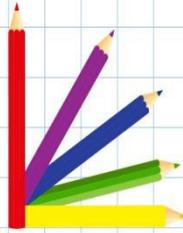




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Time: 03h00

Part One: Comprehension (14 pts)

A/ Reading (7pts)

Of the world's most deceitful countries, Africa, with its underdeveloped growth and poverty in many regions, is considered the most corrupt. The two thirds of countries, that are measured most corrupt in the world, are located in sub-Saharan Africa. Millions of Africans today live below the poverty line because of the disease of corruption. The African continent will not be able to find a solution to corruption on condition that both government officials in the private and public sectors are dishonest. Due to the fact that Africa is the most corrupt continent on earth, the governments of African countries should properly fix this problematic situation by thoroughly preparing future generations and creating strong anti-corruption committees.

Corruption is a painful problem that damages the efficiency of all public and governmental institutions in many African countries. According to Mbaku (2007), experts have long cited corruption as one of the most important factors affecting political participation in Africa. For example, in Kenya people must bribe receptionists to get hospital appointments, bribe all sorts of powerful people to get permits to build a place in the country on public land, bribe neighbours to not appeal it to higher corrupt officials, bribe policemen to allow taxis to travel, bribe to get a job interview and so on. Furthermore, it is easy to bribe a license to be a charity organisation, which had no responsible but could claim a share of foreign aid funds. Charities with unclear addresses, that do not exist, get money from funds through the government from foreign aid. This is considered fraud in the largest sense of its appearance, which still exists in Africa and which modifies the economy of Africa to the deep bottom.

Adapted from the Internet

1/ What is the main purpose of the text?(0.5pt)

Is it to: a- entertain b- inform c-educate

2/ Are the following statements true or false according to the text? (2pts)

- a-Africa hosts the least corrupt countries
- b-Teaching children can help reduce corruption in Africa
- c-There is no political involvement in the fight against corruption.
- d-Charitable organisations aren't involved in corruption

3/ Answer the questions according to the text. (1.5pt)

- a-Why will it be difficult to find a solution to corruption in African countries?
- b-What are the services for which people bribe?
- c-What do fraudulent charities in Africa do?

4/ In which paragraph is a measure suggested to put an end to corruption? Justify your answer quoting from the text. (1pt)

5/ What or who the underlined words refer to in the text? (2pts)

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B/ Text Exploration (7pts)

1/ Find in the text words whose definitions follow: (1.5pt)

- a-A special group delegated to consider matters (§1)
- b-To bring a case to the court of justice (§2)
- c-Institutions set up to provide help to the needy (§2)

2/ Give the opposite of the following words keeping the same root(1.5pt)

Necessary – honest – moral – responsible – hopeful - behaviour

3/ Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets (1pt)

A/ Your business (prosper) providing that you (know) how to run it.

B/ So long as you (respect) safety regulations, your company (remain) ethical.

4/ Complete sentences b so that they mean the same as sentences a . (1pt)

i/ a-They will pass stricter laws to fight corruption soon.

b- Stricter laws.....

ii/ a-Companies are closely watched by auditors.

b-Auditors.....

5/ Order the following sentences into a coherent paragraph. (1pt)

- a- The ethics of a particular business can be diverse
- b- Business ethics is the behaviour that a business adheres to in its daily dealings with the world
- c- But also to their one-on-one dealings with a single customer
- d- They apply not only to how the business interacts with the world at large

6/ Classify the following words in the table below (1pt)

Wished - corrupted - bribed - involved

/t/	/d/	/id/

Part Two: Written Expression (6pts)

Choose one of the following topics

A/ Use the notes to write a paragraph on the following topic.

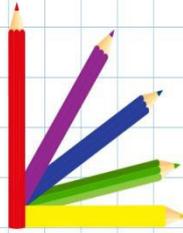
Corruption has become an international issue and fighting it all citizens' concern. Being an honest citizen, what would you do to take part in this fight?

- refuse bribes and bribe related situations
- report any unethical practices witnessed (warning the media)
- Help raise people's awareness against the dangers of corruption
- militate in anti-corruption associations

B/ Write a paragraph on the following topic:

What are the causes of child labour? State some of them.

Good Luck



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Correction of the Second Term English Exam

Key to Third Year Foreign Languages Stream Feb 2014

A/ Reading (7pts)

1/ The purpose of the text : to inform

2/ True or false (2pts)

a- False b- true c- true d- false

3/ Answer the questions according to the text (1.5pt)

a- Because both officials in the private and the public sectors are dishonest

b- The services are: to bribe to get a hospital appointment, to get a permit to build a place , to get a job interview, for taxis to be allowed to travel, to bribe a license to be a charity

c- They claim funds coming from foreign aids, from the government

4/ It is mentioned in the 1st § “ preparing future generations and creating committees”

5/ its : Africa it: to bribe to get a permit to build a place it: to bribe a license to a charity

B/ Text Exploration (7pts)

1/ Definitions: a: committees b- appeal c- charities

2/ Give the opposites of the words keeping the same root

Unnecessary – dishonest – immoral – hopeless – misbehavior - irresponsible

3/ Tenses

a/ will prosper / know B/ respect / will remain

4/ Rewriting sentences

B1 Stricter laws to fight corruption will be passed soon.

B2 Auditors watch closely companies

5/ Reordering sentences

The correct order is: b- a- d – c

6/ Finaled: wished /t/ bribed- involved / d/ corrupted /Id/

Part Two Written Expression (6pts)

Topic 1: Use the notes to write about: Corruption has become an international issue and fighting it all citizens' concern. Being an honest citizen, what would you do to take part in this fight?

Corruption is a worldwide issue. It has no borders and all citizens are required to take part in this fight.

As a committed and honest citizen, I would probably take action to help eradicate this new form of pollution. I would first refuse all forms of bribes and avoid all sorts of bribe related situations because being exposed to bribery is itself a danger. I would also report any unethical practices I would witness by warning the media who can help raise people's awareness against the dangers of corruption through various programmes. I would at last integrate anti – corruption associations because I believe that working together will help us overcome this disease and make corruption a thing of the past

Topic 2: The causes of child labour.

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Child labour, a world issue which takes its roots within the family. It is caused by many factors and the major one is family's living conditions. Some children leave school and start work so that they and their families can survive. They surrender their childhood to do some risky jobs to support their families. So poverty is the main factor which leads to child labour.

Besides poverty, school failure is another cause urging children to give up their struggle for education in order to start work

Solving the problem of child labour is simply tackling it from its root. Therefore, relieving families' suffering by improving their living conditions, and providing adults with jobs could help alleviate child labour in the world.