

I/ LANGUAGE (15 marks):

1° Circle the right alternative (3.5 mks):

Nice to hear from you. Replying to your email, here is some information about my family and me:

I am from Tangier, north of Morocco.

I have a sister and a brother.

My father is a fire fighter and my mother is a stay-at-home mother. I have long black hair, brown eyes and a little nose. I can swim and I always (ride – drive – catch) my bicycle to school.

I am quite fit and strong. My sister can't swim (but - because - so) she is good at playing tennis.

My prother is (fond - keen - Crazy) about football and basketball and he has pictures of football players all over his bedroom walls. I prefer quiet places and slow music. My prother is quite different.

He is the noisiest and most active. He is (interested - interest - interesting) in listening to loud music

like techno and rap. He is cheerful and amusing.

We all love (he - him - his) very much. He loves pets so he wants to have one.

My best (pastimes – subjects – siblings) at school are languages, history and geography but I am not good at maths and Science.

I'd like (to be - being - be) a lawyer in the future. My brother, my sister and I are a little different



from each other, but we are happy together. I think we are a happy family. What about you? Tell me more about you and your family.

2° Supply the right tense or form of the bracketed words (4 mks):

How are you? I'm fine. Here's an email in English. It's good practice for you and me!
I have classes in English at La Guardia Community College. I'm in a class with six (study)
They are all from different (country): : Japan, Brazil, Switzerland, Poland, and Italy.
Mr Martin teaches (we) Management. He's very nice. He is a very good teacher.
I have two roommates, Liza and Julia. They are ($U.S.A$) sisters. Liza's twenty years old.
She is a (dress hair)
Unlike Liza who is friendly and generous, Julia is mean, rude and (not helpful)
They speak very fast, so it's not easy to understand them.! New York is very busy, very exciting, but very
expensive! The subway (always be not) difficult to use and it's cheap.
It's very cold now but Central Park is lovely in the snow. I'm very happy here.
Write to me soon,

3° Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words from the box. There are 2 extra ones. (3.5 mks)

ugly - to - home - concert - pretty - hardly ever - then - for - hangs around

Angeles Perez is a violinist. She is and kind.

She plays in the New York Philharmonic. She lives in a flat in New York.

She gets up at six o'clock and has a cup of coffee.

She practices the violin until eight o'clock. She doesn't have breakfast.

At nine o'clock, she goes to the hall and plays with





4° Reorder the scrambled words to get coherent sentences (2 mks):

Emily lives in Orlando, Florida. She is twelve and studies at Benjamin Franklin school. She is in the sixth grade. Every morning she gets up at six, takes a shower and has breakfast.

(1) lunch - , - she - midday - has - at - usually :

At...... with her mother.

(2) works - a - secretary - mother - as - her:

Her and her father is a taxi driver.

(3) school - goes - in--, - the - she - to - afternoon:

In and she comes back at 6:00 p.m.

She does her homework and has lunch.

On weekdays, (4) go - early - to - doesn't - bed - she:

She because she watches her favourite serial on t.v.

At weekends, she plays with her friends, listens to music and goes to the movies .

5° Match a sentence part from A with another one from B to get a coherent paragraph.

There is an extra sentence parts in B (2 mks):

It's not a problem because we never argue! I'm Sarah and I'm from London.

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My name's Katie and I'm from New York.		a- because she is trust-worthy and
		I know she doesn't reveal them to
1- My best friend is in my class,		other people.
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2- I love her so much because she's interesting and she		b- so, no one feels bored in her
always		Company
3- I always tell her my secrets and other personal		c- lets me down when I need a hand
information		d- lends me a hand when] need help.
4- She is such fun		e- so all our school mates think we are
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5- We are close to each other and always together		twin sisters
1 + · 2 + · 3 + a	4 + . 5 + .	f- so I see her every day.

II/ WRITING (5 marks):

Topic:

Your English teacher asked you and all your classmates to write and exchange letters between you and other students from another 7 th grade class. In your letter, you have to introduce your best friend, talk about his or her hobbies, likes and dislikes and describe him or her (physical appearance and personality traits). Write yours.
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GRADING SKALE:

- Adherence to task and content adequacy (...... / 2)
- Lexical appropriacy and grammar accuracy (...... / 1.5)
- Mechanical accuracy: Punctuation + Capitalization + Spelling (...... / 1.5)
- OVERALL SCORE (....../5)

