

**General Secondary Education Certificate Examination  
Third Year Secondary ( Low Vision ) 2018/2019**

**Time:3 Hours**

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**A- Vocabulary and Structure**

**1- Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d:**

- 1- We'd like to ..... a table at the restaurant , please .  
*a. book                      b. design                      c. fix                      d. make*
- 2- There are a lot of ..... on the ground in autumn .  
*a. trunks                      b. leaves                      c. roots                      d. stems*
- 3- We ..... a family party next Friday , everything is arranged .  
*a. have had                      b. will have                      c. are having                      d. has*
- 4- My friend Lamia ..... really well in the test yesterday .  
*a. made                      b. did                      c. got                      d. run*
- 5- Your father reminds me ..... A famous actor .  
*a. for                      b. in                      c. at                      d. of*
- 6- Ola is ..... intelligent that she passed the exam easily .  
*a. so                      b. too                      c. enough                      d. such as*
- 7- Today is the 20<sup>th</sup> ..... of my wedding .  
*a. memory                      b. reminding                      c. anniversary                      d. memorial*
- 8- The car can go very fast . It's extremely .....  
*a. powerful                      b. tasteful                      c. painful                      d. hopeful*
- 9- The car ..... now  
*a. mends                      b. is mending                      c. is being mended                      d. mend*
- 10- When she was ill, she ..... A lot of weight .  
*a. gained                      b. won                      c. earned                      d. beat*
- 11- The ..... of the match surprised everyone .  
*a. reason                      b. opinion                      c. result                      d. house*
- 12- While he ..... his hair cut , the light went out .  
*a. had                      b. has                      c. was having                      d. used to have*
- 13- Reem is very ..... , she will be a very good poet .  
*a. strange                      b. creative                      c. imaginary                      d. ordinary*
- 14- It's hard to study and have a ..... job .  
*a. time out                      b. time                      c. full-time                      d. timed*

- 15- My brother encouraged me ..... my time .  
*a. waste            b. not to waste    c. wasting            d. wastes*

## 11- Reading Comprehension

### 2. Read the following passage, then answer the questions:

What do you want to do when you grow up?" is a question which adults often ask children. I wonder, do adults expect us at our age to have a definite idea of how we want to spend the rest of our lives? After all, I doubt when they were our age that they knew what career they wanted when they grew older. It seems to me that there aren't many adults who are haggard with their Jobs. Many seem to have their current occupations by accident rather than by choice.

However, many of us are troubled by this question. Life we are told is a vast open space that has to be filled up with something that is good, will satisfy us and make our life worthwhile. How to achieve this kind of satisfaction is another matter! Unfortunately, we are told that we have to excel in all spheres of life, but we are given very little guidance on how to do so.

Do work and a worthwhile life mean the same thing? Maybe. There are many jobs that are beneficial to society, jobs that involve helping others. Or maybe a job should not be seen as an end in itself, but rather as a means to an end. The money gained through working can be used to finance such things as a family, a nice house, hobbies or travel. Perhaps greater satisfaction can be achieved through the enjoyment of these things.

When choosing a job we have to make sure that the advantages outweigh the disadvantages associated with the job. We must not only think of being rich and how much money we can attain through our occupations, but we should also think of how we will benefit and progress.

A job should not just be a source of money. It should also be a path for self-development. A very important factor is to find a job in a field you enjoy. If you do this, you will find that your job is not an obligation but something you actually enjoy.

#### A) Choose the correct answer from a ,b ,c or d:

- 1- Money may be used to finance .....  
*a) travel    b) hobbies    c) a nice house            d) all of the above*
2. Jobs should not be seen as .....  
*a) a beginning    b) an end            c) a median            d) a middle*
3. The speaker believes that not many adults .....their jobs.  
*a) hate            b) know            c) choose            d) respect*
4. The speaker believes that life should be filled up with something .....  
*a) good            b) bad            c) funny            d) trivial*
5. Greater satisfaction can be achieved by looking at life with .....  
*a) misery            b) carelessness    c) indifference    d) enjoyment*
6. You may enjoy your job if you feel that it is not an .....  
*a) authorization    b) end    c) obligation            d) colonization*

**B) Answer the following questions:**

7. What does the author think of the question of, "What do you want to do when you grow up ?

**C. The Novel**

**3- a- Choose the correct answer from a, b, c or d:**

- 1- Rassendyll asked Johann to open the door of the .....
- a. room                      b. castle                      c. mansion                      d. lodge*
- 2- Rupert offered to give the boy money to take his .....
- a. Car                      b. horse                      c. bike                      d. sword*
- 3- Rose said Rassendyll wouldn't be someone important if he didn't accept the .....
- a. job                      b. money                      c. love                      d. book*
- 4- Rassendyll's plan to save the king .....
- a. Failed                      b. succeeded                      c. gone wrong                      d. was funny*

**b- Answer Only two (2) of the following questions :**

- 1- If you were Flavia , would you forgive Rassendyll for not telling the secret ?
- 2- What do you think of Johann's character ?
- 3- Why do you think Rassendyll helped the real king ?

**D- Writing**

**4- Finish the following dialogue between a shop assistant at a shoe shop and a customer : ( 6 marks)**

**Assistant :** Hello , .....(1).....?

**Customer :** I'd like to buy a pair of shoes .

**Assistant :** What size ?

**Customer :** .....(2).....

**Assistant :** What color ?

**Customer :** .....(3).....

**5- Write a paragraph of three sentences about :**

**Your teachers**

**E. Translation**

**6. a. Translate into Arabic :**

Building trust is not an easy task one can do . It needs to be honest of what you say and do .

**b. Translate into English :**

- ١ - بالعمل الجاد والصبر نستطيع أن نجعل المستحيل ممكن .
- ٢ - يهدف نظام لتعليم إلى اكساب الطالب مهارات التفكير النقدي وحل المشكلات