

THE FIRST TERM ENGLISH TEST N1°

Read the text and do the activities below.

TEXT:

In the small African nation of Lumania, two neighbouring tribes had lived peacefully for generations. Yet, a serious disagreement over farming land turned into violent clashes last year. Villages were destroyed, and many families escaped to safer areas.

In response, community leaders and young volunteers came together to form a Peace Committee to help settle the conflict. After many meetings and discussions, **they** decided to end the fighting and share the land equally.

Thanks to international aid, schools were reopened and farmers received new tools and seeds to start again. The government later announced a Day of Unity so **it** reminds citizens of the importance of forgiveness and cooperation.

Today, the people of Lumania are slowly rebuilding their communities and learning to trust one another once more. The Peace Committee still works to prevent any new violence and to promote peaceful dialogue among all citizens.

Adapted from a fictional report by the African Peace Review Journal

1. Tick (✓) the correct answer:

This text is mainly:

- a) a short story b) a web article c) a news report

2. Decide whether these statements are "True" or "False":

- a- The conflict in Lumania started because of a land dispute.
b- The Peace Committee made the situation worse.
c- Foreign organizations supported the rebuilding process.
d- The government ignored the situation completely.

3. Answer the following questions according to the text:

a) What was the reason behind the conflict in Lumania?

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b) What action did local leaders and volunteers take?

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c) Why did the government create the "Day of Unity"?

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4. What or who do the underlined words refer to?

a) They (paragraph 2) →

b) It (paragraph 2) →

5. Find in the text words or expressions that are closest in meaning to:

a) Conflict (paragraph 1) =

b) Restart (paragraph 3) =

6. Rewrite the following sentences so that they have the same meaning:

A. People are required to live peacefully.

→ People live peacefully.

B. It is not allowed to destroy villages.

→ People destroy villages.

7. Express criticism or apology using should / shouldn't have:

A) a. The tribes destroyed many homes.

b. They

B) a. The government waited too long to react.

b. It

8. Spot and correct the mistake:

a. He was not able listens. →

b. I can wrote fast. →

c. By the end of the month, people was able to return home. →

d. Lumania although suffered, peace returned. →

9. Sort the following words according to the pronunciation of the final "-ed":

Shared – destroyed – reopened – created

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10. Fill in the blanks with the correct words:

(leaders – peace – conflicts – individuals – solve)

After the crisis, many worked hand in hand to rebuild in Lumania. Local tried to end the and the problems through dialogue and cooperation.

Written Expression:

Imagine you are the head teacher of your school. Write four (04) school rules using must or mustn't.

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THE CORRECTION

A. COMPREHENSION (09 pts)

1. Tick the correct answer (1 pt): c) a news report

2. True / False (2 pts):

a- The conflict in Lumania started because of a land dispute. **TRUE**

b- The Peace Committee made the situation worse. **FALSE**

c- Foreign organizations supported the rebuilding process. **TRUE**

d- The government ignored the situation completely. **FALSE**

3. Answer the questions (3 pts):

a) → **It started because two tribes disagreed over farming land.**

b) → **They created a Peace Committee to stop the fighting and restore peace.**

c) → **To remind people of the importance of forgiveness and cooperation.**

4. Word reference (1 pt):

a) They (paragraph 2) → **the two tribes / community leaders and young volunteers**

b) It (paragraph 2) → **Day of Unity**

5. Synonyms (1 pt):

a) Conflict = Disagreement

b) Restart = start again / rebuild

B. TEXT EXPLORATION (11 pts)

6. Sentence rewriting (2 pts):

A. People must live peacefully.

B. People mustn't destroy villages.

7. Criticize or apologize (2 pts):

A) They shouldn't have destroyed the homes.

B) It should have acted sooner.

8. Spot and correct mistakes (2 pts):

a. He was not able to listen.

b. I can write fast.

c. people were able to return home.

d. Although Lumania suffered, peace returned.

9. Pronunciation of "-ed" (2 pts):

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	Shared – destroyed – reopened	created

10. Fill in the blanks with the correct words:

After the crisis, many **individuals** worked hand in hand to rebuild **peace** in Lumania. Local **eaders** tried to end the **conflicts** and **solve** the problems through dialogue and cooperation.

C. WRITTEN EXPRESSION (04 pts)

Sample:

Pupils must respect their teachers and classmates.

Pupils mustn't bring mobile phones to school.

Pupils must wear their school uniform.

Pupils must keep the classroom clean and tidy.