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اختبار في مادة الإنجليزية (لغة أجنبية ثانية)

SECTION ONE : READING COMPREHENSION (08 points)

Read the text carefully then do the activities .

Long ago goods were manufactured by craftsmen who were skilled workmen. A craftsman was proud of each article he made. He spent a long time in making it and took great care over its manufacture ; and people paid a high price for it when it was finished. All the luxurious Persian carpets, the beautiful Chinese pottery and the hand-made lace of certain European countries were made in this way. But these articles were bought only by the rich. Poorer people had to be satisfied with goods that were roughly and cheaply made.

When the population of Europe increased, there was a demand for goods of better quality. These goods had to be produced in factories and workshops where hundreds of workers were employed. The invention of the steam engine helped manufacturers by giving them cheaper power to work their machines. Machines took the place of men. Production was increased. People were able to produce articles of good quality at low prices. The age of mass production had arrived.

1. How many paragraphs are there in the above passage ?
2. Are these statements true or false? On your answer sheet write the sentence letter and "T" or "F" next to it.
 - a- Long ago goods were manufactured by machines .
 - b- A craftsman made cheap articles .
 - c- The invention of the steam engine brought mass production.
 - d- Manufactured articles were bought only by the poor.
3. On your answer sheet, write the title which you think is most appropriate.
 - Industrial and Manufactured Production.
 - Carpets and Pottery.
 - Industrial Production.
4. Fill in the following table with the right words and phrases from the list below:
Pottery ; cheap power ; mass production ; Persian carpets ; identical articles ; hand-made ; low prices ; hand-made lace.

Handicrafts	Industry

5. Match each word with its synonym.

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| a- manufactured | 1- happy |
| b- production | 2- made |
| c- satisfied | 3- engines |
| d- machines | 4- output |

SECTION TWO : MASTERY OF LANGUAGE (08 points)

- 1- Supply punctuation and capitals where necessary.
he has too much work and too little time to go out with his friends
- 2- Classify these words according to their alphabetical order.
Persian – European – Chinese · Population
- 3- From the list below pick the irregular verbs and give their past tense.
mean – cry – finish – take use – ride – speak – help.
- 4- Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets.
For the last fifty years there (to be) great improvements in mass production. The conveyor belt (to play) a large part in it. Articles (to carry) from point to point and a lot of time (to save) in this way.
- 5- Reorder the words to make a correct sentence.
Illiteracy / through / fight / governments / information.
- 6- Classify the following words according to the number of their syllables.
a. hand b. craftsman c. goods d. carpet

1 syllable	2 syllables

SECTION THREE : WRITTEN EXPRESSION (04 points)

Choose one of the following topics .

Topic 1 : This is a conversation between A and B.

Complete what B says.

A- what a beautiful carpet ! Is it hand made ?

B-

A- Is it cheap or expensive ?

B-

A- Where did you buy it ?

B-

A- Do you intend to keep it or to offer it ?

B-

Topic 2 : Write a composition of about 100 words about the job you prefer (mention qualifications and qualities it requires, its advantages and disadvantages.)