





Q1: Read the texts and answer the questions:

(23 marks)

Text (A)

The Summer and Winter Olympic Games are events in which the world's best athletes compete with one another.

The Summer Olympics are the biggest and are held every four years. At the Summer Olympics, there are competitions in more than twenty different sports.

Today's Olympic Games are based on a competition that was invented in Ancient Greece 2,500 years ago. These games were first held at Olympia in Greece.

They lasted five days and were only attended by men. They included sports such as wrestling and chariot racing. Jordan's appearance in the 2012 Summer Olympic Games was its ninth Olympic participation, with <u>its</u> first appearance in 1980 CE. Since then, a growing number of talented Jordanian athletes have been encouraged to aim for international success.

Dana Haidar is one of Jordan's top-performing tae-kwondo athletes. Using her high profile, <u>she</u> has launched a campaign for children's sport in schools.

It encourages girls to take up sports and increase awareness of the importance of being healthy. Jordan is proud of its athletes and its growing athletic tradition.

Today, more resources are devoted to increasing the size of the team, and Jordan's athletes are inspired by the prospect of winning an Olympic medal to continue doing their best.

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- 1- When are the Summer Olympics held regularly?
- 2- Why were the Olympics called by this name?
- 3- Which of the following sentences are true or false, and then correct the false ones?
 - a) At the Summer Olympics, there are competitions in more than thirty different sports.
 - b) Dana Haidar is one of Egypt's top-performing taekwondo athletes.
 - c) Today's Olympic Games are based on a competition that was invented in Ancient Greece 2,500 years ago. _____
 - d) Jordan's appearance in the 2012 Winter Olympic Games was its ninth Olympic participation. _____

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4- What do the underlined pronouns refer to?

Text (B)

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Fencing began as a way of practising for duels in the Middle Ages, when knights used to prepare themselves by fighting, in pairs, with swords that were not very sharp.

It was made into a spectator sport in Spain and Italy, and fencing tournaments have been extremely popular events since then.

Until the 1930s, scoring was extremely difficult, with a whole group of judges watching to see if one fencer had 'hit' the other. However, the judges were replaced by an electrical scoring apparatus, with an audible tone and a red or green light indicating when a touch landed.

- 1- In your own words. What is the text talking about?
- 2- What was the purpose of Fencing in the Middle Ages?
- 3- How could the judges first tell the scoring result?
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- 4- What happened then to record points in fencing that made the process easier?
- 5- Find out words which are similar to the following from the text.

Fighter in a battle	
Famous	
A tool	







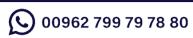
Q2: Fill in the blanks with the correct words from the box, one word isn't needed:

(3 marks)

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1 bui	ld up strength an	d improves stamina.	
2- Share the Ro	oad is working to	spread of h	ow to cycle safely.
3- To protect the home for 28		_ system, the mothe	r is supposed to stay at
4- If you knock enter that ho		nobody answers, it's	consideredto
	-	every four years. es, but finally we	in Jordan.
			below. (5 marks)
1- If I had enou	ıgh money, I	a new house.	مند
		c) would buy	d) bought
2- The mobile	phoneI	bought yesterday w	as very expensive.
a) who	b) that	c) when	d) whose
3- The festival	on 20 th	October every year.	
		c) is starting	
	ts of clouds. It b) is raining	tonight. c) is going to ra	in d) will rain
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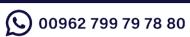






5- I think that the co	elebration	entertaining.	
a) is going to be	b) will be	c) is being	d) is
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6- I do my		•	
a) can	b) must	c) have to	d) don't have to
7- Students	_ leave their home	work until late in	the evening.
a) must	b) have to	c) should	d) shouldn't
8- My bag	yesterday while I v	vas talking on the	phone.
	b) were stolen	_	-
9- In the next few d	ays, the new house	e by a pr	ofessional engineer
a) will build	b) is built	c) was built	d) will be built
10- You've got black all night.	k spots under your	eyes. It seems tha	at you
a) have studied	b) are studying	c) have been s	tudying d) study
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Q4: Rewrite the follo			
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1- You aren't allowed You mustn't	ed to drive cars und	•	
2- It isn't necessary You don't have t	to bring your food o		
3- Judd will absolut	ely win the tournar	ment.	







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Q5: Write t	wo sentences describing your future plans. (2 marks)	
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Answers

Question 1:

Text (A)

- 1- The Summer Olympics are held every four years.
- 2- Because they were first held at Olympia in Greece.

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- a) At the Summer Olympics, there are competitions in more than <u>thirty</u> different sports. <u>False</u> / thirty must be twenty.
- b) Dana Haidar is one of <u>Egypt's</u> top-performing taekwondo athletes. <u>False</u> / Egypt's must be Jordan's.
- c) Today's Olympic Games are based on a competition that was invented in Ancient Greece 2,500 years ago. <u>True</u>
- d) Jordan's appearance in the 2012 <u>Winter</u> Olympic Games was its ninth Olympic participation. <u>False</u>/ winter must be summer.
- 4-<u>Its</u> → Jordan / <u>she</u> → Dana Haidar / <u>their</u> → Jordan's athletes

Text (B)

- 1- The text is talking about fencing and its development through times.
- 2- It was as a kind of practising when knights used to prepare themselves by fighting, in pairs, with swords that were not very sharp.
- 3- A whole group of judges watching to see if one fencer had 'hit' the other.
- 4- The judges were replaced by an electrical scoring apparatus, with an audible tone and a red or green light indicating when a touch landed.
- 5- Fighter in a battle = Knight / Famous = Popular / A tool = apparatus

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Question 2:

1- swimming 2- awareness 3- immune 4- impolite

5- takes place 6- settled down

Question 3:

1- c) would buy 2- b) that 3- b) starts 4- c) is going to rain

5- b) will be 6- c) have to 7- d) shouldn't

8- c) was stolen 9- d) will be built 10- c) have been studying

Question 4:

1- You mustn't drive cars under the age of eighteen.

2-You don't have to bring your food. There will be a lot.

3- The tournament will be absolutely won by Judd.

Question 5:

- 1- Two years from now, I am going to study in the university of Jordan.
- 2- After having my bachelor degree, I am going to settle down in the USA.

Question 6:

Student's own answer