

**SKHIRA PREP SCHOOL**

**ENGLISH TEACHERS**

**END-OF-TERM TEST N 3 – GRADE 7**

**DATE : JUNE 4<sup>TH</sup> 2011**

Name: ..... Class: ..... Mark: ...../20

Dear Jennifer,

1. I'm very happy to have a pen friend. My name is Tom. I'm English. I'm a fifteen year-old pupil. I live in Manchester. I go to a secondary school near my house.

2. At school, I study many subjects like maths, history and sciences. My favourite subject is English. I'm good at languages. I can speak French, German and of course English but I can't speak Italian and Chinese. My favourite pastimes are listening to music and drawing. I also love to play beach ball with my young brother in summer but I hate volleyball. It is really boring !

3. My father is a doctor at the local hospital and my mother is a teacher in a preparatory school. My brother Paul is five and my sister Angela is seven. They are both pupils. I love them very much because they are quiet and very nice.

4. What about you? Please write back soon and tell me about yourself and your family.

Yours faithfully,

**I / READING COMPREHENSION : ( 5 PTS )**

1. Read the text and complete the table : (2 pts)

Name	Age	Occupation	Town
Tom	.....	pupil	.....

2. Read the text and say if the following statements are true or false, justify your answers: (2 pts)

- Tom speaks Italian very well. True / False  
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- Tom's dad is a teacher at the local school. True / False  
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3. Read the text and say what the underlined words refer to : (1 pt)

- "It" (paragraph 2) refers to .....
- "They" (paragraph 3) refers to .....

**Language : 10 marks.**

1/ put the bracketed words in the right tense/ form. 2.5 marks

Dear Betty,

Now, well, here, I am on my grandparents farm in Switzerland. They (have)..... got lots of cows. The farm (be)..... far from the town. So, there is nothing exciting to do. However, it's very beautiful and calm here. In the evening it's( rain) ..... we usually light a fire and play card games. Yesterday I (go) ..... for a walk with my grandparents. Tomorrow, my grandfather is going to (teach) ..... me how to milk a cow, the old fashioned way.

2/match the underlined utterances with the right functions, there is an extra function: 2 marks

<b>Doctor</b> : <u>What's the matter</u> , (1) Mr Taylor?	a) suggestion	1+ .....
<b>Patient</b> : I have severe back pains .	b) prohibition	2+ .....
<b>Doctor</b> : Oh dear <u>!let me see</u> (2)..... Umm, have you taken any painkillers?	c) obligation	3+ .....
<b>Patient</b> : Yes, I've taken the strongest ones I can get from the chemist's.	d) warning	4+ .....
<b>Doctor</b> : <u>you mustn't take too much of those</u> . (3) Is there any reason for this pain that you know of ?	e) asking for information	
<b>Patient</b> : It started hurting after I did some decorating work at home .I had to lift some heavy blocks.		
<b>Doctor</b> : <u>Be careful when you lift heavy things</u> (4). Now you will have to rest for three days .And I will give you a prescription for painkillers and some ointment to rub on .		
<b>Patient</b> : Thank you .		

3/ fill in the blanks with words from the box . There is an extra word. 3 marks.

exciting – was – sunny – at – beach – weather – in – snowy

Dear Mum and Dad,

We are having a wonderful time ..... Corsica, and fortunately the ..... is lovely. It's warm and ..... nearly every day, so most of the time we go to the ..... and swim. Yesterday, it ..... so hot that we couldn't lie in the sun. Tomorrow we're not going to the beach. We're going to drive round the island and go sightseeing. That will be very .....

See you soon.

Love, Lara and Mick

4/ circle the right option: 2.5 marks

I love to exercise. I usually work out every day. I (**get up - got up - gets up**) early in the morning and go (**eating - sleeping - jogging**) for about (**a - an - 2**) hour. Then, I often go to the gym and do aerobics. Sometimes I go for a walk in the (**town - shop - countryside**). I play basketball once a (**week - year - season**).

**Writing : 5 marks.**

Write pieces of advice to your fat friend Billy on how to keep fit (be in good health) the following hints / pictures may help you.

- Press ups
- Sit ups
- Jogging
- Water
- vegetables

Hi Billy, I know that you are unhappy because you're fat. For that reason I'd like to help you keep fit.

First, you.....

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- Cake 
- sweets 
- chocolate 

**GOOD LUCK**

