



The 10<sup>th</sup> grade's  
The Second English exam

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Note : There are four questions and four pages.

**Question One : Read the paragraph and answer the following questions :(12 p)**

**Text A:** Beads are important to the Maasai people from the Serengeti in eastern Africa . They decorate themselves with thousands of beads in the form of big necklaces, earrings and bracelets on their arms. The designs reflect the wearer's age and status. Maasai beads have inspired designers for ages. In fact , the Maasai have recently trademarked their bead art to protect their cultural identity, because they want to stop international fashion houses trying to use their designs without permission. In North America the oldest bead ever found dates back 13.000 years .Some Native American tribes used sea shells to create beads called ' wampum' , which they used to wear as jewellery and were also a form of money in their culture .

**Text B:** The pattern known as tartan is used in Scotland to make kilts- a kind of skirt for men. However, visitors to modern- day Scotland are unlikely to see many kilts out on the streets –many Scotsmen wear them only for wedding and New Year's Eve celebration. Nowadays, the best way to see people wearing tartan is to visit the Highland Games , a series of sporting events held throughout the summer.

1- How do the Maasai people use beads ?

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----- (1p)

2- What do the designs of beads reflect ?

----- ( 1p)

3- “ **The Massai people protected their bead art.**” Prove this quote from the text.

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----- (2p)

4- How did some American tribes use sea shells ?-----

----- (1p)

5- Find a word from text “ A” that means ( How important someone is in a society ):

----- (1p)

6- What is The Highland Games ? (1p)

7- What does the underlined pronoun ( them ) in text ‘ B’ refer to ? ( 1p)

8- **Critical thinking** . In your opinion , is it important to protect the culture? Why ? Why not ? Explain how we can protect it . ( 4p)

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**\*Question Two : Vocabulary: ( 10points)**

**A- Complete the sentences by using the suitable word ,there is one extra word. ( 5 p)**

bonds / ancestors / funeral / warriors / identity / parade

- 1- I watched the ----- on the main street to celebrate the national day.
- 2- Each spring , Nihang -----meet for Hola Mohalla,a celebration of fighting.
- 3- They brought flowers to the -----to show their respect to the dead person.
- 4-My clothes are an important part of my ----- .They show who I am .
- 5- The festival celebrates the close -----between the cultures .

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**B- Choose the correct answer : ( 5 p)**

1- A very old story about a famous person or event which might not be true is a :

- a- ceremony      b- legend      c- festival      d- parade

2- Most people find it easier to identify with the others from the same culture (identify

means:

- a- cancel      b- remember      c- understand      d- start to do something

3- I don't have to -----**a speech** in my brother's wedding party . (the correct verb to complete the sentence is :

- a- hold      b- use      c- play      d- give

4- My old house ----- 25 years . ( the correct phrasal verb is :

- a- looks back at      b- goes ahead      c- dates back      d- talks into

5- A set of actions that are performed regularly is :

- a- ritual      b- roles      c- costumes      d- spectators

**\*Question Three : Grammar**

**( 10 points )**

**A- Correct the verbs between the brackets : ( 5p)**

- 1- While they ----- , the teacher came . ( shout )
- 2- We -----TV at nine o'clock this evening . ( watch)
- 3- I ----- some photos of my friend's birthday last week. ( take )
- 4- When we ----- the party , there was nobody there. ( reach )
- 5- Manar ----- a book yet . ( write )

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**B- Correct the underlined grammatical mistakes : ( 3p)**

1-When they were children, they would love cartoons .

2- He has already oversleep .

3- In the past , people use to celebrated in different ways.

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**C- Rewrite the following sentence by using the word between the brackets: ( 2p)**

**Use the correct forms of the verbs .**

1- Amani takes photos . She drops her camera. ( While )

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