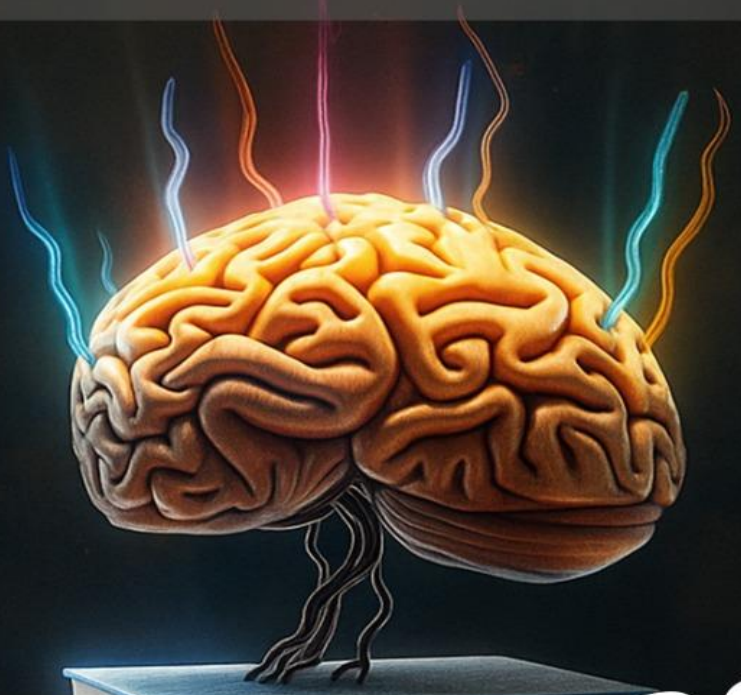
ENGLISH

G8



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1. Complete the following dialogues.

Ali is asking Laila about the art she likes

Ali: What kind of art do you like?

Laila: (1) .....

Ali: (2) .....?

Laila: Because I can use many colors.

Ali: What do you like to paint?

Laila: (3) .....

Ali: Where do you paint?

Laila: (4) .....

Ali: (5) .....?

Laila: Yes, I use different brushes.



Basant and Basma are talking about a famous Egyptian actor.

Basant: Do you know Omar Sharif?

Basma: Yes, he is a (1) ..... actor.

Basant: (2) ..... is he famous?

Basma: Because he is very talented and acted in many interesting movies.

Basant: (3) ..... was he born?

Basma: He was born in Egypt.

Basant: Did he act in international movies?

Basma: Yes, sure. He is famous all over the (4) .....

Basant: Wow! I'm so proud that he is Egyptian.

Basma: I agree with you

Ayman and Nabil are talking about a recent visit to an art gallery.

Ayman: Hi, Nabil! How was your trip to the art gallery yesterday?

Nabil: It was amazing! The (1) ..... was truly amazing.

Ayman: Oh, really? What was the most (2) ..... piece you saw?

Nabil: There was a sculpture by a famous (3) ..... It was so special.

Ayman: That sounds interesting. What did the sculpture look like?

Nabil: It was made of stone and showed a historical figure.

Ayman: (4) ..... you take photos?

Nabil: Yes, I took many photos.

Ayman: That's wonderful!

2. Read and complete the following texts with the words in the boxes.

perfect – imagination – pieces – stunning

1. All the (1) _____ were special and original.
2. The sculptures looked very (2) _____.
3. Making art requires a lot of (3) _____ and creativity.
4. An artwork doesn't need to be (4) _____ to be valuable.

admired – proudly – determination – yourself – herself

1. Amal stood (1) _____ with her robot.
2. The robot spoke: "Be (2) _____. Never give up!"
3. The children (3) _____ Amal's hard work and creativity.
4. The teacher said, "Amal, you showed(4) _____ and honesty."

braver – prepared – deal – challenge – trade

Facing challenges helps us grow stronger and more confident. When we (1) ..... with problems, we learn new skills. Each (2) ..... also teaches us something useful about ourselves and the world. Even when it feels hard, not giving up makes us (3) ..... In the end, facing challenges makes us better (4) ..... for the future.

colorful – mixed – message – metal – lazy

Last week, I visited an art gallery in Zamalek. The gallery was filled with (1) ..... paintings and different kinds of sculptures. Artists showed their original artworks. They (2) ..... different kinds of materials like paper, clay, and (3) ..... This makes the artworks special and original. Each piece carries a meaningful (4) ..... .

deserves – artist – mixed – artworks – exhibitions

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perfect – imagination – pieces – amazing – artist

Last week, we visited a modern art museum. All the (1) ..... were special and original. The sculptures looked really (2) ..... because they were different from anything else. Making art requires a lot of (3) ..... and creativity. An artwork doesn't need to be (4) ..... to be valuable or beautiful..

