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1. Read the following passage and answer the following questions:

Diamond value is based on four characteristics: carat, colour, clarity and cut. A diamond's size is measured by carat weight. There are 100 points in a carat and 142 carats in an ounce. Each point above 1 carat is more valuable than each point below 1 carat. Thus, a stone that weighs more than 1 carat is more valuable per point than a stone that is smaller than one carat.

The scale used for rating a diamond's colour begins with "D", which means the stone is absolutely colourless and therefore most valuable. "E" and "F" are almost colourless. All three are good for investments. A stone rated between "G" and "J" is good for jewelry. After that, the stones take on a slightly yellowish color, which gets deeper as the grade declines.

The clarity of a stone is determined by its lack of carbon spots, inner flaws and surface blemishes. While most of these are invisible to the aided eye, they do affect the diamond's brilliance. For jewellery, a diamond rates VVSI (very very slight imperfections) is close to flawless as one will find.

The final characteristic is cut. When shaped (round, oval, emerald, marquise, pear or heart), the diamond should be faceted so that light is directed into the depths of the prism and then reflected outward again. A well-cut diamond will separate the light into different colours when the light is reflected. Only stones of similar shape should have their reflective qualities compared, as some shapes are more reflective than others. For example, the round shape is the most reflective.

1. **This passage is mainly about the**
(A) the cost of diamonds. (C) how to judge an expensive diamond.
(B) qualities affecting diamonds. (D) buying diamonds for jewellery.
2. **What can be said about a 1-carat diamond?**
(A) It has 100 points (C) It costs twice as much as a smaller one.
(B) It weighs an ounce. (D) It has the same quality as a half-carat diamond.
3. **The word "absolutely" is closest in meaning to which of these?**
(A) actually (C) greatly
(B) positively (D) completely
4. **A stone that has no colour at all is rated**
(A) A (C) D
(B) Z (D) J
5. **Diamonds reflect**
(A) the prism. (C) facets.
(B) the depths. (D) light.

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II. Vocabulary and Grammar: Choose the correct answer

1. I take full... for breaking the window.
a) response b) responsive c) responsibility
2. Watching television for long hours could have a negative... on children.
a) impact b) value c) bland
3. She was in ... as to whether to stay at school or get a job.
a) a dilemma b) anxious c) blasting
4. England had an ... of flu when it changed to decimal coinage.
a) outbreak b) outcast c) output
5. We are going skiing Christmas.
a) in b) on c) at
6. we were having supper, all the lights went out.
a) while b) during c) since
7. I saw man going into the office. I do not know who ... man was
a) a/the b) the / the
8. Farid is an excellent cook. He tells me he ___ since he was very young.
a) has been cook b) was cooking c) has been cooking d) is cooking
9. _____, I will not bother you with my problems.
a) for the time being b) a time being c) for the being of time d) the being of time.
10. My father ___ his job because he found another one with better conditions.
a) quitted b) quit c) leave d) retired
11. we were angry about what happened and insisted _____ by the manager.
a) to see b) on being seen c) on seeing d) to be seen.
12. I have two brothers. One is very smart, but ... isn't.
a) the other b) the another c) some other

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III) Translate the meaning into Correct English:

A) "قل هل يستوي الذين يعملون والذين لا يعملون، إنما يتذكر أولو الألباب"

IV) Translate into Classical Arabic:

Prayer is the first worship obligated in Islam. It is a perfect and organized institution. It is not mere words of appeal or praise of God but it is both action and speech fulfilled by meditation with heart, tongue, and whole body.

V) Write Short Notes on ONE(1) only:

- 1) Religious Tolerance.
- 2) Zakath (the poor due)

Good Luck

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