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اختبار الفصل الأول في مادة اللغة الانجليزية

الاسم و اللقب:..... القسم: .....

Part one: Reading **(14 points)**

A/ Comprehension **(07 points)**

Read the text carefully then do the following activities

Professor Jeffrey D. Sachs testifies to the UN Security Council Session on "Maintenance of International Peace and Security: Sustaining Peace through Common Development" in New York on 20 November

UNITED NATIONS | 21 November 2023 (IDN) — In my testimony I will refer to four (wars): the Ukraine War; the Israel-Palestine War, the Syrian War, and the Sahel Wars, **which** began in 2012 in Mali and have now spread throughout the Sahel, and other recent wars have claimed millions of lives, squandered trillions of dollars in military outlays, and destroyed cultural, natural, and economic wealth built over generations and indeed millennia. Wars are the worst enemy of sustainable development.

These wars may seem intractable, but they are not. Indeed, I would suggest that all four wars could be ended quickly by agreement within the UN Security Council. One reason is that major wars must be fed from the outside, both with external finances and armaments. The UN Security Council could agree to choke off these awful wars by withholding external financing and armaments. **This** would require an agreement among the major powers.

The other reason why these wars can end quickly is that **they** result from economic and political factors that can be addressed through diplomacy rather than through war. By addressing the underlying political and economic factors, the Security Council can establish conditions for peace and sustainable development.

Adapted from: https://indepthnews.net/a-new-global-age-of-peace-and-sustainable-development/

1. ***Choose the answer to complete each statement.***

a) Sahel Wars which began in Mali .....the neighbouring countries.
a- was supported by **b-** expanded to **c-** financed by.

b) All four wars could be ended quickly by .....within the UN Security Council.
a- foreign interference **b-** UN military forces **c-** accords.

c) Economic and political factors can be.....
a -the direct cause of wars **b-** a result of wars **c-** an obstacle to stop wars.

2. ***Identify the paragraphs in which the following ideas are mentioned.***

a) The end of wars can be realized by negotiations.
- **It is mentioned in paragraph**.....

b) Most of wars in the world are supported by foreign powers.
- **It is mentioned in paragraph**.....

3. ***Answer the following questions according to the text.***

a) Can nations promote sustainable development without peace? Illustrate.
- .....
.....

b) Explain how an agreement among the major powers can be a key for the end of wars.
- .....
.....

c) How can the UN Security Council use economic and political factors to make peace in the world?
- .....
.....

4. ***Find what or who the underlined words in the text refer to.***

a) Which (§1) ⟶ ..... **b)** this. (§2) ⟶ .....
c) they (§3

B/ Text E

1. ***Find in the text words or phrases that are opposites in meaning to following :***

a) Old ≠ **(§1).**..... **b)** discord≠ **(§2).**..... **c)** Revealing ≠ **(§3)**.....

2. ***Complete sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a).***

1- **a)** Recent wars have claimed millions of lives

b) Millions of lives.....

2- **a)** All four wars could be ended quickly by agreement within the UN Security Council.

c) It is.....

.....

3- a) In spite of the UN efforts to keep peace in around the world, Israel is still killing the civilains in Gaza.

d) Although.....

.....

3. ***Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of their final "ed "***

suggested- squandered - destroyed – choked

/d/	/t/	/id/
....	....	....

4. ***Complete the following dialogue***

Salim: .....

Aziz: Yes, almost the students in my class presented their project

Salim: .....

Aziz: It is about the recent events that are happening in Gaza

Salim: .....

Aziz: Israel continues killing Palestinians and abusing human rights because it is supported by the major powers.

Salim: .....

Aziz: Yes, Arab countries are able to influence on US and UN to put limits against genocides committed by Israel in Gaza

Part Two: Written Expression

Choose ONE of the following topics:

Topic One: Civil war in Syria and Lybia, Israeli occupation in Palestine are supported and financed by the great power of the world searching for natural resources which are vital for the prosperity of their countries. As an member of association that defends human rights, write a speech of about 80 to 100 words in which you denounce the illegal support of wars in the world and say what should Arab and Muslims do to end war in both Syria and Lybia and of course to liberates Palestine from Israeli occupation.

Make the best use of the following notes:

- Arabic spring /west creation/ weapon and finance support/to make Arabs fighting each other.
- Arab should united /to end war in Lybia and Syria.
- To make Palestine question priority /cut relations with Israel ....etc.....

Topic One: Natural resources are very important to promote sustainable development that lead countries and nations to live in prosperity .As a social media activist, write a composition of about 80 to 100 words in which you explain this importance and suggest ways and mechanism to protect our natural resources.

Good Luck and Best Wishes

The correction of the first term exam.

Level: 2nd year common stream.

Part One: Reading: (15points)

A/ Comprehension. (08points)

1- ***Choose the answer to complete each statement.*** **(0.5×3)**

a) Sahel Wars which began in Mali was **expanded to** the neighbouring countries.

b) All the four wars could be ended quickly by **accords** within the UN Security Council.

c) Economic and political factors can be **the direct cause of wars.**

2- ***Identify the paragraphs in which the following ideas are mentioned.*** **(0.5×2)**

a) The end of wars can be realized by negotiations is mention **in paragraph three.**

b) Most of wars in the world are supported by foreign powers are b mentioned **in paragraph two.**

3- ***Answer the following questions according to the text.*** **(04 points)**

a) No, they don't because wars are the worst enemy of sustainable development. **(1.5 point)**

b) Withholding external financing and armaments to stop wars can be done only if great powers agreed. **(1.25)**

c) The UN Security Council can use economic and political factors to make peace in the world by establishing conditions for peace and sustainable development. **(1.25)**

4. ***Find what or who the underlined words in the text refer to.*** **(0.5×3)**

a) Which (§1) ⟶ the Sahel Wars. **b)** This. (§2) ⟶ withholding external financing and armaments

c) they (§3) ⟶ wars

B/ Text Exploration (07points)

1. ***Find in the text words or phrases that are opposites in meaning to following : (0.5×3)***

a)Old ≠ **(§1) recent b)** discord≠ **(§2) agreement c)** Revealing ≠ **(§3)** underlying

2. ***Complete sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a).*** ***(3.5point)***

1- b) Millions of lives have been claimed by recent wars. ***(1.25)***

2- b) It is possible that all four wars will end quickly by agreement within the UN Security Council. **(1point)**

3-b) **Although** the UN made a lot of efforts to keep peace around the world, Israel is still killing the civilians in Gaza. ***(1.25)***

3. ***Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of their final "ed.*** ***(0.25×4)***

/d/	/t/	/id/
destroyed	choked	*Suggest* squandered

4. ***Complete the following dialogue:*** ***(0.5×4)***

Salim: Did you present your project?

Aziz: Yes, almost the students in my class presented their project

Salim: What is it about?

Aziz: It is about the recent events that are happening in Gaza

Salim: Why does Israel continue killing Palestinians and abusing their rights?

Aziz: Israel continues killing Palestinians and abusing human rights because it is supported by the major powers.

Salim: **Are Arab countries about to influence on US and UN to put limits against genocides committed by Israel in Gaza?**

Aziz: Yes, Arab countries are able to influence on US and UN to put limits against genocides committed by Israel in Gaza

Part two: 5points)