English First Term Exam 1SE- Scientific Streams

Read the text carefully, and then do the activities:

From : Eliza2007@gmail.com To : Jane-008@gmail.com

Dear Jane,

I'm very pleased that we're going to be friends. In this first email. I'll write few words about myself.

My name is Eliza. I'm sixteen years old. I go to the 1st general Secondary school in Beverly Hills. I chose a science class because I like biology and chemistry. I dislike history because it's difficult for me to memorize facts and dates. I usually go to school by bicycle. When the school finishes, I usually join my friends in the club. **There**, **we** spend our free time playing the piano.

I live with my family in the Beverly Hills, a town in the western part of Los Angeles in the USA. My house is situated in the outskirts of the town and it takes a lot of time to get to the town center by bus.

My father is a business owner and my mother is a housewife. I also have a sister who is still a student at University. My house is huge and beautiful. I am a pet lover. I have a dog, a cat, a canary and two fish. **They** need a lot of attention. Therefore, I regularly feed them. I play with my pets every day.

I'm looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Yours Sincerely,

Eliza

Send

Part One: I/ Comprehension and Interpretation:

1. **Underline the correct answer.**

The text is: **a. A test email** **b. An introductory email** **c. A business email**

2. **Say whether the following statements are true (True) or false (False).**

- Eliza is a high school pupil. ……..
- Eliza hates history because it's difficult. …….
- Eliza and her friends spend their free time playing the guitar. …….
- Eliza's house is very big. ……

3- Answer the following questions according to the text.

- Who is the email recipient?
- Does Eliza like animals? Justify
- How often does Eliza play with her pets?

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4- In which paragraph is it mentioned that she's not very good in memorizing facts and dates? .....

5- What or who do the underlined words in the text refer to?

We (§2) ……. **There (§2)** ……. **They (§4)** …….

II/ Text Exploration:

1. Match words with their synonyms:

1. dislikes	**A. located**
2. situated	**B. city**
3. outskirts	**C. hates**
4. town	**D. countryside**

2. Fill in the blanks with : must/ mustn't/ needn't/ or the right form of have to:

- He .....smoke here. It's not allowed.
- You .....buy meat. We already have some.

3. Join the pair of sentences using one of the following conjunctions: (both.....and) (either.....or) (neither....nor)

- She is polite. She is funny.
- The milk is not hot. The milk is not sweet.

4. Classify the words according to the stressed syllable.

connect – tennis – answer – window

1st syllable	**2nd syllable**

Part Two: Written Expression: Choose one of the following topics.

Topic 01: Imagine you received the email of Eliza, write a short email response to Eliza in which you: 1-Introduce yourself (age, school, favourite subject) / 2- Describe your regular activities using the appropriate frequency adverbs/ 3- Introduce your family (father-mother-sister-brother).

Topic 02: Using the notes bellow write a composition discussing the positive and negative aspects of Cellphones.

Advantages: Useful /modern/ means of communication/ make life easier. Different designs / different colors/ communications are faster. Use it to: talk to friends and relatives/ send and receive messages/ play games/ listen to music. Useful for: for communication / for work / for entertainment …

Disadvantages: Affect people's health: hearing /brain Disturbing at night/ distracting from work or studies/ make relations with dangerous person

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