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اختبار في مادة: اللغة الانجليزية

Hi,

I went to Rome last August with my friend Peter. We flew to Rome with British Airways.

We stayed for a week in a small hotel near the Colosseum. The hotel was nice and quite cheap.

During the day we walked around the city. We saw all the famous places like the Colosseum and St Peter's, and we threw a coin in the Trevi Fountain. We took a lot of photos. At night we went to restaurants and had fantastic pasta.

Our favourite restaurant was in the Piazza Navona. We bought a painting of Trastevere (the old town) and Peter bought some presents for his family.

We had a great time. Rome is full of history and has a special atmosphere, and Italian food is wonderful. We only had two problems: it was very hot, and it was very difficult to cross the road.

What about you? Did you go somewhere?

Hope to hear from you very soon,

Steve

Adapted from "New English File"

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PART ONE (14 pts)

A/ Reading Comprehension (07pts)

Read the text carefully and do the following activities:

Activity One (02pts) : Answer the following questions :

- 1- Did Steve and Peter stay at a friend's house?
- 2- Did they enjoy themselves in Rome?

Activity Two (03pts) : Read the following statements and write ' true', 'false', or 'not mentioned' .

- 1- Steve and Peter travelled by plane.
- 2- They didn't have time to visit all the well known places.
- 3- They had their meals at the Trattoria Romana restaurant.

Activity Three (02pts): Match the words in column A with their equivalents in column B.

A	B
- cheap	- wonderful
- famous	- hard
- fantastic	- inexpensive
- difficult	- well known

B/ Mastery of Language (07pts)

Activity One (02pts) : Spot the mistakes and write the corrected passage on your answer sheet.

Last July, I spend my holidays at Bejaia. It is an lovely seaside resort. Bejaia has beautiful beaches.

Activity Two (03pts) : Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Last March I was on holiday. The first week I (to stay) at home and (to do) all my homework. The second week I (to go) to my grandparents', who live on a farm.

Activity Three (02pts) : In each list, pick out the word with a different vowel sound.

- a) same - day - was - place
- b) walk - stay - saw - all
- c) like - time - nice - with
- d) far - had - and - at

PART TWO Written Expression (06pts)

You received a letter from your friend. She/He told you about her/his holidays. She/He would like to know how you spent your holidays.

Write her/him a letter. Tell her/him what you did.

Write about:

- the place you went to (abroad / another town / or stayed at home)
- what you did (your activities during the holidays)
- your feelings

DO NOT SIGN YOUR NAME

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02pts	01pt	PART ONE (14pts)
		A/ Reading Comprehension (07pts)
		Activity One
		1/ No. / (No,) they (Steve and Peter) didn't. / (No,) they (Steve and Peter) didn't stay at a friend's house. / (No,) they (Steve and Peter) stayed in a (small) hotel (near the Colosseum). / (No,) not at a friend's house (but in a (small) hotel). / (No,) in a hotel.
02pts	01pt	Note : If a candidate writes :
		- "They stayed for a week in a small hotel near the Colosseum." give 1pt
		- "They stayed for a week.....quite cheap." give 0.5pt
		- " <u>We</u> stayed.....quite cheap." give 0.5pt
03pts	01pt	2 /Yes. / (Yes,) they did. / (Yes,) they enjoyed themselves (in Rome/ there)./ (Yes,) they had a great (very good) time (in Rome/there).
		Note : if a candidate writes '<u>We</u> had a great time.' give 0.5pt
		Activity Two
		1 / True
03pts	01pt	2 / False
		3 / Not Mentioned
		Note : - Accept Yes / Correct / Right instead of True.
		- Accept No / Incorrect / Wrong instead of False.
02pts	0.5pt x 4	Note : DO NOT ACCEPT
		1) - if the answer is written in Arabic or French.
		2) - a tick for 'True' or a cross for 'False'.
		Activity Three :
02pts	0.5pt x 4	cheap
		famous
		fantastic
		difficult
02pts	0.5pt x 4	inexpensive
		well known
		wonderful
		hard

		<p>B / Mastery of Language (07pts)</p> <p><u>Activity One :</u></p> <p>Last July, I <u>spent</u> my holidays <u>in</u> Bejaia. It is <u>a</u> lovely seaside resort. Bejaia has beautiful beaches.</p> <p><u>Activity Two :</u></p> <p>Last March, I was on holiday. The first week I <u>stayed</u> at home and <u>did</u> all my homework. The second week I <u>went</u> to my grandparents', who live on a farm.</p> <p><u>Note :</u> If a candidate writes only the verbs, <u>mark the activity</u>.</p> <p><u>Activity Three :</u></p> <p>a / was b / stay c / with d / far</p>
02pts	0.5pt x 4	
03pts	01pt x 3	
02pts	0.5pt x 4	

06pts	PART TWO . Written Expression. Assessment Rubric			
	Criteria	Good	Fair	Poor
	Relevance (2pts)	-Topic : students write about what they did during their holidays . All the ideas are related to the topic. (01pt) - Format : correct; students write a letter. (01pt) (02pts)	- Topic: students write about what they did during their holidays, but only some ideas are related to the topic (at least four).(0.5pt) - Format : correct; students write a letter.(0.5pt) (01pt)	- Topic : very little reference to the topic (one or two sentences) - Format : correct /or incorrect (0.5pt)
	Organization (02pts)	- Ideas are well organized. - topic sentence / four or more supporting sentences /conclusion - All sentences are linked correctly. (02pts)	- Some ideas are well organized. - topic sentence/ no conclusion - no topic sentence/(no) conclusion - two or three supporting sentences - Some sentences are linked correctly. (01pt)	- Ideas are not well organized / difficult to follow. - no topic sentence / no conclusion - The sentences are not linked correctly. (0.5pt)
	Linguistic Resources (02pts)	- correct use of past simple / past continuous / time adverbials/ prepositions/ pronouns/ possessives - correct use of link words - vocabulary varied (2pts)	- correct use of past simple - use of some prepositions / pronouns / possessives - use of three link words - vocabulary not varied - 3 mistakes are accepted. (1pt)	- incorrect use of past tenses - incorrect use of prepositions/ pronouns/ possessives - no link words - vocabulary very limited - more than 6 mistakes (any kind of mistakes) (0.5pt)
NOTE : If a candidate is out of the topic, DO NOT take into consideration(DO NOT MARK) organization and linguistic resources. MARK the format only.				