weather events, such as hurricanes, droughts, and heatwaves, have become more repeated, causing destroying effects on communities and habitats.

The results of climate change also extend to biological life. Many species struggle to keep up with the quickly changing environmental conditions, leading to many changes in habitats and the loss of what is called biodiversity which refers to a variety of life on earth.

This not only affects the natural balance of habitats but also has effects on food security, as many humans depend on various and healthy ecosystems for their source of income. There are many efforts to focus on climate change problem locally and internationally.

Many scientific experiments were focused on reducing greenhouse gas release and tried to present other ways to help protect energy sources and prevent them from being destroyed. Renewable energy, such as solar and wind power, plays a main role in reducing the negative impacts of climate change.

Additionally, international efforts are needed by all countries to create effective policies and laws that aim to limit global temperature rise to ensure protecting the energy sources for the coming generations.

**Questions**

**1- What is the writer trying to do in the text?**

- a) Warn from the increased greenhouse gases
- b) Give instructions about how to limit global warming
- c) Raise awareness to protect energy sources
- d) Discuss the reasons of biodiversity

**2- Which human activities cause the release of greenhouse gases?**

- a) Burning fossil fuels
- b) Recycling
- c) Planting trees
- d) Using public transportation

**3- What is the result of rising sea levels?**

- a) Increased of snowfall
- b) Coastal flooding
- c) Removal of trees
- d) Reduced rainfall

**4- How did climate change affect the variety of life on earth?**

- a) Increased species adaptation
- b) Loss of animal's production
- c) Increased of greenhouse gases
- d) Loss of variety of life on earth

**5- What plays an important role in reducing the impacts of climate change?**

- a) Increased trees removal
- b) Dependence on fossil fuels
- c) Renewable energy sources
- d) Create effective policies and laws

**Reading Part 2**  
**Questions 6-10 (5 marks)**

Read the text and choose the best word that fits each gap. For each question, answer A, B, C or D.

**Healthy Habits**

Eating fruits and vegetables every day and going for a walk in the park are simple ways to live a healthy life. Keeping healthy habits is (6)..... for clear mind and strong body. One should put in his mind a good diet, including a variety of fruits, vegetables, and whole grains to ensure an enough amount of essential minerals and vitamins to build his body and protect the body from several diseases.

Regular (7)..... is also important; engaging in physical activities like walking, jogging, or cycling helps to keep the heart in good condition. Besides, staying (8)..... is needed for mental health, as the body needs enough amount of water to keep the body in a good condition.

Drinking water plays a main role in supporting body functions; drinking (9)..... water helps maintain proper body functions, skin health, and energy levels. Avoiding unhealthy food, such as junk and fried meals, fizzy drinks and too many sweets, is essential for a long life without suffering from illness.

Managing stressful situation and keeping calm are also considered as positive attitude which lead to balanced lifestyle. These habits not (10)..... enhance physical health but also help to more balanced and successful life.

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| <b>6</b>  | <b>(a)</b> healthy  | <b>(b)</b> balanced  | <b>(c)</b> important  | <b>(d)</b> hard       |
| <b>7</b>  | <b>(a)</b> sleep    | <b>(b)</b> exercise  | <b>(c)</b> cooking    | <b>(d)</b> meditation |
| <b>8</b>  | <b>(a)</b> hydrated | <b>(b)</b> concerned | <b>(c)</b> socialized | <b>(d)</b> relaxed    |
| <b>9</b>  | <b>(a)</b> many     | <b>(b)</b> plenty    | <b>(c)</b> some       | <b>(d)</b> enough     |
| <b>10</b> | <b>(a)</b> less     | <b>(b)</b> only      | <b>(c)</b> more       | <b>(d)</b> sometimes  |

**Writing Part 1**  
**Questions 11-15 (5 marks)**

**Complete the text. Use ONE word only for each gap.**

**Water Sports**

In summer, people enjoy water sports to cool off and have fun in the sun. Water sports are exciting activities (11).....people enjoy in oceans, lakes, or rivers. One popular water sport is swimming, where you move (12)..... the water using your arms and legs. Another fun sport is kayaking, where you paddle in a small boat. Windsurfing is interesting; it mixes surfing and sailing, letting you ride the waves with the wind's help. The (13)..... the waves get, the better you surf. Besides, snorkelling allows you to explore underwater life with a mask and fins. These sports provide (14)..... and a chance to connect with nature. So, (15).....you're surfing waves or exploring beneath the surface, water sports offer fantastic adventures.

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13-.....

14-.....

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**Writing Part 2**  
**EMAIL (10 marks)**

You received this email from a friend in another school. Write a reply to your friend, answering the questions in the email.

**Write between 40 and 50 words.**

Hi there!

I hope you are doing great at school. I miss hanging out together, I heard that you participated in the school exhibition about recycled material. I would like to take your advice to do the same. What type of materials can I recycle? What kinds of things can I make from recycled items? Did you sell the things you made?

I am looking forward to receiving your email.

  

Your friend,  
Dany

**From:** Samy

**To:** Dany

**Subject:** A Recycling Exhibition

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## Nile Egyptian International Schools – Jasmine branch

### English Block 5 Exam Grade 6

Student Name

Grade/Class

#### ENGLISH

Reading and writing 60 minutes  
Listening 12 minutes

Answer on the question paper.

No additional materials are required.

#### READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Write your name and school in the boxes above.

Write in dark blue or black pen.

You may use a soft pencil for any rough work.

Answer **all** questions.

For Teacher's Use	
Reading	
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## Reading Part 1

Read the text about Khalifa, a high school student, and his interest in music. Answer the questions which follow. For each question, answer A, B, C or D.

