

First Term English Test

Send Email	From : mehdi17@gmail.com	To : Davidsmith@gmail.com
Dear David, I saw your name on the Internet so I decided to write to you and exchange information about each other. My name is Mehdi. I am 17 years old. I am a secondary school pupil. I live with my family. We are Algerians and we live in the city of Algiers. I have two brothers and a sister and I am the youngest. My father is a carpenter while my mother is a teacher. During the week, I am very busy with my studies, so I always prepare my schoolwork and do my exercises. I rarely go out. However, on weekends, I sometimes join friends to play some sports. I can't wait to hear from you soon. Yours faithfully, Mehdi		
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Part One:**I/ Reading Comprehension:**

1- Read the text and choose the right answer:

- The text is: a- an email b- an invitation c- a job application
- Mehdi has: a- 2 siblings b- 3 siblings c- none

2- Read the text and answer with “true”, “false” or “not mentioned”:

- Mehdi is a high school pupil.
- He is the youngest in his family.
- He always goes out.
- He gets good grades.

3- Read the text and answer the following questions:

- Who is the sender? Who is the receiver?

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- Where did Mehdi see David's name?

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- What does he do on his free time?

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II/ Text Exploration:

1- Find in the text, words that are the closest/opposite in meaning to:

The Web =

Pals =

Never ≠

Eldest ≠

2- Reorder the following words to get coherent sentences:

- on / usually / Friday. / They / out / go
- I / novels / prefer / before / bed. / reading

3- Combine the following pairs of sentences with the connectors: “so as to” and “in order not to”.

A- Jenny should think carefully. She doesn’t want to make a bad choice.

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B- Jenny must make a good career choice. She wants to succeed in her life.

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4- Classify these words according to the number of syllables:

Secondary – School – Family –Teacher

1 syllable	2 syllables	3 syllables	4 syllables
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Part Two: Written Expression:

Nowadays, most of the teenagers are using social media such as Facebook and Instagram. These social websites have both positive and negative sides.

Write a short production in which you speak about the benefits and drawbacks of social media.

You may use the following notes:

- Keep in touch with friends and relatives. - Search easily for information. - Give your opinion freely.	- Addiction. - Spread misinformation. - Increase stress.
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Best of Luck