

Total Marks

Arabic
PAPER 1: Listening and understanding in Arabic
Foundation tier

Wednesday 15 May 2024 – Afternoon

Time: 30 minutes and 5 minutes’ reading

In the boxes below, write your name, centre number and candidate number.

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Text Booklet

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer ALL questions in Sections A and B.

All questions in section A are set in English.

All questions in section B are in Arabic.

Answer the questions in the spaces provided – there may be more space than you need.

You must NOT use a dictionary.

INFORMATION

You have 5 minutes to read through the paper before the first extract starts.

You may make notes during these 5 minutes.

You will hear the extract twice. You may write at any time during the tests. There will be a pause between each question.

The total mark for this paper is 50.

The marks for EACH question are shown in brackets – use this as a guide as to how much time to spend on each question.

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ADVICE

Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.

Try to answer every question.

Check your answers if you have time at the end.

Answer ALL questions. Write your answers in the spaces provided.

Some questions must be answered with a cross in a box ☐. If you change your mind about an answer, put a line through the box ☒ and then mark your new answer with a cross ☐.

SECTION A

Hobbies

1 What hobbies do Mazen, Najwa and Mary have?

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ in each one of the **THREE** correct boxes.

☒ **EXAMPLE:** swimming

☐ **A** basketball

☐ **B** fishing

☐ **C** table tennis

☐ **D** photography

☐ **E** drawing

☐ **F** running

☐ **G** volleyball

(Total for Question 1 = 3 marks)

Daily routine

2 Nour is talking about her daily routine.

What does she say?

Listen to the recording and complete these statements by putting a cross ☒ in the correct box for each question.

EXAMPLE: Nour wakes up ...

- ☒ A very early.
- ☐ B quite late.
- ☐ C in the afternoon.
- ☐ D just in time for school.

(i) Every morning Nour drinks a glass of ...
(1 mark)

- ☐ A apple juice.
- ☐ B apple and orange juice.
- ☐ C water with lemon.
- ☐ D orange juice.

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**(ii) Nour walks in the park for ...
(1 mark)**

- ☐ **A one hour.**
- ☐ **B fifteen minutes.**
- ☐ **C half an hour.**
- ☐ **D twenty minutes.**

**(iii) After getting home, she ...
(1 mark)**

- ☐ **A takes a shower.**
- ☐ **B drinks a cup of tea.**
- ☐ **C has some coffee.**
- ☐ **D has breakfast.**

(Total for Question 2 = 3 marks)

Social media

3 Maher and his friends are talking about using social media.

What do they say?

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ next to each one of the **THREE** correct statements.

	Maher	Faten	Omar
EXAMPLE: I talk to my friends.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A I meet new people.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B I play online games.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
C I post pictures online.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D I join a chat room.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
E I find out about new Arab bands.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F I watch videos with my cousins.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G I talk to my relatives.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Total for Question 3 = 3 marks)

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At the weekend

- 4 Sara, Fadia and Asem are talking about what they do at the weekend.

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ in each one of the **THREE** correct boxes.

	Sara	Asem	Fadia
EXAMPLE: go to the park	☒	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A Read books in Arabic.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
B Meet friends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
C Tidy my room.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
D Study for four hours.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
E Eat with friends.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
F Go to a restaurant.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
G Play football.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

(Total for Question 4 = 3 marks)

Restaurant booking

5 Murad is booking a table at a restaurant.

Listen to the recording and answer the following questions in ENGLISH.

**(a) For what day did Murad want to book the table?
(1 mark)**

**(b) What did the manager offer Murad?
(1 mark)**

**(c) Where did Murad want the table to be?
(1 mark)**

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- (d) How many adults will be coming to the restaurant?
(1 mark)**

(Total for Question 5 = 4 marks)

School uniform

- 6 Kareem and Shadia are talking about their school uniform.**

What do they say?

Look at the list for Question 6 in the Text Booklet. Complete the sentences. Use the correct word or phrase from the list.

- (a) Kareem and Shadia love their**

uniform

_____.

Students normally have better

_____ **when they wear**
their school uniform.

(1 mark)

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(b) Kareem finds it difficult to remember his

_____ and Shadia
describes her teachers as being

_____ but strict.

(2 marks)

(Total for Question 6 = 3 marks)

Directions

7 Fadi gives Adam the directions to his flat.

What three directions does Fadi give?

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ in each one of the THREE correct boxes.

☒ **EXAMPLE:** Fadi directs Adam to his flat in the city centre.

☐ **A** Get off at the main station.

☐ **B** Turn left to the post office.

☐ **C** The flat is behind the post office.

☐ **D** The flat is on the first floor.

☐ **E** Go to platform number 7.

☐ **F** There is a sweet shop under the flat.

☐ **G** Turn right at the end of the small road.

(Total for Question 7 = 3 marks)

A love of reading

8 Hisham is telling Hanna about his love of reading.

Listen to Hisham and answer the following questions in ENGLISH.

- (a) What types of stories did Hisham's mum read to him when he was a child?**
(1 mark)

- (b) When did Hisham start to read science and adventure books?**
(1 mark)

- (c) Besides healthy bodies and minds, what else does Hisham feel reading can bring to people?**
(1 mark)

(Total for Question 8 = 3 marks)

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Meeting a friend

- 9 Lama and Samia meet and talk about attending an event.

