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Section	Grade
Comprehension	
Passage 1	
Passage 2	
Vocabulary	
Language	
writing	
Total	

**Part One: Reading comprehension****40 points****Passage 1:****(20 points)****Read the following text carefully and complete the tasks below:**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ We often hear people say, 'It's a small world, isn't it?' It's usually when they've just experienced one of those strange coincidences that seem to happen in nearly everyone's lives. You know the kind of thing: you're on holiday in another country and you run into a person you know from home, even though neither of you knew that the other was going there too.

2. \_\_\_\_\_ People often think experiences like this are evidence of something mysterious happening, some kind of hidden plan outside our knowledge. The scientific explanation is less exciting, and perhaps that's why some people are reluctant to accept it. Coincidences are events that unexpectedly happen at the same time for no clear reason, or finding an unexpected connection between seemingly random things or people. A very common example of the latter is talking to a complete stranger and finding that you have the same birthday. What are the chances of that happening?

3. \_\_\_\_\_ Actually, the chances are better than you might think, and there's a mathematical way to prove it. It has been calculated that the number of people you need to have a 50% chance of two of them sharing a birthday is 23. And when there are 48 people in a room, the probability goes up to 95%. To put it another way, if there are only 50 people reading these words (and I hope there are more!), one of them will almost certainly have the same birthday as me.

4. \_\_\_\_\_ The other part of the scientific explanation for coincidences is simply that there are so many events in people's lives. Just think of the number of people that you have had any kind of connection with during your life. There are probably over 10,000, and the older you get, the more there will be. If you are the kind of person who talks to strangers, you will definitely come across coincidences. Basically, when you think about how complex our lives are, especially nowadays with the Internet, the only surprising thing is that coincidences don't happen more often.

**A. Match the following titles with each paragraph: (4 points)****a.** Definition of coincidences**b.** Mathematical problems**c.** Coincidences aren't surprising**d.** The world is getting smaller**B. Circle the correct answer: (2 points)**

1. The writer says it's possible to (**prove** / **happen**) that coincidences aren't as surprising as people think.

2. You sometimes (**happen in / run into**) someone you know and you don't expect the other in that area.

**C. Answer these questions: (4 points)**

1. Why don't people want to believe that coincidences are not so strange?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What do people think of coincidences?

a. \_\_\_\_\_ b. \_\_\_\_\_

**D. Say what these pronouns refer to: (2 points)**

1. **there** (line.4 ) \_\_\_\_\_ 2. **you** (line.19) \_\_\_\_\_

**E. Complete the following statements: ( 2 points)**

1. Talking to a stranger and finding you have the same birthday is an example of

\_\_\_\_\_

2. You will certainly come across coincidences when \_\_\_\_\_

**F. Decide whether the following statements are True or False (6 points)**

1. People say 'It's a small world which means their lives are more connected than they used to be. (       )

2. The older you get, the fewer people you will have in your life. (               )

3. Coincidences are fewer than expected though our lives are complex. (               )

**Passage 2: (20 points)**

**Read this text, then answer the questions that follow:**

For many, working as a pilot is an exciting career choice. You may enjoy working as a pilot if you enjoy flying and traveling, but there are also some elements of this profession that may not be suitable for everyone

A pilot is a person who operates a plane. They typically work for airlines, governments or other private businesses to transport passengers and goods. It's the responsibility of the pilot to ensure that passengers and cargo arrive safely at their destination.

There are some great benefits to working as a pilot, including:

a-.....

As a pilot, you have the opportunity to travel all over the world. Many pilots work for airlines or private flight businesses where their primary responsibility is to carry passengers to different locations. Once you arrive at your destination, you often have the chance to spend some time there before your next flight. This means you're essentially getting free airfare to travel, which significantly reduces the cost. In addition, if you work for an airline, many allow their pilots to purchase tickets at a reduced price so that you can travel for cheaper even if you aren't working during the flight.

**b-.....**

Pilots typically earn a high annual salary. The average salary for a pilot is \$71,867 per year. In addition, pilots often receive a strong benefits package. You may earn more depending on the airline you work for, the city you're located or your years of experience.

**c-.....**

Many people choose to become pilots because it can be an exciting experience. Some people may enjoy the feeling of being in control of an airplane and getting to see the world from above. They may also like the sense of adventure that comes with being a pilot, as they often don't know where they're going on their next scheduled flight. If you want a job that can often be surprising and thrilling, then you may enjoy working as a pilot.

While there are some great benefits to working as a pilot, you may also experience a few drawbacks, such as long hours, training costs and stress of work.

If you want to become a pilot, you should go for a test flight and you must pass certain medical requirements.

**A-Put these titles in the correct place: a , b , or c : ( 3 pts )**

- 1-Salary & benefits      2-Excitement      3-Travel

**B-Complete these notes: ( 5 pts )**

Disadvantages of being a pilot	Tips for becoming a pilot
1-----	1-----
2-----	2-----
3-----	
.....	