3. Choose the correct answer from the brackets.

1. Every artwork has a powerful _____.
   (sculpture - hidden - message - words)
2. It is important not to _____ our monuments.
   (damage - succeed - protect - please)
3. Ahmed was _____ that his team won the big soccer game.
   (dry - glad - calm - sunny)
4. Your team will play _____ my team in the final game.
   (about - on - against - for)



5. The _____ practiced the piano for hours to prepare for the concert next week.
   (tourist - guide - musician - writer)
6. Every artwork expresses the artist's thoughts and _____.
   (colorful - installations - feelings - clay)
7. Facing an obstacle can surprise us, but we can _____ it with hard work.
   (get into - get through - get off - get up)
8. When I make a mistake during a presentation, I feel _____.
   (happy - glad - discouraged - encouraged)

9. My dad bought new ……. to make the living room walls blue.
(toys - paints - areas - forms)

10. The strange sound in the quiet library _____ the student.
(remained - surprised - whispered - reminded)

11. The superhero will fight _____all the people of the city.
(for - to - at - from)

12. Our teacher asked our class to do a new project, so we _____ more research online.
(make - take - solve - do)

13. We saw a/an _____ of a famous king at the museum.
(statue - movement - team - appreciation)

14. Mona's face was filled with _____when she opened her birthday gift.
(joy - fear - patience - accident)

15. Everyone liked the sculpture he made. It's an _____ statue.
(paintings - amazing - imagination - creativity)

16. The museum was full of _____ sculptures from a long time ago.
(smooth - historical - lively - hidden)

17. Mahmoud Mokhtar was a famous Egyptian _____ who created many statues.
(dentist - doctor - sculptor - writer)

18. A/An _____ is a difficult situation or task.
(post - obstacle - happiness - disease)

19. Tahya Masr _____ helps solve traffic problems.
(solution - tower - lake - bridge)

20. After all her hard work, Amany _____ to win first place.
(damaged - neglected - acted - deserved)

21. Our trip to the farm was a fun _____ for everyone.
(boss - adventure - freedom - map)

22. Sami felt _____ for sharing his ideas.
(worried - sad - bored - free)

23. Drinking clean water every day is _____ for your health.
(main - incredible - bad - essential)

24. To be a role model for others means to _____ them.
(conspire - empire - inspire - entire)

25. After he died, he gained _____ for his work.
(meaningful - message - recognition - special)

26. Nader's _____ prevented him from finishing homework on time every day.
(talent - laziness - routine - review)

27. The party will bring our family and friends _____ for fun.
(in - with - on - together)

28. His biggest _____ is the dark when he is all alone.
(fear - joy - bravery - excitement)

29. You can see many different _____ in a gallery.
(valuable - hidden - artworks - imagination)

30. October 6 is a/an _____ holiday.
(national - international - outside - fresh)

31. Next time, I will exhibit more _____ artworks.
(elements - interactive - engage - paintings)

32. Our school encourages students to participate to promote _____ and imagination.
(amazing - creativity - art - hidden)

33. My mom smiled with _____ when I cleaned up my room.
(appreciation - suggestion - anger - confusion)

34. They packed food, water, and a _____.
(book - flag - island - compass)

35. Exercising is part of his daily _____ to remain healthy and fit.
(talent - routine - role - opinion)

36. The new car has a/an _____ design that looks very different.
(active - bad - main - innovative)

37. Feeling happy or sad are two very different kinds of _____
(goals - emotions - facts - topics)

38. Parents play a big _____ in the education of their children.
(rule - routine - passion - role)

39. The gallery is filled with amazing _____.
(colorful - pieces - element - incredible)

40. Ahmed Zaki was a great _____
(writer - actor - tourist - musician)

41. This gallery is filled with _____ artworks.
(create - imagination - valuable - feelings)

42. They found an old _____ of a Hidden Island.
(food - map - beauty - freedom)

43. Mahmoud Mokhtar is well known as a very creative _____.
(painting - clay - teacher - sculptor)

44. His work is very special, _____ he deserves recognition.
(but - so - because - although)

45. _____ is different from being tired because it stops you from trying at all.
(passion - laziness - routine - strength)

