

First term English test

2022/2023

Full name:.....

class: TCL

Dear Sara,

I've received your e-mail. I want to introduce myself, my family and talk to you about Country. (1§)

My name is Soujoud. I am the fourth child of a family of seven brothers and sisters. In Algeria, there are many children in most of the families. This year is my last year in the secondary school, so I have to work hard in order to succeed and go to the university. (2§)

I spend most of the time revising my lessons and looking for articles that concern my studies on the web. Every day, I get up early and prepare myself to a new day of studies. After school I need to relax at home for an hour before I start the review. But at weekends I often go to the stadium to watch a football match. (3§)

I live with my family in a small town 250 km east of the capital Algiers that is by the sea. The south of Algeria is famous for its dates called « Nour dates », traditional carpets and the soil resources such as oil and gas. (4§)

I think that is all for now. Bye.

Soujoud

A-Comprehension: Read the text then do the following activities

1- **The text is about :**

(1pt)

- a) Applying for a job. b) Inviting someone. c) Corresponding with someone.

-The text above is:

- a) A newspaper article b) A correspondence e-mail c) An acceptance letter

2- **Answer the following questions according to the text :**

(3pts)

- a- Who is the recipient and the sender of the e-mail?
b- How often does Soujoud get up early?
c- Does Soujoud always go to the stadium?
d- What is south of Algeria well known for?

3- **Say if the following statements are true or false :**

(2pts)

- a- Soujoud is a third year pupil at the secondary school.
b- She is the youngest member of her family.
c- She lives in south Algeria.
d- She often goes to the stadium to play football.

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

(1pt)

a-your →

b- I →

B)Text exploration : (8pnts)

1/ find in the text

a- **Wordsthat are closest in meaning to :** (1pt)

well known (4§) =.....

begin(3§) =.....

b- **Opposites of the following words :** (1pt)

Modern (4§) ≠.....

Few (3§)≠.....

2Fill in the gaps with : so as not/ in order to/ to

(1.5pts)

a- I am writing an emailsend it to my friend

b- I always get up early.....to arrive late.

c. I work so hardget good grades.

3Re-order the following words to get coherent sentences

(2pt)

a- Internet/information/the/for/use/I/always.

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b- bus/ school/often/to/goes/she/by.

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4.Give the correct form or tense of the words in brackets(1.5pt):

a- Melissa prefers **(to read)**books and magazines. She always **(to spend)**..... Her free time in the library. But she..... **(not go)** to the sport club every day.

5.Mark the stress in the following words:

(1pt)

connect→..... -modem→..... - revise→..... -brother→.....

6. Rearrange the following parts to get a coherent apology letter. (5pnts)

1. will never happen again

2. all the noise that my children

3. Yours respectfully

4. I promise that this

5. Dear Madam

6.I am writing to apologize for

7. have made last night

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Typical correction of the first term test

A/comprehension (7pnts)

- 1/ a. The text is about corresponding with someone. (0.5)
- b. the text is a correspondence e-mail ((0.5)
- 2/ a. the recipient is Soujoud, the sender is sarah. (0.75)
- b. Soujoud gets up early everyday (0.75)
- c. No, she often goes to the stadium to watch matches. (0.75)
- d. The south of Algeria is famous for its dates called « Nour dates », traditional carpets and the soil resources such as oil and gas. (0.75)

3/ true or false

- True
- False
- False
- True

4/ I → Sarah your→ Soujoud

B/ text exploration (8pnts)

1/Synonyms (1pnts)

well known= famous

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begin= start
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Opposites (1pnts)

modern $\neq$ traditional

few≠ most of

2/Fill in the gaps with : so as not/ in order to/ to

(1.5pts)

- a- I am writing an email in order to send it to my friend
b- I always get up early so as not to arrive late.
c. I work so hard to get good grades.

3/ a. I always use the internet for information

b. She often goes to school by bus

4. Melissa prefers **to read** books and magazines. She always **spends** Her free time in the library. But she **doesn't go** to the sport club every day.

5/ Mark the stress in the following words:

(1pt)

Con'nect

'modem

re'vise

'brother

6/ reorder

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Dear Madam

I am writing to apologize for all the noise that my children have made last night I promise that this will never happen again

Yours respectfully