

I) Listening Comprehension: 8 Marks

**1) Listen to the text and answer these questions:**

**a- Where did Mrs. Sandra go? (1 mark)**

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**b- What did she lose? (1 mark)**

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**c- Who was sitting near her table? (1 mark)**

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**d- What did Mrs. Sandra want to do in the afternoon? (1 mark)**

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**2) Circle the right function of the underlined word (1 mark)**

I'm very sorry. (Apologizing / Thanking / Comparing)

**3) Circle the correct spelling of each word (1 mark).**

**a)** shopping - chopping - shoping

**b)** restorant - restaurant - restaurent

**4) Circle the elided letter (written but not pronounced) in each word (1 mark).**

Walk - Know

**5) Write S if similar and D if different (1 mark)**

- Whole Home .....

- Floor Afternoon .....

II) Language: 12 Marks

**1-Circle the appropriate alternative (3marks)**

Paula : Do you like being fifteen years old ?

Sarah : Yes, I do. It is much (**good/ better/ best**) than being a little child.

Paula : In what way?

Sarah : Well, I feel I'm (**more freedom/ more free/ freer**) than before. My parents have become (**more understanding/ understanding/ more understand**) too. They are (**more/ less /very**) severe than they used to be. They allow me to go wherever I like.

Paula : What about your pocket money?

Sarah : I now get as (**much / many / more**) pocket money as I like.

Paula : Great! I wish I were as (**older /more old/ old**) as you.

**2) Fill in the blanks with the right words from the list. Be careful! There are two extra words (3 marks).**

**amount – at – save – addiction – pocket money – tidying – spend - addicted**

Our children seem to think we're made of money. They get regular.....but they want more cash for specific purchases. They're getting more and more.....to

computer games, clothes, videos and CDs. I'm not saying we didn't want things when we were kids, but at least we had some idea of the value of money. We had to earn our pocket money by doing jobs around the home such as.....our rooms, cleaning the house or doing the washing up. We received a set..... We used to .....some of it on going out with friends and .....the rest to buy our toys.

**3) Match a part from A with another from B to get a coherent paragraph. Be careful! There is an extra part in B (2 marks).**

A	B	C
1-Mum and dad give me	a-pocket money than I do.	1+.....
2-Most of my friends get more	b-pays for me when I go to the cinema.	2+.....
3-I buy sweets and ice cream with it, but mum	c- I save it to buy a new dress.	3+.....
4-Sometimes I get money for my birthday so	d- purchasing video games.	4+.....
	e-5£ pocket money a week.	

**4) Complete the following conversation with the comparative or the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets (2 marks).**

Jane: I need a new pair of shoes . Can you recommend a good shoe store?

Linda :Well, Shoe King is .....(good) but it is too far .

Jane :Do you know of one that 's not too far ?

Linda :Let me see! .....(close) place I can think of

Is Tip Top shoes .

Jane :Are their shoes expensive?

Linda:Oh no! They are ..... (expensive) than Shoe King shoes.

They also have .....(beautiful) selection.

Jane: That sounds fine thanks.

**5) Complete the conversation with the utterances below. There are two extra utterances (2 marks)**

- How do you spend your pocket money?	-No I don't
- I'm not	- How much do you get?
- I don't like them.	- Do you buy stationaries?

A: Do your parents give you pocket money?

B: Of course they do!

A: .....?

B: I usually get 10 dinars pocket money every week.

A: .....?

B: I spend it on fast food, chocolate and stationaries.

A: Do you save some of it?

B: ..... It's not enough to buy what I want.

A: So you're an overspending person, aren't you?

B: Oh, no! .....!



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Classes: 9B1+9B2**

**The script:**

Mrs. Sandra finished eating and put her hand down to get her handbag. It was not there. She looked under the table, on the floor, and under the chair but the bag was not there. Therefore, she went to the restaurant manager in his office and told him the story.

“I’m very sorry,” he said. “This is a bad thing to happen in my restaurant. Who was sitting near your table?”

“A good-looking man was all the time looking at me and smiling”, Mrs. Sandra answered.

“I’m sure that he stole your bag. For the moment, we will not let you walk the whole way. We will give you some money to get back to your home,” the manager said.

“Thank you” said Mrs. Sandra. “There was still some money left in the bag. I wanted to do some shopping this afternoon. I still want to buy some clothes. Now I can’t buy them”.

“Your husband will give you some more money”, said the restaurant manager.

“I don’t know”, said Mrs. Sandra. “We are not rich, and my husband has many things to pay for in the house”.

