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Reading

(13 pts)

Read the following passage and answer the questions below.

THE DAILY NEWS Wednesday 27 Feb 20—

The Education Minister talks job prospects

In a speech yesterday, the Education Minister advised students to avoid arts subjects and choose science or maths if they want to improve their job prospects. In the past, he said, arts subjects like languages and history were chosen by students who didn't have a clear idea of what they wanted to do in the future. He explained that this was because of a feeling that they involved skills that were useful for many different jobs, but he questioned whether this was still true: 'Nowadays, we know differently, don't we? The best subjects for keeping your options open are ones like science, technology and engineering.'

It quickly became clear that the Minister's words were controversial, with teachers and university heads reacting strongly to his advice. 'Of course science and technology are important,' said one, 'but it would be completely wrong to neglect the arts. They provide important skills and an understanding of the world and people in general. Also, the economy depends as much on creativity as on technical knowledge.'

A. Answer these questions:

1. How did the education minister advise students?

.....

2. Who chose art subjects in the past?

.....

3. How do we know that the minister's words were controversial?

.....

B. mark the sentences true (✓) or false (X).

1. Science and Technology are the best subjects to study according to the minister ()

2. We should neglect arts and languages subjects says teachers ()

3. The world depends on technical knowledge more than creativity. ()

C. the pronoun "he" line 5 refers to

D. A word that means " ignore, not pay attention to"

Read the following passage and answer the questions below.

If you've got the grades and have been chosen to go to university, then you'll, no doubt, be getting prepared for your experience to start. You are going to work for your entire educational career. Researchers agree that university life is the best of your life for many reasons. First, the people you meet there: in most cases those people are your friends for the rest of your life. You will spend hours away from home, so you need someone to speak with and have fun. I mean relaxation is very effective in such hard world. Second, the course which you inevitably need to like. I know what you are thinking about? Work! Yes, it's a big part of your first year, but don't worry– it doesn't actually count. The first year opens up so many doors that help you in the next years and your career too. The last thing to be mentioned is clubs and societies. At university there are societies about everything, and if you can't find the one you're looking for, then start your one. Getting involved with societies is a great way to find like-minded people, share interest and attitudes and enhance your knowledge. Anyway, these are important factors to consider, though there are other parts of what freshers are about.

A- Answer the following questions: (4 points)

1. According to the writer, why is university life considered the most important period of life?
a) b) c)
2. In what way do you think societies and clubs can help university students?
.....

B-Complete the following sentences: (2 points)

1. Making friends is very important to achieve which is very effective at university life.
2. If you can't find a suitable society for you, it's better to.....

vocabulary

1. Match the words with their meaning .

1	revealed		Being sure that you won't lose your job
2	Job security		Possibilities for the future
3	charity		From beginning to end of
4	prospect		Shown
5	throughout		Non- profit organization

1. Complete these sentences from the box.

employment	worth	controversial	outweighs	Stage fright	Make a living
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1. I get Whenever I have to speak in front of a large group of people.
2. She hopes to find as a teacher.
3. Abortion is a highly Subject.
4. You can By selling online.
5. The course is all the money I paid for it.

2. Complete the sentences with a word and preposition from the boxes.

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In for from with

- 1- My professor is an finance.
- 2- This dress is not for school.
- 3- He had no raincoat to From the rain.

Language

1- Report the questions.

- 1- “Where is Palestine located?”

Amro asked

- 2- “How did you learn how to speak Russian?”

She asked me

- 3- “Do all toddlers grow at the same range?”

He asked

- 4- “Did you Study engineering at BZU?”

Ali asked Mohammad.....

2. Read the sentence, then write a question for each answer.

Sally told Reema about her project, she has to submit it on February the 3rd, Its about Pollution.

- 1- Who ? Sally
 - 2- When? On February the 3ed
 - 3-What? Pollution
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2. Add question tags to the sentences.

- A. His father is a dentist,?
- B. She likes playing tennis,?
- C. Sophia didn't go to school yesterday,.....?
- D. He never plays computer games,?
- E. Ameera ate two pieces of cake,.....?