**C- Answer these questions: (6 points)**

1-What are pilot's responsibilities?

.....

2-Why do people choose to become pilots?

a-----

b-----

c-----

3-What do pilot's benefit package depend on?

.....

**D-Decide whether each of the following is True or False: ( 2 pts )**

1-Working as a pilot can be surprising & thrilling. (       )

2-Pilots don't have the chance to travel around the world. (       )

**E-Complete these sentences: (2 pts)**

1-Unless you enjoy flying and travelling, you -----

2-Pilots working for an airline are allowed to -----

**F-What do these words and numbers refer to? ( 2 pts )**

1- \$71,867 ( line 20 ) .....

2- they ( line 27 ) .....

**Part Two: Vocabulary**

**(25 points)**

**A. Match the words in the box with their meanings below:**

**(5 points)**

**via , worth , criteria , secretly , change**

1. giving good value \_\_\_\_\_ 2. reasons \_\_\_\_\_ 3. trend \_\_\_\_\_  
4. in confidence \_\_\_\_\_ 5. by going through \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Complete the sentences with words from the box:**

**(5 points)**

**factor , stranger , attempt , amateur , impatient**

1. She is getting \_\_\_\_\_ about the delay.  
2. After he had won the \_\_\_\_\_ championship, he turned professional.  
3. He drove through the red light in an \_\_\_\_\_ to shake off the police car chasing him.  
4. There was a complete \_\_\_\_\_ sitting at my desk.  
5. Safety is an important \_\_\_\_\_ in car design.

**C. Complete the sentences with the suitable phrasal verbs from the box:**

**(5 points)**

**get on with , pass on , turned out , work out , stand out**

1. The rumours of a petrol shortage \_\_\_\_\_ to be a false alarm.
2. He didn't \_\_\_\_\_ the manager, so he played in a reserve match.
3. They are trying to \_\_\_\_\_ a peace formula acceptable to both sides in the dispute.
4. You have to do something exceptionally well to \_\_\_\_\_ from your peers.
5. He asked me to \_\_\_\_\_ his wishes to all his friends and colleagues.

**D. Complete the sentences using the words in the box with ( co , mis , over , under ):**

**(4 points)**

**paid , ordained , leading , charge**

1. The ways in which these four actions can be \_\_\_\_\_ are extremely varied.
2. Teachers often complain that they are overworked and \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The article contains several \_\_\_\_\_ statements.
4. Not only did the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ me, but they hadn't served me well, either.

**E. Circle the correct answer:**

**(6 points)**

1. Ambulances always ( **standby** / **stand by** ) in case anyone gets seriously injured.
2. The property cost more than its current market ( **share** / **value** ).
3. You may have to ( **choose between** / **satisfied with** ) job satisfaction and a high salary.
4. For me, job ( **satisfaction** / **description** ) is more important than earning large amounts of money.
5. We don't need to hurry; we will be there ( **on time** / **in time** ).
6. There were only two guards ( **on duty** / **on request** ) outside the building.

**Part Three: Language**

**(25 points)**

**Section A:**

**(15 points)**

**A. Complete the sentences with the correct tense of the verbs in brackets:**

**(5 points)**

1. Washing hands well \_\_\_\_\_ transmitting diseases. ( **prevent** )
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ you for half an hour. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_? ( **call** / **be** )
3. When I \_\_\_\_\_ home, my children \_\_\_\_\_ on their mobiles. ( **get** / **chat** )

4. My aunt \_\_\_\_\_ our new apartment yet. ( **not / see** )
5. The cafe was full, so I \_\_\_\_\_ glad that we \_\_\_\_\_ a table in advance. ( **be / book** )

**B.1. Circle the correct answer:**

(2 points)

1. When we felt hungry, we stopped ( **buying / to buy** ) some sandwiches and juice.
2. Intisar promised her mother ( **not to make / to not make** ) such silly mistakes again.

**2. Do as required in brackets :**

(3 points)

1. How many books / you / read / yesterday? ( **Write a full question** )  
\_\_\_\_\_?
2. I went home. I took a shower. ( **As soon as** )  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. The flood killed a lot of people.

**What-----? (Complete the question)**

**C. Circle the correct answer:**

(5 points)

1. I'm ( **going to leave / leaving** ) to Saudi Arabia tomorrow. I've got my plane tickets.
2. I think the boat is ( **going to sink / sinking** ); there's a hole in its bottom.
3. Because Ali doesn't have a car, I think he ( **could / will** ) be late for the meeting.
4. Most university students feel ( **worried / worrying** ) about finding a job in the future.
5. Look at this traffic jam; we (should **have come / shouldn't have come** ) this way.

**Section B: (10 points)**

أجب عن سؤالين فقط من هذا القسم From this section answer only two parts

**A.1. Add question tags to the sentences below:**

(3 points)

1. Her teeth usually hurt her a lot during the night, \_\_\_\_\_?
2. My son's failure in the exam made me shocked, \_\_\_\_\_?
3. You'd never contact him, \_\_\_\_\_?

