

اختبار البكالوريا التجريبي

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Read the text carefully then do the activities

The health time bomb of obesity is exploding. Already one in three UK children is obese overweight.

A further 60.000 children are thought to be suffering weight-related metabolic syndrome- a combination of condition including high blood pressure, raised cholesterol and increased fats in the blood. Given that obesity takes 13 years, on average, from the life of sufferers, this could lead to the first fall in life expectancy for over 300 years.

Poor nutrition has fuelled increased obesity. Doctors blame poor diets rich in junk food and a « couch potato » lifestyle-with children. The vast majority of UK children consume too much salt, fat and sugar and almost all of them don't get enough fruits and vegetables.

It is no coincidence that children eat the food they see on advertisements. Marketers spend over 300 million on food promotion- almost always unhealthy- on TV before 09 pm, and this money is not wasted. Children and parents both say the constant marketing of junk food is one reason why they consume so of it.

In fact almost three-quarters of parents say that junk food advertising influences their children's food choice. Of course children's diets are the responsibility of their parents. But hard-pressed mums and dads need some help.

To ban junk food advertising before 09 pm is best way to protect children. Over 70 percent of children's TV viewing is outside the hours of children's TV. The commercial TV programmes that children watch most are violent and oriented to adults. Unless we protect children from TV adverts during these programmes we will not tackle the obesity crisis.

A) Comprehension/Interpretation : (8 pts)

1) Circle the letter that corresponds to the right answer : (01 pts)

The text is: a) Expository. b) Descriptive. c) Argumentative.

2) Are these statements true or false? Write T or F next to the letter corresponding to the statement

- a) Thousands of children are at risk of growing overweight.
- b) Obesity shortens the life of people of about thirty years.
- c) Poor diets have increased the number of obese children.
- d) Only few parents say advertising is affecting the way their children eat.

3) Answer the following questions according to text: (3 pts)

- What is weight-related metabolic syndrome?
- Does advertising affect parents' and children's diet? How?
- What does the writer suggest as solution to protect children from obesity?

4) What or who do the underlined words in the text refer to? (1pts)

- It §3 =
- These §4 =

5) Copy the title you think is the most appropriate. (01 pts)

- Obesity crisis in UK.
- Advertisements and obesity in UK.
- War on obesity in UK.

B) Text exploration:

1). A- Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to: (0.5 pts)

- Overweight §1 =
- Publicity §3 =

B- Find in the text words that are opposites to the following words: (0.5 pts)

- Healthy food §2 = '.....
- To allow §4 = '.....

2) Complete the following table: (01 pts)

Verb	Noun	Adjective
.....	Advertised
To consume
.....	Choice

3) Ask the questions which the underlined words answer. (01 pts)

- Marketers spend over £ 300 million on food promotion.

- Children are obese due to fast food.

4) Rewrite sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a). (02 pts)

- A health expert said, "at least 2.8 million adults die each year due to obesity".
 - A health expert said that
- If we eat regularly and wisely, we will not put on weight.
 - Providing that
- Food advertisements expose children to obesity.
 - Children
- Many children have become overweight because of the consumption of food.
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5) Fill in the gaps with words from the list: (1pts) likely – choose – teenagers – habits

Many factors affect what people choose to eat. These include age And presentation.

Different sectors of the community will to eat different types of food, for example the factor that a

Are most To convince teenagers to buy foods are convenience, trend, taste, cheapness, but...do

Not generally care if food is environmentally friendly.

6) Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of the final “s”. (01 pts)

Brands – Takes – Diseases – Weighs.

/s/	/z/	/ɪz/

Part Two: Written Expression. Choos one of the following topics: (05 pts)

Topic One: Using the following notes, write a composition of about (100 words) stating the main causes Of obesity, it dangers and how to control it.

- Consuming too many calories./ - physical inactivity./ - genetic hereding./ - diseases/ - excessive of weight/ medical check-up./ - diet / exercise

Topic Two: Write an argumentative essay on the following topic:

Some businessmen say that business is business and that business profits are more important than moral values. Do you agree with this statement? Why? Why not?.

