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First Examination

Grade: 9th
Sections: (a + b)

Q1) Read the following text carefully then answer the questions :

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The Dragon Boat Festival has been celebrated by the Chinese on the fifth day of the lunar month . This year ,that day is 6th June . The Festival is a huge celebration for China ,drawing millions of local and tourists alike .If you are in China ,this celebration is not be missed . The Dragon Boat Festival commemorates a popular Chinese patriot who , in the 3rd century in a protest against the government ,threw himself into the Mi Lo River . When the local people found out what he had done ,they ran to the river to rescue him , but they were too late . So ,they threw rice patties into the water to stop the fish from eating him up .La Tomatina is celebrated on the last Wednesday in August a small town in Eastern Spain .The festival began way back in 1944, but there is no known religious or political basis for it .Some people guess it began as a food fight among children or that local people chucked tomatoes at each other .The event caught on and has happened every year until the Spanish dictator Francisco Franco banned the festival for "having no religious significance " .

1- When is La Tomatina Festival celebrated ?

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2- When do the Chinese celebrate the Dragon Boat Festival ?

3- What does the Chinese festivals commemorate ?

4- Why are rice patties thrown into the river ?

5- When did La Tomatina festival stop ?

6- The underlined word (chuck) means :

7- The underlined pronouns refer to :they / him / it

8- Pick up from the text : a-passive voice sentence :

b-noun c-adjective d- country e- preposition

Fill the gaps with the suitable word :

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1-Give me the heavy bag , and you can carry theone .

2-She a new method for teaching foreign languages .

3-In ancient cultures , few people learned to

4-Thanks for that information .

5-Amer is still trying to the Maths question.

6-The of coffee and coconut milk is delicious .

Q3) Find out the mistakes then correct them:

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1-I won't go to cinema ,if the weather is cold tomorrow .

2-If I was you , I would visit Petra .

3-English is study daily .

4-Football will been played .

5-If I had studied yesterday , I would passed my exam .

6-The exam were studied very well .

7-The short form of I would is I'd .

Q4)Correct the following verbs between brackets:

1-If I(be) a bird , I would fly .

2-If I (drive) slowly , I wouldn't have (make) the accident .

3-I will go to the party if they (invite) me .

4-If I had a lot of money , I (travel) abroad .

Q5)Change from active voice into passive voice :

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1-Julia recued three cats .

2-The girls had lost the match .

3-They play handball weekly .

4-He is writing letters at the moment .

5-Dan will draw a picture .

Read the following text carefully then answer the questions :

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Egyptians developed writing about 6,000 years ago. Scribes were among the few people who could read and write. They decorated their temples with hieroglyphics, which Egyptians called "the world of god". The Egyptians developed hieroglyphic writing at the same time as Sumerian writing was developed on soft clay. However, the Egyptians didn't write on clay; they wrote on papyrus, wood and rock walls.

People wrote hieroglyphics in rows and columns. In the case of rows you can read them from left to right or from right to left. In the case of a column, you must read from the top to bottom.

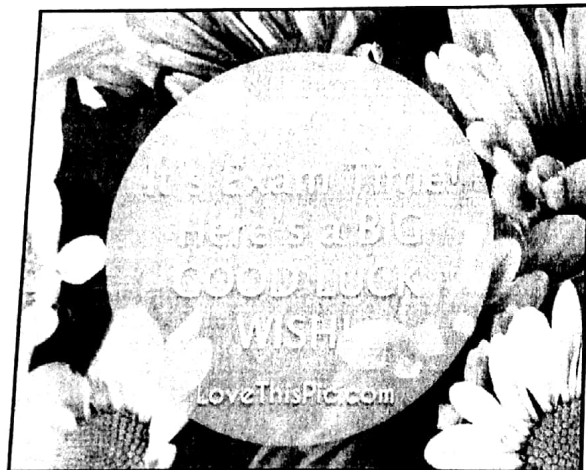
1-Who are the scribes ?

2-Write the difference between Egyptians and Sumerians writing.

3-How did they write the hieroglyphics in the case of rows and columns ?

4-The underlined word (hieroglyphics) means :

5- The underlined pronouns refer to : they them



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