

«امتحان شهادة التعليم الأساسي»

المدة: ساعتان

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English people are very fond of nature and animals. Although the weather is often rainy, they love to take long walks in the countryside or in parks. They enjoy outdoor life.

One of their popular pastime is to spot animals in their natural environment. Nature-lovers can spend hours waiting in a wood to watch or to take photos of a rare bird. Many people build little bird-houses in their gardens for birds to shelter.

The English also like watching butterflies. They have special "butterfly farms", sorts of zoos, where visitors can see lots of varieties of these insects.

Those who prefer wild animals have to be more patient if they want to spot a fox or a wolf, for instance.

One of the most interesting things nature-lovers can do as well while camping, is to sit outside their tents at night and look around and listen. When their eyes are accustomed to the dark, they can see the world come to life and hear noises.

Section One : Reading comprehension (8 pts).

A - Read the text carefully and answer the following questions (5 pts)

- 1- What is usually the weather like in England?
- 2- Why do people put bird-houses in their garden trees ?
- 3- Where can visitors watch butterflies ?
- 4- Why do people sit outside their tents at night ?
- 5- Name three outdoor activities the English love .

B- Lexis (3 pts)

1 - Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following : (1,5 pt)

hobby =

see =

a forest =

2 - Find in the text words or phrases that are opposite in meaning to the following (1,5)

hate =

domestic =

common =

SECTION TWO : Mastery of language . (6 pts)

1-Rewrite the following passage using “she” instead of “they” (1pt).

They are very fond of nature and animals. Although the weather is often rainy, they love to take long walks in the country.

2-Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets (3pts).

John (to live) with his family in the countryside , where the winters are freezing cold . Last December , he (to find) some dead birds on the ground , so he (to decide) to build some bird-houses . This Spring his father says to him : " you see John , if you (not to put) those shelters , many birds (to die) " . John replies : " yes dad , next winter I (to build) more . "

3-Complete sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a). (2 pts)

a- English people build bird-houses to shelter birds in winter . (2 pts)

b- Bird-houses

a- "I will go to the forests to observe squirrels." He said.

b- He said that

- a- If it is not fine, we won't go to the wood this afternoon.

b- Unless

a- Margaret doesn't like dogs. Harry doesn't like dogs .

b- Neither -

Section tree : Written expression (6 pts) .

Choose one of the following activities.

1- Write a composition of about 60 to 80 words , using the following notes .

- Trip to Safari Park - Kenya

-Tour by bus

-Warning by guide: be cautious! Danger to open windows

Waiting by Gates: -Animals in freedom

- Attitudes in record
- Difficulty in taking photos

-Boy : open window / take photos

Gorilla : rush to bus / stretch camera / run away

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2- Write a composition of about 60 to 80 words on the following topic

According to you, are Algerian people nature lovers?

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العلامة	عناصر الإجابة	معاور الموضوع
المجموع	مجزأة	
		Sect 1
1 pt	1. The weather is (often / usually) rainy. It is rainy - It is bad - Rainy - bad.	A R.C
1 pt	2- People (they) put birdhouses (them) for birds to shelter / to help birds to find a shelter.	
1 pt	3- Visitors can watch butterflies in "butterfly farms"	
1 pt	4- People sit outside their tents at night to look around and listen/ To see the world come to life and hear noises.	
5 pts	5- The English love: (accept any three activities) - Taking long walks in the country / parks - Spotting animals in their natural environment - Watching or taking photos of rare birds. - Building little bird houses. - Watching butterflies, (visiting "butterfly farms") - Camping and sitting outside their tents.	
		B
3 pts	1- Pastime (1/2 pt) - Watch / spot (1/2 pt) a week 2-like / love / fond of (1/2 pt) - Wild (1/2 pt) - rare (1/2 pt)	Lexis
1 pt	1- She (0,25) - is (0,25) - she (0,25) - lover (0,25)	Sect 2
3 pts	2- Lives (1/2 pt) - Found (1/2 pt) - decided (1/2 pt) had not put (1/2 pt) would have died (1/2 pt) - will build (1/2 pt)	
6 pts	3- Bird houses are built to shelter birds in winter (1/2 pt) He said that he would go to the forest ... (1/2 pt) Unless it is fine, we won't go to the wood ... (1/2 pt) Neither Margaret nor Harry like dogs (1/2 pt)	
2 pts		

العلامة	عناصر الإجابة	مماور الموضوع
المجموع	مجزأة	
6pts	<p>1. Last Easter holidays, our school organised <u>Sect 3</u> a trip to the Safari Park in Kenya.</p> <p>Once there, we toured the Park by bus. Our guide warned us to be cautious and not to open the windows because the animals are in freedom and can be dangerous.</p> <p>In spite of all the warnings, one of the boys opened a window. As he was trying to take photos, a gorilla rushed to the bus, snatched the camera and ran away.</p> <p>What a big fright we had!</p> <p>2- No, they are not.</p> <p>Possible ideas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Throw litter everywhere (streets - pavements) - Pollute beaches - Do not respect forests: pick plants, cut down / burn trees - leave fire lit when camping - kill animals - factories pour rubbish in the sea and rivers - fumes in the air - pesticides in agriculture. <p>Yes, they are. Accept any correct ideas.</p> <p><u>Consider:</u> The layout* - The use of the past - Correctness of sentences (syntax) - Cohesion and Coherence.</p> <p>* Introduction - body - Conclusion.</p>	