46. The children love to play tennis in the big _____
(yard - soil - lake - ceiling)

47. The artist used _____ for making this amazing statue.
(incredible - clay - paintings - message)

48. She passed the final exam _____ she studied hard.
(but - because - although - so)

49. My friend gave me a gift, _____ I was very happy all day.
(although - but - so - because)

50. My dad made a great big plan _____ our fun family trip.
(with - for - on - at)

51. Big traffic jams cause _____ , making the air dirty.
(solutions - travel - pollution - stress)

52. Wael found the new puzzle _____, but he did not give up.
(involved - changing - outdoor - challenging)

53. Instead of giving up, she showed _____
(sadness - determination - laziness - shopping)

54. I hope my fun party will _____ as planned for my birthday.
(do - see - make - go)

55. We should attract _____ from all over the world to visit Egypt.
(babies - guides - enemies - tourists)

56. This math problem will _____ hard if you do not listen well.
(get - see - do - know)

57. Students always _____ their creative pieces of work in school fairs.
(display - forget - pretend - neglect)

58. _____ she woke up early, she didn't catch the bus.
(But - So - Because - Although)

59. You must plant the seeds in good _____or them to grow.
(soil - ceiling - sail - reason)

60. I like this book, _____ it has many colorful pictures inside.
(but - so - although - because)

61. Did you see Wardah _____the stage singing her song?
(at - in - with - on)

62. Reem knows that paper is made _____ the wood of trees.
(with - by - in - from)

63. An artwork that is the first of its kind and not a copy is _____
(hidden - complex - original - cheap)

64. Amir used to _____ when he was young.
(teach - sing - sculpt - cook)

65. _____ is a very important life skill.
(Paintings - Creativity - Feelings - Artists)

66. It is important to choose strong _____ for school uniforms.
(metal - wood - fabric - paper)

67. Mirna made a small _____ bowl for her mom as a gift.
(effort - space - pottery - piece)

68. Teamwork means to _____ with each other.
(mix - pack - collaborate - find)

69. You should _____ closely at the picture to find the differences.
(think - check - look - behave)

70. The teacher explained the rules _____ so that we all understood.
(clearly - badly - quickly - happily)

71. Sometimes, I feel _____ when I have to talk in front of everyone.
(scared - confident - shy - brave)

72. The dress was pretty, _____ it did not fit her very well.
(so - but - because - and)

73. A _____ is a building where people go to look at art.
(goal - fact - gallery - topic)

74. Tomorrow, my dad will _____ a speech at school.
(give - do - work - want)

75. The _____used a big brush to paint the bright blue sky.
(artist - imagination - touch - style)

76. She will _____ the blue and yellow paint to make green.
(mix - look - sell - organize)

77. The opposite of imagination is _____.
(local - reality - creativity - international)

78. Tamer was very sure _____ winning the fun little race.
(with - off - of - on)

79. He became a famous _____ after performing.
(writer - reader - tourist - musician)

80. Teachers notice students' _____ in music, art, and sports during school activities.
(talent - paper - rule - review)

81. Mokhtar actively participated in the nationalist movement to _____ the Egyptian identity.
(promote - sculpt - do - make)

82. A true leader should act _____ in his work.
(angrily - fearfully - responsibly - carelessly)

83. My mom _____ me to brush my teeth before I go to bed.
(reminded - remembered - mentioned - said)

84. A _____ conversation can strengthen relationships between family members and friends.
(known - heavy - meaningless - meaningful)

85. Maher read the _____on the box to learn how to play.
(performances - goals - instructions - traditions)

86. The tour _____ led the group through the museum and described each artwork carefully.
(talent - star - guide - role)

87. If you are creative this means you come _____ new ideas.
(up to - up with - up for - up from)

88. The main idea or feeling that an artist tries to share in their work is the _____
(message - material - symbol - emotion)

89. To come up with new ideas means _____.
(respect - collaboration - museum - creativity)

90. His work is full of creativity and _____.
(boring - sense - imagination - perfect)

91. The _____ he was late was that the bus was slow.
(reason - bravery - excitement - joy)

92. To stay fit you should stick _____ your healthy diet.
(with - to - on - for)

93. Asma has a/an _____ to read one new book every week.
(fact - goal - emotions - topic)

94. The loud music from the party filled the street with _____

(excitement - patience - accident - bravery)

95. Noura loves the _____storybook that talks when you press buttons.

(interactive - defined - active - essential)

96. You can see many different artworks in a _____

(material - gallery - sculpture - painting)

97. We drove to the mountains to see the beautiful, green _____

(scenery - compass - map - desert)

98. Good _____ helped us finish the project on time.

(plane - noise - distraction - teamwork)

99. _____ means feeling worried, nervous or under pressure.

