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END-OF-TERM-TEST N° 3

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Level: 8th Form

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Name: _____ Class: 8b _____ Number: _____

THE TEXT

It is easy to have good relationships with people but it is difficult to choose good friends.

Rahul is my best friend. He is from Argentina. He has long hair and green eyes. We have quite different opinions and interests but we get on well together. He is very helpful. He always lends me a hand when I have a problem. All the teachers admire him because he is intelligent and confident. I admit that I sometimes feel jealous of him because he is excellent at all subjects.

Yesterday, I was enjoying the sunshine in my balcony when I saw Rahul standing at the door. I hurried towards him happily. Suddenly, I became pale when he started speaking: « We'll fly to Argentina next week. Yesterday, dad signed an important business contract there. Don't be sad, Martin. You'll always be in my heart dear friend. I'll keep in touch with you. » Said, Rahul. I was shocked. I still remember myself crying: « I hate you Rahul ! You're not a true friend ! How can you leave me alone ? »



I) READING COMPREHENSION. (6 MARKS)

1) Answer the following question and give the justification (1 pt):

Do Martin and Rahul share the same opinions ? (.....)

Justification :

2) Pick out 2 adjectives describing Rahul (2 pts):

Rahul is and

3) Tick the right option (1 pt):

Rahul will return to his country because :

- Martin hates him.
- Martin is jealous of him.
- His father found another job.

4) Circle the right explanation of the following statement (1 pt):

« I'll keep in touch with you. » means :

- I'll have bad relationship with you.
- I'll be in contact with you.
- I'll fight you.

5) What does the underlined word refer to ? (1 pt):

him (L 7) refers to

II) LANGUAGE. (8 MARKS)

1) Circle the right option (3 pts):

We went to Scotland last week. We spent the first night in an (hotel / inn / hostel). The receptionist didn't look (angry / quick-tempered / cheerful).

She didn't smile when she saw (we / us / our) coming. She said angrily :

« You (shouldn't / can / don't) come late. »

The room we (sleep / are sleeping / slept) in wasn't comfortable. It was hot and dirty. We were glad when the morning came. We will never go (from / on / back) there.

2) Fill in the blanks with 6 words from the list. There are 2 extra words. (3 pts):

money / from / feels / when / because / much / so / spare

Like every woman, I love shopping. It's the only activity I enjoy doing in my time. I love walking around shops and spending my on shoes, clothes and accessories. I live near the city centre. it takes me less than 15 minutes to get to the shopping centre. Sometimes, my husband nervous when we go shopping together. He thinks that it's boring to go one shop to another. He also gets angry I buy expensive clothes.



3) Put the words between brackets in the right tense or form (2pts):

Dear Mother,

I'm in London now. The weather here is very cold. I am the only (teach) on the trip. Most visitors are businessmen from different Tunisian towns. Yesterday, we (go) to the Science Museum. It's very interesting. We also visited Camden market. It's (big) than Hout Souk market. Tomorrow, we will have lunch in a famous restaurant called « Paramount ». I must (stop) now.

Love, Salem



II) WRITING. (6 MARKS)

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Send a letter to your English friend, Linda, to tell her about your next trip to one of the tourist towns in Tunisia.

Tell her about :

- The preparations for the trip. (packing luggage / buying new clothes ...)
- The activities you are going to do there. (shopping / sightseeing / swimming ...)

Dear Linda,

Yours,

I) READING COMPREHENSION. (6 MARKS)

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Do Martin and Rahul share the same opinions ? (...False...)

Justification : ...We have quite different opinions and interests...

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Rahul is intelligent and confident.

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