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GRADE 6

ENGLISH FIRST ADDITIONAL LANGUAGE

RESPONSE TO TEXTS: MEMORANDUM

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MARKS:50

This memorandum consists of 4 pages

INSTRUCTIONS:

This question paper consists of THREE QUESTIONS:

QUESTION 1: Comprehension (20 marks)

QUESTION 2: Visual Literacy (10 marks)

QUESTION 3: Language Structures and Conventions (20 marks)

INSTRUCTIONS TO MARKERS

- Candidates are required to answer ALL the questions.
- Candidates' responses should be assessed as objectively as possible.
- When marking comprehension, because the focus is on understanding, incorrect spelling and language errors in responses should not be penalised unless such errors change the meaning/understanding. (Errors must still be indicated.)
- Incorrect spelling in one-word answers should also not be marked wrong, unless the spelling changes the meaning of the word
- For multiple-choice questions, accept BOTH the letter corresponding with the correct answer AND/OR the answer written out in full.

QUESTION 1

1. Helen Keller was born in Alabama in 1880 ✓✓ (2)
2. A✓ groups of raised dots that stand for letters. ✓ (1)
3. She was 88 years old. ✓ (1)
4. Excited ✓ (1)
5. She went to the Perkins School for the Blind. ✓ (1)
6. Gifted ✓ (1)
7. She used sign language. ✓✓ (2)
8. A/ To see and understand things in a different way. ✓ (1)

9. Yes. ✓ She taught Helen how to communicate and see the world differently./

She taught her to read Braille. (or any suitable answer) ✓ (2)

10. C/She learnt to overcome obstacles and worked hard. ✓ (1)

11. C/ About a real person ✓ (1)

12. A/ Friends ✓ (1)

13. B ✓ Helen's parents made the right choice in hiring Anne Sullivan. ✓ (1)

14. Her parents felt proud / happy (or any suitable answer). ✓ ✓ (2)

15. Yes / No, with a suitable reason linked to the choice made. (2)

No, they also have talents and they should be given the opportunity to realise those talents. ✓ ✓

Yes, they have limitations which make it hard for them to fit into society ✓ ✓

Total Marks Question 1: 20

QUESTION 2

1. To take temperature. (1)

2. I would use the tweezers to remove a splinter or a thorn. (1)

3. Bandages / elastic bandages / gauze roll and pads. (2)

4. The gloves are to protect the person doing First Aid, so they don't touch the blood or the wound when they are helping someone. / To keep everything and everyone clean and sanitised. (2)

5. If someone was freezing and shivering, I would use the emergency blanket (1)

6. I think only a qualified doctor can help because they are trained to know how to help people. / I think anyone can help, because even if you can just do a little thing it can still help the person, like Musa's mom helped. / Learner's own response. (1)

7. Unhelpful (1)

8. You are playing with fire. (1)

Marks: 10

QUESTION 3

1. H ✓elen Keller felt lonely because she **couldn't**✓ hear, ✓see or speak.✓ **(4)**
2. Men (1)
3. hear (1)
4. Anne Sullivan was✓ a gifted teacher and worked✓ hard to help Helen learn(2)
5. Was✓ (1)
6. Seriously...✓. (1)
7. by.....✓ (1)
8. Ms Sullivan **will** teach Helen how to use her hands to spell words. ✓ (2)
9. older..... ✓ (1)
10.stories..... ✓ (1)
11. Language.... (1)
12. Helen Keller did not look at her challenges. (2)
- Ms Sullivan does not work hard to help Helen learn. (2)

Marks: 20

GRAND TOTAL: 50 Marks