(happy - stressed - shy - brave)

100. Seeing the beautiful painting will _____ you to draw one.

(receive - behave - spark - respond)

101. Artists use different materials to create _____.

(way - hidden - ways - sculptures)

102. We should value how we are _____ from each other.

(hidden - different - old - respect)

103. _____ means too strange to be believed.

(alive - attractive - incredible - essential)

104. Huda's _____ for painting made her spend hours improving every small detail carefully.

(section - passion - opinion - role)

105. Salma felt _____ when she heard a strange noise in the dark.

(confident - glad - scared - calm)

106. Facing challenges teaches us to be braver and more _____.

(confident - careless - frightened - lazy)

107. I wanted to buy a new smartphone, so I read many _____to choose the best one.

(books - reviews - emails - stars)

108. You should _____ politely and say please and also say thank you.

(receive - believe - behave - respond)

109. This is a/an _____ of the first woman to fly an airplane.

(biography - achievement - museum - sculptor)

110. Ahmed was punished because he _____ his homework for a whole week.

(neglected - acted - made - succeeded)

111. Bassam can _____ works of art from old boxes and bottles.
(draw - show - make - form)

112. The sky turned a strange orange color during the _____
(sandstorm - wave - cloud - air)

113. The teacher wants us to be _____ when we speak in class.
(absent - sunny - shy - confident)

114. The opposite of national is _____.
(local - private - international - collaboration)

115. Waiting for your turn to play the game takes some _____
(skill - speed - patience - luck)

116. All the students _____forward to the last day of school.
(look - find - see - watch)

117. An artist needs a good _____ to create beautiful new things.
(stone - growth - topic - imagination)

118. I sometimes feel nervous when I have to _____ a speech to my class.
(take - give - escape - ignore)

119. He dreams of living a _____ life full of comfort and opportunities.
(rich - succeeded - poor - pleased)

120. You can _____ knowledge by reading many kinds of books.
(gain - lose - buy - sell)

121. Her _____ helped her to climb to the very top.
(excitement - bravery - reason - accident)

122. When you work hard without giving up and stay _____ to who you are, you achieve great success.
(false - wrong - artificial - true)

123. His paintings are original _____ they are made from different materials.
(but - so - because - although)

124. The view from the top of the mountain was so _____ that everyone admired it.
(heavy - stunning - rich - pleased)

125. Every piece of artwork should be _____.
(original - imagination - materials - boring)

126. The ice cream melted _____it was a very hot day outside.
(but - so - although - because)

127. The _____ in the museum showed a man with a hat.

(sculpture - imagination - message - performance)

128. He was sad about the _____ of his favorite character.

(death - birth - name - color)

4. Complete with the correct form of the word(s) in brackets.

1. I _____ (meet) my friend Amal two days ago.
2. _____ (While) the party, Salma was singing and eating.
3. Last Saturday, we _____ (get) up late and we missed the train.
4. The penguins _____ (are eating) and the dolphins were jumping when we arrived.
5. It was raining when we _____ (leave) the house.
6. My brother _____ (finish) school in 2022.
7. I saw a thief while I _____ (am looking) out of the window.
8. _____ (But) it was raining, I went to school.
9. I failed my first test, _____ (because) I didn't give up.
10. _____ (So) he was afraid of speaking, he still gave the presentation.
11. While _____ (cook) lunch, Fatima felt tired.
12. When I saw her, she _____ (wear) a really nice purple dress.
13. I fell asleep when I _____ (am studying) Arabic.
14. As I was doing homework, my dad _____ (arrive) home.
15. I _____ (read) a novel while my mother was cooking lunch.
16. I was hungry, _____ (but) I made a sandwich.
17. Zein _____ (watch) a movie last night.
18. What were you _____ (watch) when I phoned you?
19. While I _____ (walk) to school, it began to rain.
20. The museum _____ (visit) by thousands of people last year.
21. Hany didn't go out _____ (so) he was very ill.
22. I _____ (fall) while I was going down the stairs.
23. Nada tried hard, _____ (although) she couldn't carry the bag.
24. _____ (Are) you doing anything when your father arrived?
25. I was nervous _____ (although) it was my first time on stage.
26. I _____ (drive) when you called me.
27. While I _____ (walk) in the street, I saw an accident.
28. We were eating dinner _____ (while) the phone rang.
29. He showed great effort, _____ (because) the teacher was proud of him.
30. I _____ (sleep) when a loud noise woke me up.



