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RABAT MIDDLE SCHOOL
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Core
Curriculum
Programme

FORM 2

ENGLISH

TIME: 1 HOUR

Name: _____

Class: _____

SECTION: READING

25 MARKS

A: Read the sentences (1 – 6) in Column A. Then match with the correct sentence in Column B by writing the number in the space provided. The first one has been done for you. (3 marks)

Column A		Column B
0. Those photos look beautiful.		He is English.
1. I like eating pizza.		Three cars crashed into each other.
2. John is from London.		Winter is his favourite season.
3. What number is after five?		It is my favourite Italian food.
4. Peter loves playing in the snow.		She had chocolate cake and a lot of gifts.
5. Mary had a great time at her party.	0	My camera is very good.
6. There was a terrible accident.		It's six of course.

B: Helen is visiting Blackpool. Read the text and answer the questions below.

Hi Martina,

Everybody here is very friendly and I like my school very much. The teachers and the staff are all very helpful. The family I am staying with is called Jones. There is a mother, a father and two children. The children are called Joe and Alex. Mr Jones is 36, Joe is 9 and Alex is 4. Blackpool is a lovely town. It is near to the sea and there is a great beach. The weather is quite warm, about twenty degrees. There are a lot of shops and a big cinema. There is also a wonderful fair on the pier on the beach.



I miss you. Speak to you soon,
Helen.

1. Fill in with one or more words from the passage. (7 marks)

- a) Helen is writing to _____.
- b) Helen is visiting _____.
- c) The people of Blackpool are very _____.
- d) Helen is staying with a family called _____.
- e) Blackpool is near the _____ and has a great _____.
- f) There are a lot of shops and a big _____.

2. Read the sentences below, then tick (✓) True or False (5 marks)

	True	False
Helen does not like her school.		
The teachers are very helpful.		
The Jones have two children.		
Joe and Alex are twins.		
The weather is very cold.		

C: You want to go to the city centre. Look at the map which is on a separate sheet. Then fill in the blanks in the sentences below. (10 marks)

e.g. The Bar is on South Street.

The Book Shop is between the Post Office and the Photo Shop.

1. The Art Museum is _____ the Book Shop.
2. The Coffee Shop is _____ the Supermarket.
3. The Shoe Shop is _____ the Toy Shop.
4. The Supermarket is _____ the Ice-Cream Shop and the Bar.
5. The Photo Shop is _____ the Book Shop.
6. The Toy Shop is _____ the Shoe Shop and the Flats.
7. The Hospital is _____ Orchard Street.

SECTION: WRITING

25 MARKS

A: Put these words in the right order to make sentences. The first one has been done for you. (4 marks)

e.g. are / here. / trees / There / of / lots
There are lots of trees here.

1. large. / house / Our / is



2. bedroom / a / sofa. / My / has



3. are / There / windows. / big



4. dog / a / cat. / a / have / and / We



B: It is breakfast time. Complete the sentences to show what you have to do for breakfast. The first one has been done for you. (5 marks)

e.g. Take out the bread and *butter*.



1. Put the bread in the _____.



2. Put the _____ to boil.



3. Put a teabag in your _____.



4. Take the milk out of the _____.



5. Make the tea and _____ your toast.



C: Complete the sentences.

(6 marks)

1. Could I have a _____ of water?



2. She gave me a _____ of paper.



3. I have a _____ of red gloves.



4. Where is that _____ of cereal?



5. I bought a _____ of wine for the party.



6. Mum bought a _____ of potatoes at the market.



D. Think about the place where you live. Write 5 sentences to describe it.
(10 marks)



1. I live in _____.
2. It is near _____.
3. There is _____.
4. There is also _____.
5. I like it here because _____.

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