**Ministry of Education Ali Reda Alrekabi School**

**Second English Exam Time:**

**Eight Grade Second Semester (2023/2024) Date: 24/4/2024 Name: Class: ( A , B , C , D )**

**PART ONE**

**A. Question One: Reading Comprehension (10 points)**

-Read the following text **carefully** and then answer all the questions below:

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| **The Olympic Games are a tradition from Ancient Greece. They took place in Athens over 2,700 years ago. The modern Olympic Games began in 1896. Many of the sports we see today were at the original games.**    **The modern Olympic Games happen every year just as they did in Ancient Greece. In Ancient Greece winners received a crown of olive leaves to put on *their* heads. The modern Olympic Games started to give medals-gold, silver and bronze \_ in1908 .In Ancient Greece , the games lasted five days. Now they last for about 16 days.**  **Four sports were at the first modern Olympic Games and are still there now. They are athletics, swimming, fencing and gymnastics. Some sports that were played in the ancient games, like chariot racing, are barely even known nowadays. Some sports, like volleyball and basketball, were not in the Olympic Games until the 1900s. In 2016, there will be two new sports – golf and rugby. Some sports, such as chess and surfing, are not Olympic sports.** |

1- **Where did the Olympic Games happen first**?

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2- **Mention two differences between modern Olympic Games , an Ancient Olympic Games**?

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3- **What are the four sports which were in the ancient Olympic Games and still in the modern Olympic Games now?**

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4- **Find the word in the text which means (a round, flat piece of metal given to someone who won a competition)**?

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5- **The underlined pronoun (their) refers to? -------------------------------------**

**B. Write (T) if the statement is true and (F) if the statement is false. ( 2 points)**

**1. The Ancient Olympic Games last for five days. ( )**

**2. Chess and surfing are Olympic sports. ( )**

***C.* Match words with their meanings.- (8points)**

1. **Pitch a. The object that players must hit the ball over in games like volleyball.**
2. **Fencing b. An area made for playing games such as tennis.**
3. **Net c. Game in which opponents fight with long, thin swords.**
4. **Court d. A marked-out area of ground on which a sport is played.**

**1.------- 2.--------- 3.----------- 4. ----------**

***PART TWO: (STRUCTURE)*  (20 points)**

***Question Number Two`:***

**A. Choose the correct answer. (5 points)**

1. **In football, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ hit the ball with your head.**

**A. can B. can’t C. have to**

1. **You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ use your mobile phone on a plane.**

**A. haven’t to B. can’t C. don’t have to**

1. **You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ use physical violence in sports.**

**A. don’t have to B. can’t C. doesn’t have to**

1. **You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wear brightly coloured clothes when walking at night.**

**A. can’t B. have to C. doesn’t have to**

1. **In beach volleyball, you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ wear shoes.**

**A. doesn’t have to B. can’t C. don’t have to**

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**B. Read the sentences and choose (circle) the correct words.**

**1. Each football team has to/can’t have 11 players.**

**2. You can/can’t kick the ball in football.**

**3. I am a referee. I have to/don’t have to watch the match.**

**4. Football players have to/can’t touch the ball with their hands.**

**5. Tennis players have to/don’t have to use a racquet.**

**6. There is an umpire in tennis. He has to/ can’t decide if a player wins a point..**

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**C. Complete the sentences with can /can't /have to /don’t have to /doesn't have to/has to.**

**1. He ---------- hear the phone ringing because the music is too loud.**

**2. You --------- stop at a red light when driving.**

**3. A football team ---------- to have 10 players and one goalkeeper.**

**4. Laila -------- come to school on Fridays.**

**5. In baseballs players ---------- use any part of their bodies.**

**D. Rewrite the following sentence by using the Interrogative (Question) and Negative forms:**

**1. Zaid will go to Petra next week.**

**Interrogative (Question form) --------------------------------------------------------------------------------------**

**Negative Form-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------**

**With My Best Wishes**

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