

סוג הבחינה : א. בגרות לבתי ספר על-יסודיים
ב. בגרות לנבחני משנה
מועד הבחינה : קיץ תשס"ד, 2004
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אנגלית

שאלון ה'

(MODULE E)

הוראות לנבחן

א. משך הבחינה : שעה ורבע

ב. מבנה השאלון ומפתח הערכה : בשאלון זה שני פרקים.

פרק ראשון – הבנת הנקרא – 70 נקודות

פרק שני – משימת כתיבה – 30 נקודות

סה"כ – 100 נקודות

ג. חומר עזר מותר בשימוש : מילון אוקספורד אנגלי-אנגלי-עברי

או מילון הראפס אנגלי-אנגלי-ערבי

נבחן "עולה חדש" רשאי להשתמש גם במילון דו לשוני : אנגלי-שפת-אמו/שפת-אמו-אנגלי.
השימוש במילון אחר טעון אישור הפיקוח על הוראת האנגלית.

ד. הוראות מיוחדות :

(1) עליך לכתוב את כל תשובותיך בגוף השאלון (במקומות המיועדים לכך).

(2) כתוב את כל תשובותיך באנגלית ובעט בלבד. אסור להשתמש בטיפקס.

(3) בתום הבחינה החזר את השאלון למשגיח.

הערה : גם נבחנים אקסטרניים חייבים להיבחן בפרק הבנת הנשמע.

ההנחיות בשאלון זה מנוסחות בלשון זכר ומכוונות לנבחנות ולנבחנים כאחד.

בהצלחה !

PART I: ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM WRITTEN TEXTS (70 points)

Read the article below and then answer questions 1-7.

WORLD'S FAVORITE WRITING TOOL REFUSES TO BE ERASED

For over four centuries, the classic wooden pencil has enjoyed enormous popularity. Even with the current boom in high-tech writing devices, about 15 billion pencils are produced worldwide every year. "Twenty years ago my advisers started warning me about the imminent rise of electronic writing tools," says Manfred Beller, a leading pencil
5 manufacturer. "I'm glad I didn't listen to them."

In view of the competition, you may wonder how the ordinary pencil has managed to retain its appeal. The answer is obvious enough. The world's most-used writing instrument happens to be the least expensive. It is also the most reliable, working tirelessly and never breaking down. For maintenance all you need is a pencil sharpener. And it's more portable
10 than the most portable computer.

Such practical considerations, however, mean little to pencil fans. For them, there is something deeply satisfying about the feel of a pencil moving across a page. The humble pencil is also favored by the anti-technology crowd. Members of the Chicago-based Plain Pencil Club, for example, have entirely renounced the use of electronic writing tools.
15 "Modern technology deprives us of sensory experiences linked to writing, and we're fighting back," explains the club's founder Henry Barnett. "Moreover, your whole personality is expressed in your handwriting, especially when you use a pencil. Obviously, nothing of the sort happens with computers."

There is another factor in the pencil's success. Writing tools with metal and plastic components
20 often cause serious ecological problems when discarded. Since the pencil is made almost entirely of organic materials, it causes no such problems. This makes it a favorite with environmentalists. For other people, the same trait can also create a special connection with the pencil that goes beyond its basic function. "I do not merely write with pencils," said the Canadian author Philip Miller in his letter of application to the Plain Pencil Club.
25 "I chew them. I eat them." You can't do that with your computer, can you?

(Adapted from "World's Favorite Writing Tool Refuses to be Erased," *The International Herald Tribune*,
March 1, 2003)

QUESTIONS (70 points)

Answer questions 1-7 in English according to the article.

1. COMPLETE THE SENTENCE ACCORDING TO LINES 1-5.

We can understand that Manfred Beller's advisers believed that people would _____
_____.

(9 points)

2. COMPLETE THE SENTENCE ACCORDING TO LINES 6-18.

Pencil fans believe that the advantages mentioned in lines 6-10 are _____
_____.

(10 points)

3. Give ONE reason why some people prefer the pencil, according to lines 11-18.

COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.

By using a pencil, you _____.

(10 points)

4. COMPLETE THE SENTENCE ACCORDING TO LINES 19-25.

When you use a pencil you don't _____.

(10 points)

5. In his letter of application, Philip Miller wrote that he chews pencils. What do you think he wanted this information to show? Base your answer on lines 19-25.

ANSWER: _____.

(10 points)

6. What is the writer's main purpose in writing the article?
- i) To convince people to use pencils.
 - ii) To present the pencil's advantages and disadvantages.
 - iii) To present various reasons for the pencil's success.
 - iv) To show what the pencil has to compete with.

(9 points)

7. (a) The writer's tone is (-).
- i) sentimental
 - ii) pessimistic
 - iii) anxious
 - iv) humorous

- (b) Copy ONE phrase or sentence from the article that supports your answer.

(2x6=12 points)

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PART II: ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM SPOKEN TEXTS (30 points)

Answer questions 8-13 according to the broadcast. In questions 10 and 12 follow the instructions. In the other questions, circle the number of the correct answer.

(5 points for each correct answer.)

THE WRONG PETS

8. Dr. Pearson wrote the book in order to (-).
- i) tell of her experiences with dangerous pets
 - ii) teach about the needs of wild animals
 - iii) make people aware of a dangerous trend
 - iv) explain how to choose the proper pet
9. What does Dr. Pearson mention regarding the illegal trade in wild animals?
- i) Where it developed
 - ii) What its consequences are.
 - iii) Which wild animals it affects the most.
 - iv) How the animals are hunted.
10. According to Dr. Pearson, why did people keep wild animals in the past?
Give ONE reason.

ANSWER: _____.

11. What does Dr. Pearson say about the reasons people keep wild animals today?
- i) They are not very clear.
 - ii) A lot of research is being done on them.
 - iii) Some of them are the same as in the past.
 - iv) They are very different from those in the past.

12. What may happen when wild pets grow up?

COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.

They can sometimes _____.

13. What does Dr. Pearson explain at the end of the interview?
- i) How zoos can help wild animals.
 - ii) Where to treat injured animals.
 - iii) What to do with unwanted pets.
 - iv) Why it is hard to get rid of unwanted pets.

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