31. She got high marks _____ (so) the exam was difficult.

32. While I _____ (walk) to school, I saw my friend.

5. Rewrite the sentences using the word(s) in brackets.

1. He was doing his homework. The doorbell rang. (When)
2. What did you do last night? (at 9:30 last night)
3. When my dad came, I was playing computer games. (while)
4. Omar walked slowly because he was tired. (so)
5. I played football. It started to rain. (while)
6. I eat unhealthy food. I gained weight. (so)
7. He was sick. He finished his homework. (but)
8. He is rich, so he is wearing new clothes. (because)
9. Although his artworks are amazing, he doesn't deserve recognition. (but)
10. He played an important match yesterday. (at 8:00 yesterday)
11. He prepared well, so he won the race. (because)
12. They played well. They lost. (although)
13. He didn't win the race. He hurt his knee. (because)



6. Find the mistake and correct it.

1-They was playing in the garden yesterday.

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2-She were cooking dinner when I arrived.

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3-I were writing my homework at that time.

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4-They was talking loudly during the lesson.

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5-The baby were crying all morning.

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6-She was study for her exam yesterday evening.

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7-We was watching a movie last night.

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8-He were running fast when he fell.

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9-He was clean the room when his mom came in.

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10. I was listen to music at 8 pm.

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7. Read the passages and answer the questions.

Passage 1

Mahmoud Mokhtar was a young boy who loved to play with clay by the river. He would sculpt small figures of animals and people. When he grew up, he became a famous sculptor. His most important statue is called “Nahdat Misr.” It shows a woman lifting her veil next to a sphinx. This statue became a symbol for Egypt’s hope and strength. Mokhtar used his art to show his love for his country. He wanted everyone to appreciate Egyptian culture. His work gained recognition all over the world. Today, you can see his statues in museums and public squares.

A. Choose the correct answer:

1- The statue became a symbol for Egypt’s hope and _____.

a) fear

b) strength

c) sadness

d) weakness



2- Mokhtar’s most important statue is called _____ Misr.

a) Ancient

b) Nahdat

c) Recognition

d) New

B) Answer the following questions:

What does the word “sculpt” mean in this passage?

Why did Mokhtar want to show his love for Egypt through his art?

What is the main idea of this passage?

What did Mokhtar sculpt when he was a boy?

Passage 2

Art is a journey into a world of imagination. It is all around us, not just in galleries. You can see it in the bright colors of a birthday card, the design of a video game, or the pattern on a rug. These things are made by artists who use their thoughts and emotions. Their goal is to create something that makes us feel happy, excited, or calm. When you draw a picture from your imagination, you are an artist too. You are making an original artwork that is special because it came from your mind. This journey of creating is one of the most valuable life skills.

A) Choose the correct answer:

1- The author says that creating art is a valuable _____.

a) emotion

b) life skill

c) tradition

d) goal

2- According to the passage, art is _____.

a) only in museums

b) all around us

c) always very valuable

d) only for adults

B) Answer the following questions:

3- Why is creating art considered a "life skill"?

4- What does the word "original" mean in the passage?

5- Where are three places you can find art, according to the passage?

6- What is the main idea of this passage?

Passage 3

The Louvre in Paris is one of the most famous museums in the world. It is filled with many valuable artworks, from ancient sculptures to amazing paintings. The most famous piece is Leonardo da Vinci's "Mona Lisa." Although it is a quite small painting, it is very powerful because of its strange smile and the artist's amazing skill. Millions of tourists visit the museum every year just to see it. The museum itself is a great building, with its modern glass pyramid standing in the main courtyard. It shows how art can mix the old and the new.

Choose the correct answer:

1-The main idea of the text is about ".....".

a. The city of Paris

b. The artist Leonardo da Vinci

c. A famous museum

d. Building pyramids

2- The “Mona Lisa” is a famous .....

a. sculpture

b. pyramid

c. painting

d. palace



B. Answer the following questions:

3-What does the underlined pronoun “it” refer to?