Listen to the recording and complete the sentences by putting a cross ☒ in the correct box for each question.

EXAMPLE: Lama meets Samia in a ...

☐ A shopping centre.

☒ B library.

☐ C club.

☐ D travel shop.

- (i) The event they are talking about is ...
(1 mark)

☐ A a wedding celebration.

☐ B a graduation party.

☐ C a friend's birthday.

☐ D an engagement party.

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(ii) Samia will not be on time for the event because she is ...

(1 mark)

☐ **A busy with some office work.**

☐ **B attending a work interview.**

☐ **C doing some work at home.**

☐ **D going out to buy a present.**

(iii) In the morning, Samia works as a ...

(1 mark)

☐ **A translator.**

☐ **B travel agent.**

☐ **C party organiser.**

☐ **D receptionist.**

(iv) Lama suggested ...
(1 mark)

- ☐ **A exchanging email addresses.**
- ☐ **B going together to attend the event.**
- ☐ **C shopping together for the event.**
- ☐ **D exchanging messages on WhatsApp.**

(Total for Question 9 = 4 marks)

A hotel in Morocco

- 10 Lina is reading about Somaya's hotel experience in Morocco.**

Listen to Lina and answer the following questions in ENGLISH.

- (a) Why was Somaya unhappy? Give ONE reason.
(1 mark)**

- (b) What did Somaya enjoy most at the hotel?
(1 mark)**

- (c) What did Somaya's father request from the hotel manager?
(1 mark)**

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**(d) Who accompanied Somaya and her parents
around the city?**

(1 mark)

(Total for Question 10 = 4 marks)

Graduation day

- 11 Nader is talking to his friend Aziz about the school graduation day.

What does he say?

Listen to the recording and put a cross ☒ in each one of the **THREE** correct boxes.

☒ **EXAMPLE:** The school organised a graduation day.

☐ **A** The day started with refreshments.

☐ **B** Music was played after the tea and coffee break.

☐ **C** Pictures were displayed on a big screen.

☐ **D** Music was played by the school band.

☐ **E** The humorous part was presented by teachers.

☐ **F** The headteacher ended the day with a speech.

☐ **G** Tea and coffee were served by Year 10 students.

(Total for Question 11 = 3 marks)

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Zahra Lari, an Arab champion

- 12 You hear this report on TV about one of the famous Arab champions, ZAHRA LARI.**

Listen to the report and answer the following questions in ENGLISH.

- (a) What was Zahra's nationality?
(1 mark)**

- (b) What sport was she good at?
(1 mark)**

- (c) What was the best moment of her life?
(1 mark)**

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- (d) What effect did Zahra have on young women?
(1 mark)**

(Total for Question 12 = 4 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION A = 40 MARKS

SECTION B

خبرة العمل

13 لورا تُرْسِلُ بَرِيداً إِيْلِكْتِرُونِيّاً لِمُدِيرِ شَرِكَةٍ عَرَبِيَّةٍ
تَطْلُبُ الْقِيَامَ بِخِبْرَةِ عَمَلٍ

أكمل الجمل عن طريق اختيار كلمة أو عبارة من
المربع. توجد كلمات لن تحتاجها.

Look at the list for Question 13 in the Text Booklet.

مثال: _____ أرسلت لورا بريداً إلكترونياً
لمدير الشركة.

(a) حصلت لورا على درجة جامعية في
_____ الحاسوب.

(1 mark)

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(b) سترسل لورا رسالة أخرى من _____ .
(1 mark)

(c) طلبت لورا _____ لمدة
خمسة أسابيع.
(1 mark)

(d) تُجيد لورا مهارة _____
باللغة العربيّة.
(1 mark)

(e) تطلبُ لورا تحديد _____ المقابلة.
(1 mark)

(Total for Question 13 = 5 marks)

الحفاظُ على الطَّاقةِ الكهربائيَّةِ

14 استمعت إلى تقرير عن طرق ادِّخار
الطَّاقةِ الكهربائيَّةِ.

املأ الفراغات بكلمات تختارها من القائمة التالية:

(Example word) الكهرباء/الغاز، الاصطناعيَّة/
الشمسيَّة، ادِّخار/إضاءة، الزيادة/التَّخفيض، إطفاء/
إشعال، الغامقة/الفاحة

EXAMPLE

استخدام _____ الكهرباء _____ غالٍ جداً.

(a) تُشجَّع الإرشادات على _____
من استخدام الطَّاقةِ الكهربائيَّةِ.
(1 mark)

(b) من الضَّروري _____ الضَّوء عند
الخروج من المنزل.
(1 mark)

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(c) يجب استخدام الألوان _____
على الجدران.
(1 mark)

(d) من الأفضل استخدام الإضاءة
_____ في النهار.
(1 mark)

(e) يمكن _____ الكهرباء باستخدام
غسّالة الصحون.
(1 mark)

(Total for Question 14 = 5 marks)

TOTAL FOR SECTION B = 10 MARKS

TOTAL FOR PAPER = 50 MARKS

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