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TOTAL MARKS (560 Marks)

I. VOCABULARY(100 Marks)

A -From a, b, c and d choose the most suitable word that best completes each of the following sentences:(5x10 = 50 Marks

- 1- His Highness, the Amir of Kuwait has always peace talks and initiatives.
a) nurtured
b) customised
c) reminisced
d) inscribed
- 2- The man began his schedule by getting stuck in traffic on his way to work.
a) celebratory
b) quotidian
c) sickly
d) cardiac
- 3- The company plan is based on the that the economy will improve in the near future.
a) transition
b) extravaganza
c) assumption
d) literacy
- 4- It is a tradition that Kuwaiti always greet their visitors at their Diwanias.
a) originally
b) harshly
c) gradually
d) cordially
- 5- It was popular to machines manually before the discovery of automatic keys.
a) wind up
b) meet up
c) block out
d) pass on

B – Do as shown between brackets : (4x5=20 Marks)

15- After he had got his university degree, he was selected to be a lecturer. (Use: **Hardly**)

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16- If my brother had done well in the exam, my father (**not be**) annoyed. (Correct)

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17- Nowadays, everybody has got a mobile phone,? (Add a question tag)

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18- Both the teacher and the student are in the playground. (Make Negative)

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III- LANGUAGE FUNCTIONS (40 Marks)

- Write what you would say in the following situations:(4x10= 40 Marks)

19- You are conducting a research for school and you seek your teacher's help.

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20- Your little brother is asking you to describe your last visit to the Science Centre.

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21- Your friend thinks that public transport has no benefits, yet you think the opposite.

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22- A friend suggests having a party this week, yet it is exam time and you have much study.

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IV- SET BOOK QUESTIONS (40 Marks)

- Answer only (FOUR) of the following questions: (4x10 = 40 Marks)

23- “Diwanias in the Gulf region, especially in Kuwait serve different purposes.” Explain.

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24- Effective listening has so many barriers. Mention one.

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25- From your point of view, why are mobile phones becoming dominant devices?

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26- Is it important for family members to meet on different occasions? Justify your answer.

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27- “Hala February has a lot of significant cultural aspects that Kuwaitis like. Show how.

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V- WRITING(120 Marks)

Write on the following topic:

“It is a weekly habit to meet your best friends in a place you all like”

Plan and write an essay of not **less than 14 sentences (160 words)** describing **this place, and showing what makes it your favourite one.**

NB: (Your writing should include an introduction, two-body paragraphs and a conclusion)

(OUTLINE - 20 Marks)

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Body (1) :

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Body (2)

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Conclusion :

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VI- Reading Comprehension (110 marks)**Read the following passage and answer the questions below:**

Research suggests that walking may not make you a genius but it will improve your attention and concentration and help your mood, well-being and even your physical health.

Regular physical exercise such as walking has been shown to help improve both mental and physical health. Certainly, the many physical health benefits of regular exercise are well known and researched. Ongoing regular exercise can improve heart performance, lead to more weight loss, and boost metabolism, the process by which the body changes food into energy. Research has found that regular exercise lowers anxiety, depression, stress and concentration.

Yet, even with all these wonderful benefits of regular exercise, the vast majority do not meet even minimal recommended amount of exercise. There are a variety of reasons for this lack of exercise including time pressures and lack of commitment to do so. This is one reason why walking is such an important exercise for most people.

Many may not afford the time energy and money to join a health club or gym or perhaps participate in exercise activities that are harder to do. Many sports, which are skill based, may result in injury, and cost a lot of money. Walking is perfect since you can do it anywhere and at any time and **it** does not need special equipment. Most of us can do walk and must find a way to make that happen.

One helpful way to improve walking is to always wear a pedometer, an instrument that calculates the distance travelled on foot by recording the number of steps taken. They provide feedback on your walking progress and most professionals suggest aiming for 10,000 steps per day. This translates into about 8 km of walking. A pedometer is a great motivator since it gives you an accurate description of your exercise activity .Walking may be long or short but as long as you keep your body, you will **accumulate** more steps. Therefore, you'll likely notice that your thinking is clearer , you are more attentive, happier, and you'll lose some weight and have a good shape. 344

A- From a, b, c and d choose the suitable answer: (5x10=50 Marks)

28-The **best title** of the passage is:

- a) Metabolism
- b) How To Be Genius
- c) Physical Exercises
- d) Walking And Our lifestyle.

29- The underlined pronoun “**It**” in the **4th** paragraph refer to:

- a) time
- b) injury
- c) walking
- d) money

30- The meaning of the word “**accumulate**” in the **last** paragraph is:

- a) gain
- b) waste
- c) decrease
- d) divide

31-What can be understood from the **4th** paragraph?

- a) Walking is the most convenient activity.
- b) Walking causes depression, stress and anxiety.
- c) Walking is not affected by psychological factors.
- d) All people follow the recommendation for doing exercises.

32- According to the text, which of the following statements is **NOT TRUE**?

- a) Walking helps you to become a genius.
- b) Walking does not affect your thinking abilities.
- c) There are no merits of following a fitness regimen.
- d) Ten thousands steps are equal to five miles of walking.

B- Answer the following questions: (4x15=60 Marks)

33- How can regular exercise improve the general health?

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34- According the passage, People have a lot of excuses for meet even minimal recommended amount of exercise. Such as

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35- What is meant by “a pedometer”?

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36- By reading the article, it is clear that the writer’s purpose is to:

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VII - SUMMARY MAKING (60 Marks)

- Read the following passage, then do as required: (4X15= 60 Marks)

I'm surprised that you seem to find no fault at all with computers. I quite agree with you that they are excellent means of entertainment and a valuable source of information. But you seem to forget that they have also become a source of addiction to many children. A lot of mothers nowadays complain about the fact that their children have become so obsessed with their computers and the Internet that they lose contact with their friends and so grow lonely. Besides, their health is affected as they spend long hours sitting in front of the screen. Their eyes hurt and their backs ache. In addition to that they become less performing at school because of this time consuming activity. They don' find time to do their homework well or to do some reading. Apart from that using the Internet for a long time may lead to the impoverishment of young pupil's language skills because the language used on the Internet is not only full of mistakes but it often consists of abbreviations and unfinished sentences , which doesn't help young peoples to improve their learning.

In a paragraph of FOUR sentences ONLY , summarise and paraphrase the previous passage in an answer to the following question:

Why are some mothers against the overuse of computers by children?

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Rubrics for Checking Summary Making

Rubrics	Content / relevance of ideas	Paraphrasing	Spelling and grammar	Paragraph Format	Total
	30	20	5	5	60

VIII – TRANSLATION (30 Marks)

- Translate the following into good English : (2X 15 =30 Marks)

- علي : يعتبر مهرجان هلا فبراير حدثا اقتصاديا هاما .
- فهد : نعم ، حيث تقدم العديد من المحلات تخفيضات هائلة لزبائنها خلال المهرجان .

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**End of Exam
Good Luck**