

1- Read the following passage ,then answer the questions below : (20 marks)

As long as we live we continue to learn, and the education we receive helps us to keep on learning. We are taught reading, writing, and arithmetic so that we can gain further knowledge and learn how to find out things for ourselves. What is learned can vary widely. It may be manners, beliefs, attitudes, or it could be words and figures. It might be the techniques of running a machine, or a skill in playing a musical instrument.

Those who teach can also vary. Teaching may be done by teachers in schools; but it may also be done by parents, older brothers and sisters or friends. Everyone has his sources of education, such as newspapers, television, books, films and museums. Modern industry and agriculture depend on hundreds of skills. These skills cannot be taught without schools. Every factory worker or farmer must at least know how to read and write and do simple arithmetic. People like engineers, doctors and teachers need a high degree of training.

The cost of teaching and training is very high. Education in our time is becoming more and more expensive. In some countries in the world parents have to pay a lot of money to send their children to good schools. The price of books, especially at the university level is very high. Many parents cannot send their children to school because of the expenses.

A) Choose the right answer fro a, b, c, or d:

1- We continue to learn -- -----.

- a-at schools only b-at childhood c-from birth to death d-at work only

2- Many parents cannot send their children to school due to ----- expenses.

- a- low b-high c-little d- few

3- Every factory worker or farmer shouldn't be - -----.

- a- qualified b- skillful c- educated d- illiterate

4- The underlined pronoun "It" in the third line refers to -----.

- a- reading b- what will be learnt c- writing d- what is learnt

B) Answer the following questions:

- 5- What helps us to continue learning?
- 6- What does learning include?
- 7- Mention the known sources of education.
- 8- Who needs a high degree of training?
- 9- Why is it important for workers to be educated?
- 10- Write a suitable title for the above passage.

- 12- If he is sick, he-----to the doctor. (Complete the sentence)
- 13- He had finished his work. He watched television. (Join the sentences using "after")
- 14- I have studied English for ten years. (Use: ago)
- 15- at - Today - home - many - have - families - computers. (Rearrange the words to make a sentence.)

5-Translation

(15 marks)

Translate the following passage into Arabic:

Throughout ages, Man used his surroundings unwisely. Environmental problems originate from the relationship between Man and his culture, and natural surroundings. Pollution for instance, is an environmental problem that arises from unwise use and dealing with the natural resources as air and water. Factories produce black smoke. Rivers become dirty with piles of rubbish. However, what many people don't realize is that there is another kind of pollution cannot be seen. A new type raised these days is noise pollution. It affects Man all wherever he lives, at any time of day or night, and which makes life misery and noisy. It really threatens people who are living in big cities such as Cairo. According to the Environmental Health Department, noise pollution is now one of the worst problems in cities and towns. Therefore, Man has to reach a balanced relation with the environment and its components. Hence, education plays an important role in deepening environmental awareness in students and transferring this into good modes of behavior towards environmental preservation and willingness.

Good Luck