**2. Rewrite the sentences replacing the underlined parts with a causative structure:**

(2 points)

1. Omar has just asked someone to repair the central heating in his house.  
.....
2. How normally do you ask someone to service your car?  
.....

**B. Rewrite the following using the words given:****(5 points)**

1. Have students finished doing their homework yet? ( **The teacher asked** )  
.....
2. At what time does the first train leave the station? ( **The passengers asked** )  
.....
3. I didn't meet Sami when I was in the town. ( **I regret** )  
.....
4. You'd better consult the doctor before taking the new medicine. ( **My friend advised me** )  
.....
5. He didn't apply for the job. (He **wishes**)  
.....

**C.1. Rewrite the following sentences using reduced relative clauses:****(2 points)**

1. The thief who stole the bank was put in prison.  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Children who were injured in the accident were taken to hospital.  
\_\_\_\_\_

**2. Correct the sentences. (There is one mistake in each sentence. (3 points)**

1. He has his lunch right now, so he can't answer you.  
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2. The tower is looking very beautiful. You should go and see it.  
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3. He works in the afternoons but today he takes his son to the doctor.  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**Part Four: Writing****(10 points)****Choose one of the following topics:** اختر موضوعا واحدا من أحد الموضوعين

1. You are Ahmad. You are 18 years old. You want to apply for a foundation course with International College of Art, Science and Technology to be prepared for the university.

Write an **application form** using the following ideas:

- a. The reasons for choosing this subject
- b. Your experience in the subject
- c. How you expect your interest in the subject to develop



## الإجابات النموذجية لجلسة الادبي الأولى

### Part One: Comprehension

#### Passage One:

- A. 1. d      2. a      3. b      4. c  
B. 1. prove    2. run into  
C. 1. Because it isn't as exciting or interesting as thinking they are strange.  
2. a. an evidence of something mysterious happening b. Some kind of hidden plan outside our knowledge  
D. 1. in another country      2. person who talks to strangers  
E-1- 2. finding an unexpected connection / a strange coincidence  
2. you are the kind of person who talks to strangers  
F. 1. True      2. False      3. True

#### Passage Two:

A-Put these titles in the correct place : a , b , or c : ( 3 pts )

a-Travel      b-Salary & benefits      c-Excitement

B-Complete these notes : ( 5 pts )

Disadvantages : long hours , training costs , stress of work -

-Tips : test flight , pass certain medical requirements

C-Answer these questions : ( 6 pts )

1-1-Ensure that passengers and cargo arrive safely at their destination .

Or carry passengers to different locations

2-a-it can be exciting. b-some people enjoy the feeling of being in control of an airplane and getting to see the world from above . c-many like the sense of adventure that comes with being a pilot .

3-the airline you work for , the city you are located , your years of experience .

D-Decide whether each of the following is True or False : ( 2 pts )

1-T 2-F

E-Complete : ( 2 pts )

1-.....,you may not enjoy working as a pilot .

2-.....to purchase tickets at a reduced price .

F-What do these words and numbers refer to ? ( 2 pts )

1-\$71,867 , the average salary for a pilot per year .

2-they , some people .

### Part two: Vocabulary

- A. 1. worth                      2. criteria                      3. change                      4. secretly                      5. via  
B. 1. impatient                      2. amateur                      3. attempt                      4. stranger                      5. factor  
C. 1. turned out                      2. get on with                      3. work out                      4. stand out                      5.  
pass on  
D. 1. co-ordinated                      2. underpaid                      3. misleading                      4. overcharge  
E. 1. Stand by                      2. Value                      3. choose between                      4. satisfaction                      5. in time  
6. on duty

### Part Three: Language

#### Section One: (15 points)

- A.1. prevents 2. have been calling / have been 3. got / were chatting 4. hasn't seen  
5. was / had booked  
B.1. 1. to buy    2. not to make  
2. 1. How many books did you read yesterday?  
2. As soon as I went home, I took a shower. **or** I took a shower as soon as I went home.  
3. **What** killed a lot of people?  
C. 1. leaving    2. going to sink    3. could    4. worried    5. shouldn't have come

#### Section B: (10 points)

- A.1. 1. don't they ?    2. didn't it?    3. would you?  
2. 1. Omar has just got/had the central heating repaired in his house.  
2. How normally do you get/have your car serviced?  
B. 1. The teacher asked if/whether students had finished their homework yet.  
2. The passengers asked at what time the first train left the station.  
3. I regret not meeting Sami when I was in the town.  
4. My friend advised me to consult..... **or** My friend advised me that I'd better consult .....  
5. He wishes he had applied for the job.  
C. 1. 1. The thief stealing the bank was put in prison.  
2. Children injured in the accident were taken to hospital.  
2. 1. is having    2. looks    3. is taking