

A. Read the following text then choose the correct answer a,**b, c or d:****(50 marks)**

In 1912, the "Titanic" hit an iceberg on its first trip across the Atlantic. The Titanic was the largest ship that had ever travelled on the sea. It was carrying 2207 people, but it had taken on enough lifeboats for only 1178 people.

Some of the passengers had been in the icy water for hours when they were saved. Most of the passengers hadn't lived long; 1502 people had lost their lives.

The steamship company had thought that its ship would be completely safe in all situations. They had followed an old rule for the number of lifeboats, so they had supplied lifeboats for only half of the people. The passengers hadn't yet received their lifeboat numbers, nor had they practiced lifeboat drill before the accident. Many of them hadn't even dressed warmly, for the ship had hit the iceberg late at night. The ship had already received 6 ice warnings on its radio when it struck the iceberg. Nevertheless, it had not changed its direction or its speed.

1. Which of these sentences is TRUE according to the text:

- a. The Titanic was the biggest ship.
b. The passengers were trained on lifeboat drilling.
c. The Titanic hit the iceberg in the evening.
d. The company supplied lifeboats for third of the passengers.

2. The Titanic struck the iceberg it had received 6 warnings.

- a. before b. after c. as soon as d. by the time

3. means a person who continues to live after danger.

- a. iceberg b. passenger c. survivor d. tragedy

4. The word "it" refers to:

- a. the company b. the ship c. lifeboat d. trip

5. The Titanic hit an iceberg in

- a. 1912 b. 2207 c. 1178 d. 1502

B- Read the following text then do the tasks below:**(50 marks)**

Frane Selak was born in Croatia in 1929. He led a relatively unremarkable life as a music teacher.

In January 1962 he was travelling by train from Sarajevo to Dubrovnik. The train left its railway tracks and ended up in a river. Fortunately, Selak was safe.

The next year, Selak was on a plane. Unfortunately, he was blown out of its door and luckily landed in a haystack; Selak survived.

Three years after that in 1966, he got on bus. The bus fell into a river, and by sheer luck Selak swam to the shore with only a few cuts and bruises.

In 1970, the fuel in his car's tank exploded on the motorway. But Selak just escaped with his life.

In 2003, two days after his 73rd birthday, Selak won the lottery in Croatia. With this, he bought a luxurious home, but changed his mind and sold it in 2010. He returned to a **humble** life with his fifth wife.

6. Selak was married. ()

7. As a teacher, his life was ordinary. ()

8. Selak had all his accidents on buses. ()

Answer the following questions about the text:

9. How old was Selak in 2003?

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10. Where did Selak land after he was blown out of the plane?

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C. Read the following sentences then choose the correct answer a, b, c or d : (150 marks)

11. Nobody that the Titanic could sink.
a. has believed b. believes
c. is believing d. had believed
12. It hadn't changed its direction ... its speed after 6 warnings.
a. but b. or c. and d. while
13. They didn't believe they were danger.
a. on b. with c. in d. for
14. Fortunately, an unknown person pulled to be safe.
a. his b. he's c. he d. him
15. He watched his car horror plummet down.
a. on b. in c. from d. to
16. The train crashed into a river after left the tracks.
a. they're b. it's c. it d. its
17. By.... time class was over, the rain had already stopped.
a. some b. the c. a d. an
18. After the guests had left, I to bed.
a. had gone b. have gone c. go d. went
19. I felt after I had taken the medicine.
a. worst b. best c. better d. enormous
20. They had never seen of his paintings before they visited the Art Museum yesterday.
a. any b. some c. much d. a little
21. Yesterday he a ring in his garden.
a. finds b. find c. has found d. found
22. She was able to to her daughter's wedding.
a. goes b. going c. go d. went
23. Mrs. Tyler had been at hospital one month.
a. since b. for c. yet d. ever
24. The word that has the /ei/ diphthong is:
a. fail b. sheep c. key d. bet
25. The word that DOESN'T have the /ei/ diphthong is:
a. James b. ant c. ape d. gaze

D. Match each item in (A) with the suitable choice from (B): (50 marks)

(A)	(B)
26. When some of the passengers were saved,	a. humankind first appeared
27. The Titanic was the largest ship	b. he was driving around a road.
28. A truck came barreling as....	c. that had ever travelled on the sea.
29. Dinosaurs had become extinct by the time	d. she became an ambassador.
30. Rula had been a newspaper reporter before ..	e. they had been in icy water for hours.

E. Write suitable questions about the underlined words: (30 marks)

31. Yousef:?
Farah: There were 15 doctors on the plane.
32. Yousef:?
Farah: They were travelling to the USA for a medical conference.
33. Yousef:?
Farah: She had been at hospital for a few days.

F. Answer the following questions: (20 marks)

34. What had you done before you first went to school?
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35. How did you come to school yesterday?
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G. Write a 50-word paragraph about ONE of the following topics: (50 marks)

Topic A:

Write about the ways we can adopt to protect animals on the edge of extinction.

Topic B:

Write about a dangerous experience that happened to you, heard about or watched in a film.

الخطول : Key answers

1. a the Titanic was.....	2. b after	3. c survivor	4. b the ship	5. 1912
6. T	7. T	8. F	9. He was 73 years old	10. He landed in a haystack.
11.d had believed	12. b or	13. c in	14. d him	15. b in
16. c it	17. b the	18. d went	19. c better	20. a any
21. d found	22. c go	23. b for	24. a fail	25. b ant
26. e	27. c	28. b	29. a	30. d
31. How many doctors were there on the plane?	32. Why were they travelling to the USA?	33. How long had she been at hospital?	34. I had had breakfast/ I had washed my hands and face.....	35. I came /by bus/by car/ on foot.....

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