

# Ministry of Education

## Achievement Test for Diagnostic Purposes

School : .....

Date : ...../...../ 20.....

Time : one hour

**Grade 8**

**Name :** .....

**A B C D**

**100**

### I ) Reading :

[ ..... / 36 ]

Hind is from Jordan. She goes to a school in Amman. She usually packs her school bag in the evening so it is ready in the morning. She gets up at half past six, then she gets washed and dressed. The family has breakfast at seven o'clock. They have tea bread and cheese. She leaves home at quarter past seven .She walks to the bus stop with her brother Ahmad .They get the school bus at half past seven. Her friend Thuraya usually gets the same bus as her and they talk together. School starts at eight o'clock and finishes at one o'clock. In the break, Hind and her friend have a snack. Thuraya sometimes forgets her snack and Hind gives her some of hers. On Wednesday the girls go to the swimming pool.

Hind likes swimming after school. Hind meets Ahmad and they get the bus home. They have a big lunch at quarter past two. In the afternoon, Hind usually does her homework. She sometimes plays tennis with her friend or sometimes Thuraya comes to her house. They have dinner at eight o'clock . After dinner the family watches TV. Hind finishes her homework then she always goes to bed at ten o'clock .

### Read the text and answer the questions

- 1) Where is Hind from ? .....
- 2) When do the girls go swimming? .....
- 3)Hind usually packs her schoolbag in the evening      **T      F**
- 4)She always goes to bed at nine o'clock      **T      F**
- 5)Do the family members have breakfast at five o'clock? .....
- 6)Do you have your breakfast at five o'clock? .....
- 7) Hind's friend is ..... a)Thuraya      b) Fatima      c) Amal
- 8)After school Hind goes with ..... a)her brother      b)her uncle      c)her friend
- 9)The underlined pronoun "her" refers to .....
- 10)The underlined pronoun "They" refers to .....
- 11)Write a present simple verb from the text .....

### Complete the sentences with the missing words.

- 12) Hind and Thurayya get the same.....to school.
- 13)Nadiadoes her ..... in the afternoon .
- 14) Give a word from paragraph one that means "a light meal":.....
- 15)Find in the text an expression that means (2:15).....
- 16)Give a suitable title to the text . .....

### From the text find the opposite of each of the following words

- 17) start:.....
- 18) small: .....

**II ) Language skills :**

[ \_\_\_\_\_ / 64 ]

**A) Complete the following sentences with the correct word from the list (8pts)**

<b>cage</b>	<b>airport</b>	<b>restaurant</b>	<b>medals</b>	<b>lab</b>
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- 1- We have a science \_\_\_\_\_ in our school.
- 2- The hawk was in the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3- She has got lots of gold and silver \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4- My father works in the \_\_\_\_\_. He is a pilot.

**B) Change the following sentences into the negative: (4pts)**1- Yousef plays football everyday.  
.....2- She went to Amman yesterday.  
.....**C) Complete each of the following sentences with the correct form of the verb:- (6pts)**

- 1- Majid ..... his teeth three times a day. ( **brush** )
- 2- They are ..... football at the moment. ( **play** )
- 3- Mum ..... Mensaf now. ( **cook** )

**D) Complete each of the following sentences with the correct pronoun : (6pts)**

- 1- This is ----- camera. ( **my , me , mine** )
- 2- Give him----- book. ( **his , he , him** )
- 3- -----are my friends. ( **They, Them , Their** )

**E) Rewrite the following broken sentences (6pts)**1- goes / He / school / to / usually.  
.....2- any / to / do / work / got / Have / you/ ?/  
.....**F) Circle the right choice. (10pts)**

- 1- How-----fish do you eat ? ( **much** / **most** / **more** )
- 2- Is there----- food left? ( **most** / **any** / **many** )
- 3- Do you think that Ahmed is very----- . ( **nervous** / **nervously** )
- 4- Sometimes they go home very ----- . ( **fast** / **fastly** / **slow** )
- 5- You -----chew gum in class. ( **should** / **must** / **mustn't** )

**G) Correct the underlined msispelt words**

**(4pts)**

At Petra their<sup>1</sup> are the remains of kave<sup>2</sup> homes made in the rok<sup>3</sup>. Inside the home, it is cool and cumfortable<sup>4</sup>.

1-..... 2-.....

3-..... 4-.....

**H) write a paragraph about yourself**

**(8 pts)**

My name is ..... I was born in ..... I speak.....

My favourite subjects are-----and-----, I like----- best .

My hobbies are -----and----- .

**I) Complete the table with countries or nationalities**

**( 4pts)**

Countries	Nationalities
1-.....	Japanese
Jordan	Jordanian
2-.....	Spanish
Australia	3-.....
4-.....	American

**J) Write an e-mail to your friend about your favourite animal**

**- These questions might help you**

**(8pts)**

\* What does it eat/What can it do?/How do you take care of it?/Why do you like it?

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**-Good Luck-**