

Text*Successful career of a famous genius*

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**Questions****A/ Reading comprehension (14pts)****Activity one: Write "True" or "False" next to the following statements:**

- 1- Bill Gates married Melinda in 1995. **True**
- 2- Bill has two brothers and one sister. **False**
- 3- He started programming computing at the age of 16. **False**

Activity two: Answer the following questions according to the text:

- 1- Who is Bill Gates?
Bill Gates is one of the most influential and richest men in the world.
- 2- When was he born?
He was born on October 28th 1955.
- 3- Did he like reading ?
Yes, he did./ Yes./ He liked reading.

Activity three: Find in the text words opposite to the following:

Died ≠ **was born** Started = **began** (to begin)

B/ Mastery of language**Activity one: Join the sentences using "who" or "which" in the following sentences.**

- 1- A- Steve jobs created **Apple**.
B- **Apple** became a big company later.
→ **Steve jobs created Apple which became a big company later.**
- 2- A- **Jackie Chan** is an actor.
B- Jackie Chan was born in China.
→ **Jackie Chan is an actor who was born in China.**
- 3- A- **San Francisco** is a great city in California.
B- **San Francisco** is considered a touristic area.
→ **San Francisco which is a great city in California, is considered a touristic area.**

Activity two: Turn the verbs between brackets into the past simple tense :

Benjamin Franklin (to be born) **was born** on January 17th, 1706 in Boston. He (to live) **lived** in Boston; Massachusetts. He was famous of reading books, he (to discover) **discovered** electricity during his kite experiment. Franklin (to die) **died** on the 17th, January 1790 in Philadelphia.

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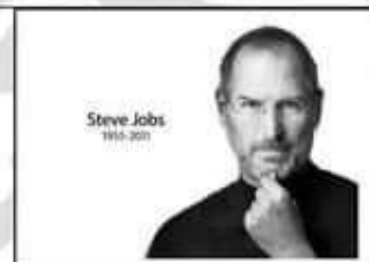
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Second term Test of English(02 مقطع)___3MS

Hello, my name is Yousra. Let me tell you my best childhood memories. When I was a child, I used to go to my grandparents' farm in the countryside. Every summer, all my cousins and I had wonderful moments there. I used to wait all the year for those days.

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In the evening, me and my cousins played many games. My favorite games used to be hide and seek and swing on trees. We used to watch cartoons like "Maruko" and "detective Conan". At night, my grandpa used to tell us scary stories. We always went to bed very late. I really miss those summer days.....I can't forget how happy I was at that time! Now, our grandparents died and unfortunately we don't go to the farm anymore.

Part One:

A/ Reading Comprehension (7pts)

TASK 1 : Read the above text and choose the right answer: [02 pts]

- Every summer, Yousra used to go to **The farmhouse** in the countryside.
a) The farmhouse b) The beach c) The Zoo
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a) Early b) late c) on time
- Her grandma used to cook food using **wooden stove**
a)The cooker b) the microwave c) wooden stove
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a) scary b) funny c) boring

TASK 02 : Read the text and answer the questions. [03 pts]

- Did Yousra use to play with her cousins?
Yes, she did.
- Who used to cook food?
Grandma used to cook food.
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They used to watch cartoons like "Maruko" and "detective Conan".

TASK 03 : Lexis

A/ Find in the text words which have the same meaning as the following: [02 pts]

Beautiful (§1) = **Wonderful**

Kid (§1)= **child**

B/ Find in the text words which are opposite in meaning to the following:

Winter(§1) ≠ **Summer**

b) Unhappy(§3) ≠ **Happy**

B/ Mastery of the language (7 pts):

TASK 01 : Underline the correct answer: [02pts]

1. Mr. Hachemi (**use to / used to**) be my teacher of English.
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TASK 02 :Put the verbs in the correct form. [03 pts]

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Your school magazine is organising a competition to choose the best paragraph about "childhood memories" and you want to participate. Write a short paragraph about **your childhood memories** (primary school, your teachers, your favourite subject, your best classmate, free time activities, games ...) . Use the past simple and used to.

The childhood is the most important and wonderful stage in my life. My primary school was the best part of my childhood especially the first day, I was happy that day with my mother, but a little sad about my father's absence. My first and best teacher was Miss Imen, she taught me a lot about Arabic and Maths which was my favourite subject. I remember my best friend Mouna, we used to play hide and seek. She was my neighbor, so we spent a lot of time together. We used to watch cartoons like: Dora the explorer, Tom and Jerry. Every weekend, we used to go to the swimming pool. The love and passion I had from my childhood will haunt my mind forever.

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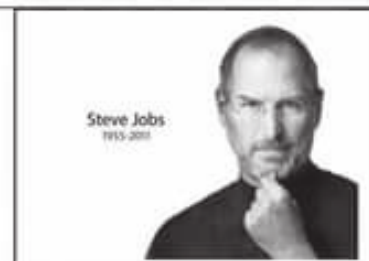
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