It is impossible to describe how much I love music. I have been playing a musical instrument since I was 10 years old, first just having fun with friends and trying out as many different instruments as I could, and now as part of the school band, playing the guitar.

It all started when my older brother was learning to play the piano. Although he wasn't very good at it, sometimes he made beautiful sounds and I thought, 'I'd love to be able to do that'. So, I looked for an instrument that I could learn to play too. It took me a long time to find the best one for me. I wanted one that was easy to carry and learn and not too expensive. I chose the guitar because it's all of these things and, most of all, because it's beautiful to look at. I'm always amazed that those few strings can make such amazing tunes.

School is good, but music makes it better. Music is an escape from boring lessons like maths and science and it's a way to relax, especially when I'm doing homework. I sleep, read and do homework better when there's music in the background. Of course, I can't listen to music in class time, so I'm really lucky to have the chance to make my own music in the school band.

Being part of a band is like being part of a sports team. The other instruments tell me when to play and help keep me in tune. If one person gets faster, we all get faster. If I start playing too early, everyone is out of time.

Like I said, it's impossible to describe how much I love music, and how important it is in my life.

### 1. What do we learn about Khalifa?

- A He has played lots of different instruments.
- B He finds it hard to play a musical instrument.
- C The first instrument he played was the clarinet.
- D He started playing in the school band at the age of 10.

### 2. According to the text, why did Khalifa decide to learn to play a musical instrument?

- A His brother offered to teach him.
- B He knew he could do better than his brother.
- C He wanted to do the same thing as his brother.
- D His brother wanted him to learn to play.

**3. What does Khalifa think is the best feature of his guitar?**

- A its size
- B its price
- C its weight
- D its appearance

**4. What does Khalifa say about music at school?**

- A He takes regular music tests.
- B It makes him enjoy school more.
- C It is always playing in the background.
- D He has to do music homework every day.

**5. According to Khalifa, why is being in a band like being in a sports team?**

- A because one mistake affects everyone else
- B because their teacher always tell them what to do
- C because they have to practise early in the morning
- D because it's important to play as quickly as possible

## Reading Part 2

Read the text and choose the best word that fits each gap. For each question, answer A, B, C or D

### Using things again and again

How many things that you use are made of plastic? In our modern world, plastic is very important. We use it every day and it is difficult to imagine our lives without it. But very often we use it only once – for example, plastic bags and bottles – and every day we (1)..... lots of plastic away.

Unfortunately, plastic (2)..... not change as time passes and so it takes up a lot of space if we do not use it again. This is a huge problem for the environment. But using plastic again is not easy to do because it is (3)..... long and difficult process.

There are hundreds of different types of plastic and they all need to be processed in different ways using different machines. Plastic bottles, for example, go into a special machine (4)..... sorts them into bottles of different types. The next machine squashes the bottles to make them flat. The third machine cuts them into lots of small (5)..... . These are washed before the final stage. This is when machines melt the plastic and make it into new bottles, ready to be used again and again.

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| 1. (A) leave  | (B) put    | (C) let   | (D) throw |
| 2. (A) is     | (B) does   | (C) has   | (D) would |
| 3. (A) the    | (B) any    | (C) a     | (D) some  |
| 4. (A) who    | (B) what   | (C) where | (D) which |
| 5. (A) pieces | (B) things | (C) sorts | (D) parts |

# Writing

## Part 1 OPEN CLOZE

Complete each gap in the text. Use **ONE** word only for each gap.

By now you've arrived at school and I hope .....(1)..... you're feeling comfortable in your new surroundings. I remember .....(2)..... excited I was when I went abroad for the first time. I imagine .....(3)..... you may start to feel a little lonely in the next few weeks. Just .....(4)..... case, I'm attaching a leaflet on "culture shock" . It explains how you might have certain feelings and tells you .....(5)..... to do about them. Anyway, I'm sure that you'll have a great time in England - but always remember that you can rely on me if you need anything.

1. ....
2. ....
3. ....
4. ....
5. ....



A series of 25 horizontal dotted lines for handwriting practice, evenly spaced across the page.

**Paper 2 - Listening**  
**Part 1 (SENTENCE COMPLETION)**



**Questions 14-19**

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap.  
Write **one** or **two words** or a **number** or a **date** or a **time**.

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You will hear a student giving some information to his class about an acting club he's a member of.

**My acting club**

**Teacher:**

Appeared on TV as a (14) .....

Has mostly appeared in (15) ..... shows

**Sessions:**

First part - using your (16) ..... well

Second part - practising performance skills

Take place at the (17) .....

**Acting Club play:**

Called (18) '.....'

First performance - on (19) .....

## Listening Part 2



### Questions 20–25

For each question, choose the correct answer.

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You will hear an interview with a young woman called Lin, who makes online videos about environmental issues.

- 20** How did Lin learn how to start putting videos online?
- A She did a short course.
  - B She used information online.
  - C She asked someone she knew.
- 21** Why did Lin choose to focus on the environment?
- A A teacher recommended this topic.
  - B There were so few online videos about it.
  - C She'd been interested in it for a long time.
- 22** How did Lin feel when her online videos first became successful?
- A surprised it happened so quickly
  - B anxious about being seen by so many people
  - C certain that she would get even more followers
- 23** Lin says that to become successful, people should put videos online
- A every day.
  - B once a week.
  - C once a month.
- 24** Lin's latest video is about
- A climate change.
  - B public transport.
  - C recycling.
- 25** Why does Lin think it's important for her to try new things?
- A to stop herself becoming bored
  - B to learn more about the subject
  - C to create discussion about the topic