

**PAPER TWO (18 MARKS)**

**COMPOSITION, READING COMPREHENSION, SPELLING, PUNCTUATION & TRANSLATION**

**I- Composition ( 5 marks)**

**"Reading books is very useful and adds to our experience"**

**Write a one paragraph report (10 sentences) about the importance of reading books.**

**The following guide words and phrases may help you:**

Reading – useful – hobby – very interesting – different kinds of books – adventure – story – science - fun – information – reading – good habit – increase – knowledge – world- – great inventions – read books – more interesting – good at language – vocabulary – grammar - opinions - imaginative.

**The importance of reading books**

Reading is a very useful hobby for all people. It is an extremely interesting hobby too. People like to read different kinds of books. Some people are interested in reading adventure books. Others are keen on reading stories of all types. Some prefer to read science books to know more about the scientific development and technology. Reading is sometimes for fun, but most people read for information. It is good to have reading as a habit. It increases one's knowledge about the world around us. When we read we know more about inventions learn languages and enrich our vocabulary and improve grammar as well. Reading helps us to build our own opinion and become imaginative.

### I- Reading Comprehension ( 6 Marks )

**Read the following passage and answer the questions below:**

The sign on the bridge says" DANGER". "A **Low** Bridge." The driver of the big and high truck didn't see it. He drove under the bridge. There was a terrible noise and the truck stopped suddenly. The driver tried to move the truck but he couldn't. The driver phoned a garage asking for help. After five minutes they sent him a tug-car to pull his truck. The tug-car tried to pull the truck but **it** couldn't. The road was terribly closed. A lot of people were angry because they couldn't move their cars. After a short time a little girl said to the truck driver "Let some air go out of the tires." The driver did what the girl said and he pressed the valves to let some air out. The tug-car could pull the truck easily.

**A) Choose the correct answer from a b and c : ( 4x 1/2 =2 marks)**

1-The truck made a terrible .....

**a- traffic problem**

**b- long road**

**c- low bridge**

2-The most suitable title for this passage is .....

**a- A Terrible Noise**

**b- A Young problem solver**

**c- A Problem**

3- The word "**it**" in line (5) refers to.....

**a- sign**

**b- truck**

**c- tug-car**

4- The word "**low**" in line (1) is the opposite of.....

**a- high**

**b- closed**

**c- terrible**

**B) Tick ( / ) or ( x ) : (4x 1/2 =2 marks )**

5- The truck was very small. ( x )

6- The driver saw the sign of danger. ( x )

7- The tug-car couldn't pull the truck at first. ( / )

8- A policeman solved the problem. ( x )

**C) Answer the following questions: (2x1=2 marks)**

9-What was written on the sign on the bridge?

**A low bridge**

10-How did the people in the place of the accident feel?

**They were angry because they couldn't move their cars.**

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**III- Spelling (3 Marks)****A) Circle the mistakes and write them correctly: (2x 1/2 =1 mark)**

- To write a story, you need to be profasional.
- Of course you know how to konvey a message on the mobile.

1. **professional**

2. **convey**

**B) Supply the short or long forms: (2x 1/2 =1 mark)**

3. RAF = **Royal Air force**      4. will not = **won't**

**C) Combine the following: (2x 1/2 =1 mark)**

5. hobby + s = **hobbies**      6. write + ing = **writing**

**IV- Punctuation (2 Marks)****Re-write the following with the right punctuation marks: (4x 1/2 =2 mark)**

1 - where did you see them

**Where did you see them?**

2 - i feel sleepy

**I feel sleepy.**

**V-Translation (2 marks)**

**Translate into good Arabic:**

Writing a story is something different from telling a story, but both activities need an active and inventive person. I like telling stories because it's very interesting to me.

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