

**First Term English Test**[Send Email](#)

From : mehdi17@gmail.com

To : Davidsmith@gmail.com

Dear David,

I saw your name on the Internet so I decided to write to you and exchange information about each other.

My name is Mehdi. I am 17 years old. I am a secondary school pupil. I live with my family. We are Algerians and we live in the city of Algiers. I have two brothers and a sister and I am the youngest. My father is a carpenter while my mother is a teacher.

During the week, I am very busy with my studies, so I always prepare my schoolwork and do my exercises. I rarely go out. However, on weekends, I sometimes join friends to play some sports.

I can't wait to hear from you soon.

Yours faithfully,

Mehdi

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**1-** Read the text and choose the right answer:

- The text is: a- an email      b- an invitation      c- a job application
- Mehdi has: a- 2 siblings      b- 3 siblings      c- none

**2-** Read the text and answer with “true”, “false” or “not mentioned”:

- Mehdi is a high school pupil. ....
- He is the youngest in his family. ....
- He always goes out. ....
- He gets good grades. ....

**3-** Read the text and answer the following questions:

- Who is the sender? Who is the receiver?  
.....

- Where did Mehdi see David's name?  
.....

- What does he do on his free time?  
.....

**II/ Text Exploration:**

**1-** Find in the text, words that are the closest/opposite in meaning to:

The Web = .....

Pals = .....

Never ≠ .....

Eldest ≠ .....

**2-** Reorder the following words to get coherent sentences:

- on / usually / Friday. /They / out / go
- I / novels / prefer / before / bed. / reading

**3-** Combine the following pairs of sentences with the connectors: “**so as to**” and “**in order not to**”.

A- Jenny should think carefully. She doesn't want to make a bad choice.

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B- Jenny must make a good career choice. She wants to succeed in her life.

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**4-** Classify these words according to the number of syllables:

**Secondary – School – Family –Teacher**

1 syllable	2 syllables	3 syllables	4 syllables
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**Part Two: Written Expression:**

Nowadays, most of the teenagers are using social media such as Facebook and Instagram. These social websites have both positive and negative sides.

Write a short production in which you speak about the benefits and drawbacks of social media.

You may use the following notes:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Keep in touch with friends and relatives.</li> <li>- Search easily for information.</li> <li>- Give your opinion freely.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Addiction.</li> <li>- Spread misinformation.</li> <li>- Increase stress.</li> </ul>
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**Best of Luck**