

## I. Discussion Questions

Choose **ONLY TWO** of the following topics. Then, answer the questions that follow: **(30 marks – 15 marks each)**

A. "The only place where success comes before work is in the dictionary." – Vidal Sassoon

1. What does this quote suggest about the importance of hard work in achieving success?
2. Why do you think some people expect success without putting the effort?
3. Share an example of a time when hard work led to success in one's life.

## B. Yum Time Menu

### Breakfast

- Scrambled eggs with whole-grains toast
- Banana or apple

### Lunch

- Grilled chicken sandwich with lettuce and tomato
- Carrot sticks or a small side salad

### Dinner

- Baked fish or chicken
- Steamed rice and broccoli

### Snack

- Handful of nuts or yogurt

1. How can such a menu help in maintain healthy eating habits?
2. What items would you substitute or add to make this menu more appealing or suitable for one's dietary needs? Give reasons for your choices.
3. Would you like to try this menu one day? Why? / Why not?

C. First impressions made online are less accurate than first impressions made face-to-face. Do you agree or not? Discuss the sentence in detail, giving reasons and examples.

## II. Vocabulary **(12 marks)**

### A. Do as shown in brackets: (6 marks)

1. purpose (add a prefix to the word, then put the new word into a meaningful sentence)
2. appetite. (Give a word that collocates with *appetite*, then write a meaningful sentence using the collocation)
3. instinct (add a suffix to the word, then put the new word into a meaningful sentence)

**B. Choose the best word that completes the sentences: (6 marks)**

1. I make ..... effort to speak up when I meet new people  
a. a conscious    b. a negative    c. an effective
2. I like ..... with ingredients to create exciting new meals  
a. consuming    b. experimenting    c. accounting
3. The ..... of all this success is that I don't get to spend much time with my family.  
a. error    b. downside    c. benefit
4. The ..... of the freshly baked bread was soft and airy, making it perfect for sandwiches.  
a) flavor    b) texture    c) color

**III. Grammar**

**(8 marks)**

**A. Do as shown in brackets:**

1. He will not join us for dinner. (Rewrite the following sentence using a contraction for the auxiliary verb)
2. She has been studying for her exams all week. (Identify the auxiliary verb in the sentence)
3. .... sugar do you need for the recipe? (Add a quantifier)
4. The teacher explained the steps to solve the problem effectively. (Replace the infinitive form with a gerund, changing the main verb with another one if necessary)

**IV. Pronunciation**

**(5 marks)**

**A. Read the sentences. Rewrite the sentences, showing the correct places of the two sounds /j/ and /w/.**

1. I'd no idea he was ill.
2. You should try again later.
3. It must be interesting to travel so much.
4. Do you always take notes in class?
5. We all eat things we shouldn't eat.

**V. Speaking Skill**

**(15 marks- 5 marks each)**

**A. Write ONE mini-dialogue for each of the following language functions and speaking skills.**

1. Asking for and giving clarification
2. Taking conversational Turns
3. Giving advice

*Good Luck*

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