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1- Reading (internal passage) " 20 points "

Read the following passage then answer the questions below :

1- The history of globalisation There are some who question whether globalisation is really something new. After all , they argue , if you look at what was happening in the 18th and 19th centuries ,or even earlier ,doesn't it seems very similar ? Companies in Europe and North America , supported by their governments ,were opening up the rest of the world , searching for cheap raw materials. They transported these back to their own factories and produced manufactured goods ,then sold them at a huge profit . The world became linked by trade and business .

2-The importance of technology for the world change In a sense , this view is correct but what it **underestimate** is the scale and speed of the changes that have taken place in the last thirty years or so . **And the key role** in these changes is that of computer technology, because it **underlies** all of them . Thanks to developments in digital technology, for example, it is now possible to move vast amounts of money around the world in seconds .Currency trading now goes on almost 24 hours a day .and it has been estimated that the amount of money traded has gone up by several thousand per cent in the last forty years . Decisions taken in a stock market in one country have a disastrous effect on countries on the other side of the world , and entire national economies can be destroyed almost overnight .

3- Globalisation affects all the life aspects what we are seeing today clearly is something different and new . It affects us all , and it relates not just to area like trade business and economics , but also to culture , entertainment , what we eat, how we communicate with each other and even how we see ourselves ,our relationships and our lives .

Questions :

A- Choose a title for each section from the following ; " 3 points "

- The history of globalisation - Globalisation affects all the life aspects .
- The importance of technology for the world change .

B- Answer the following questions ; "3points "

1- According to the writer , is globalisation a new thing ? Give evidence from the text .

No it is not new / In a sense , this view is correct.

2- What makes recent changes different from what has happened before ?

They are happening much faster , on a much bigger scale

3- How can people benefit from digital technology ?

It is now possible to move vast amounts of money around the world in seconds .

C- Put (T) or (F) mark for the following sentences ; " 3 points "

1- Some companies transported cheap raw materials to their countries and sold them cheaply to help the national economy . (T / F)

2- Currency trading now goes on almost all night . (T / F)

3- Stock market decisions can affect the whole world . (T / F)

D- What do the following pronouns refer to ; " 3 points "

a. **these** line (5) cheap raw materials

b. **their** line (5) Companies in Europe and North America

c. **them** on line (6) manufactured goods

E- Replace the underlined parts with words from the text ; "4 points "

1- They lost their way and travelled for a long time through the very large forest vast .

2- Yesterday , we spent the whole day on the beach . entire .

3- Japanese money used by a particular country is widely used in some countries currency..

4- Technological developments have happened in the world recently . taken place.

F- Choose the correct answers ; "2 points "

1- The **key** role is that computer technology " line 9 " . The meaning of the adjective **key** in the sentence is

(just important - the most important - not important at all)

2- Cotton , coal and wood are (raw materials - manufactured goods - currencies) .

G- Decide the meaning of under in the following sentences from the text ; " 2 points "

At the level below	Not enough
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1- **underestimate** on line (8) Not enough

2- **underlies** on line (9) At the level below

2- Reading " external passage "

" 15 points "

Read the following passage then answer the questions below ;

There is bad news for students who like to use their mobile phones while they study. New research shows that students do not learn very well when they are texting and checking their social media accounts. The research is called: "Mobile Phones in the Classroom: Examining the Effects of Texting, Twitter, and Message Content on Student Learning". Researchers looked at 145 American university students in the classroom. Some of the students used their mobile phones during class, while the others had their phones switched off. The head researcher, Dr Jeffrey Kuznekoff, said students who did not use their mobile phones while the teacher was talking got higher scores on tests they took at the end of the class.

Kuznekoff said that one of the biggest challenges teachers have in the classroom is the non-stop battle of keeping students working. He said many students felt they needed to be online and checking messages even when they had important work to do in class. The researchers said it is very common for students to be physically present in class, but mentally absent because they are using their mobiles. Kuznekoff said teachers were fighting a "losing battle" because students were more interested in social media than learning. The London School of Economics did a study in England and found that test scores increased by six per cent after mobile phones were banned (not allowed) in class.

1. Decide whether each of the following is True or False: (3 pts)

1. Research showed that using social media increased test scores. (F)
2. The article says it is common for students to be physically absent. (F)
3. A study found test scores were 6% higher when phones were forbidden. (T)

2. Answer the following questions. (6 pts)

1. What did the researchers in the first study look at? It examined the effects of texting, Twitter, and Message content on Student Learning
2. What is one of the biggest challenges that teachers have? keeping students working in the classroom
3. What did most students feel they needed? students felt they needed to be online and checking messages even when they had important work to do in class

3. Complete the following sentences. (4 pts)

1. The research study is called Mobile Phones in the Classroom: Examining the Effects of Texting, Twitter, and Message Content on Student Learning"
2. Teachers are having a losing battle since students were more interested in social media than learning
3. In England, students have made progress in their tests because mobile phones were banned in class.

4. The best title for the text is: (2 pts)

- a. The importance of small phones b. Mobiles in the classroom
c. The positive effect of social media

3- Literature (King Lear) " 15 points "

A- Answer the following questions ; " 3 points "

1- Why does Lear ask how much his daughters love him ?

In order to decide how to share the country between them...

2- Why did Regan and her husband order Kent to be made a prisoner ?

Because he hit Goneril's servant , Oswald ...

3- Regan got two letters. Who sent them and why ?

One from her sister Goneril . She complained about their father and warned her sister that his men were noisy and expensive .

The second is from her father king Lear asking her to get ready because he was coming to stay at her house to stay at her house with all his knights

B- Complete the following sentences ; " 3 points "

1- Kent , disguised as king Lear's servant , hit Goneril's servant Oswald because he spoke disrespectfully to Lear

2- King Lear cursed Goneril and wished that if she had a child , that it would torment her...

3- Edmund was planning to take his legitimate brother's place

C- Put (T) or (F) mark for the following sentences ; " 3 points "

1- Goneril and Regan offered shelter to Lear but not to any of his men . (T / F)

2- Regan welcomes her father warmly . (T / F)

3- The King of France refused to marry Cordelia . (T / F)

D- Choose the correct answer: (3 points)

1. Lear decided to keep on hundred knights to (protect him / prove that he's still the king).

2. Lear realized that giving away his kingdom has been a terrible mistake because (he has lost all his power and his daughters felt no love to him / he has lost Cordelia's love).

3. Gloucester decided to help Lear because (he feels sorry for him as he is out in the storm with no shelter / the Duke of Albany and Cornwall told him not to help Lear).

E- Read the quotation then answer the questions below ; " 3 points "

"blow winds and crack your cheeks"

1. Who said these words? Lear

3. Why did the speaker say these words?

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" 10 points "

A- New year is the time of making resolutions. Write a short essay about the resolution you are going to make in the coming New year. Expand the following ideas ;

* resolution you are going to make . * What are the steps you are going to take to achieve your goal.

* What could go wrong ? How will you solve this difficulty. * Your chance of success (%).

OR

B- You need money to get whatever you want. Write about the history and development and use of money across history.

You may make use of the following ideas:

- **A. An essay about The history of money.**
- Introduction: What money is. Before money.
- Paragraph two: The beginning of money Different shapes of money at that time
- Paragraph three: Recent shape of money
- Conclusion: The value of money

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