Hard work for big dreams; Good luck

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Space exploration is the use of astronomy and space technology to explore the outer space. Physical exploration of space is conducted by both human space flights and by robotic spacecraft common rationales for exploring space include advancing scientific research. Uniting different nations ensuring the future survival of humanity and developing military or strategic advantages against other countries. As NASA resumes flight of the space shuttle to finish building the first international space station (ISS). Many are questioning whether the project is worth the risk and expense. I think that exploring the space is a wast of resources.

To start off, space exploration is a wastage of time. We have spent many years of time just to stud the outer space and is it not actually bringing benefits to our daily life. Besides, space exploration is not a project that will be 100% successful in achieving the main goat. There are too many uncertainties in the project. If technicians have tried thousands of times but always ended up with nothing it will be a surprise for all of us to see a success, Exploring the space is a risky task; we should not waste so much time trying out the uncertainties.

Moreover, space exploration wastes a lot of money. Billions of money have been spent in the space exploration programs for money years. At this point of time, people are facing a very serious inflation problem. The word's economy is getting poorer and poorer, Poverty and starvation have become more and mor common in different sports of the plant. Therefore, I think the governments should spend more money on reliving people's problems, and not washing it on space exploration.

A) Comprehension/ Interpretation: (08 pts)

1) Circle the letter that corresponds to the right answer, the text is: (01 pts)

- a) Expository. b) Argumentative. c) Narrative.

2) Are these statements true or fals? Write T or F next to the letter corresponding to the statement.

- a) Space exploration involves both humans and robots.
b) A lot or years and much money have been spent in exploring space.
c) Exploring space helps people in solving their daily life problems.
d) Many people are suffering from poverty and famine in the world.

3) Answer the questio according to the text. (03 pts)

- a) What is space exploration ?
b) What are the advantages of space exploration?
c) According to the author, is space exploration bene ficial for human's daily life? State two reasons only.

4) In which paragraph is it mentioned that the NASA has a propective project in the field of space Exploration. (01 pts)

5) Choos the mains idea of the text. (01 pts)

- a) The role of NAZA in exploring the space.
b) The disadvantage of exploring the space.
c) The importance of astronomy.

B) Text exploration : (07 pts)

1) Match the following words with their right definition. (01 pts)

Words	Definitions
1) Exploration.	a) To learn or gain knowledge
2) Uncertainty.	b) The act of travelling through a place in order to find out about it.
3) Rational.	c) Something that you cannot be sure about.
4) To study	d) The principal or reasons which explain a particular decision, belief or action.

2) Give the opposites of the following words keeping the same root. (01 pts)

- a) Rational. b) Common. c) Certain. d) Use.

3) Connect each pair of sentences with one of the link words given. Make changes where necessary.

So That – Unlike – as a result – while (1.5 pts)

A- a) Exploring space is beneficial. b) Many countries encourage it.

B - a) Billions of money are spent on space exploration. b) Many countries are suffering from famine.

4) Rewrite sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a). (1.5 pts)

1) a- Space exploration is conducted by humans and robots.

b- Humans and robots

2) a- I think that Algeria should send satellites.

b- It's high time

3) a- Unfortunately, governments spend a lot of money on space exploration.

b- I wish governments

5) Underline or write the silent letter in each of the following words. (01 pts)

Flight – Outer – Knowledge – should.

6) Recorder the following sentences to make a coherent passage.

- a) Of the universe, plant Earth and the solar system.
b) To biomedicine, life and physical sciences.
c) Space sciences are vital to the understanding of the structure.
d) They also provide insights into new approaches.

Part two: Written Expression: Choose one of the following topics. (05pts)

Topic one:

Using the following notes, write a composition of about (100 words) on the importance of space research:

- a) Space research helps in protecting the environments.
b) Space-based technologies for tsunami warning.
c) Saving the lives of people during natural catastrophes.
d) Communication technologies for better services.

Topic two: Write a composition of about (100 word) on the following topic:

Our eating habits are changing very rapidly due to many causes. In your opinion, what is behind this change? What are its drawbacks on our health?

Good luck; strive for your dreams