4-Where is the Louvre Museum located?

5-Why is the “Mona Lisa” considered powerful, according to the text?

8. Writing.

Write a paragraph " Tips for Facing Challenges in Life."

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Write a paragraph " My Favorite Free-Time Activity"

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Write an email to your friend Basim about Art Doesn’t Have to Be Perfect.

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Write an email to your friend Aly about Your Favorite Actor.

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Write an email to your friend Karim about Your Visit to an Art Exhibition.

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MODEL ANSWERS

1. Complete the texts and dialogues.

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Artwork and creativity

1. pieces • 2. stunning • 3. imagination • 4. perfect

Amal and her robot

1. proudly • 2. yourself • 3. admired • 4. determination

Facing challenges

1. deal • 2. challenge • 3. braver • 4. prepared

An art gallery in Zamalek

1. colorful • 2. mixed • 3. metal • 4. message

Mahmoud Mokhtar

1. artist • 2. mixed • 3. artworks • 4. exhibitions

A modern art museum

1. pieces • 2. amazing • 3. imagination • 4. perfect

Ali and Laila

1. I like painting.
2. Why do you like painting?
3. I like to paint flowers and the sky.
4. I paint at home.
5. Do you use different brushes?

2. Choose – Question number and full answer.

1	message	2	damage	3	glad	4	agai
5	musician	6	feelings	7	get through	8	disc
9	paints	10	surprised	11	for	12	do
13	statue	14	joy	15	amazing	16	histo
17	sculptor	18	obstacle	19	bridge	20	dese
21	adventure	22	free	23	essential	24	insp
25	recognition	26	laziness	27	together	28	fear
29	artworks	30	national	31	interactive	32	crea
33	appreciation	34	compass	35	routine	36	inno
37	emotions	38	role	39	pieces	40	acto
41	valuable	42	map	43	sculptor	44	so
45	laziness	46	yard	47	clay	48	beca

49	so	50	for	51	pollution	52	chal
53	determination	54	go	55	tourists	56	get
57	display	58	Although	59	soil	60	beca
61	on	62	from	63	original	64	sculp
65	Creativity	66	fabric	67	pottery	68	colla
69	look	70	clearly	71	shy	72	but
73	gallery	74	give	75	artist	76	mix
77	reality	78	of	79	musician	80	taler
81	promote	82	responsibly	83	reminded	84	mea
85	instructions	86	guide	87	up with	88	mes
89	creativity	90	imagination	91	reason	92	to /
93	goal	94	excitement	95	interactive	96	galle
97	scenery	98	teamwork	99	stressed	100	spar
101	sculptures	102	different	103	incredible	104	pass
105	scared	106	confident	107	reviews	108	beha
109	biography	110	neglected	111	make	112	sand
113	confident	114	international	115	patience	116	look
117	imagination	118	give	119	rich	120	gain
121	bravery	122	true	123	because	124	stun
125	original	126	because	127	sculpture	128	deat

3. Correct form – Answers.

1. met
9. but
17. watched
25. because
2. During
10. Although
18. watching
26. was driving
3. got
11. cooking
19. was walking
27. was walking
4. were eating
12. was wearing
20. was visited

28. when

5. left

13. was studying

21. because

29. so

6. finished

14. arrived

22. fell

30. was sleeping

7. was looking

15. was reading

23. but

31. although

8. Although

16. so

24. Were

32. was walking

Basant and Basma

1. famous • 2. Why • 3. Where • 4. world

Ayman and Nabil

1. exhibition • 2. interesting • 3. sculptor • 4. Did

The dialogue answers are examples. Accept other answers that fit the conversation.

15. “Read” can also fit if the speaker is describing reading the novel as a completed action.

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3. I was writing my homework at that time.

4. They were talking loudly during the lesson.

5. The baby was crying all morning.

6. She was studying for her exam yesterday evening.

7. We were watching a movie last night.

8. He was running fast when he fell.

9. He was cleaning the room when his mom came in.

10. I was listening to music at 8 pm.

Passage 1 Mahmoud Mokhtar

1. b) strength • 2. b) Nahdat

3. It means to make a figure by shaping or carving a material such as clay.

4. He wanted people to appreciate Egyptian culture.

5. The passage describes Mahmoud Mokhtar's life, his famous sculpture, and how he used art to express his love for Egypt.

6. He sculpted small figures of animals and people.

Passage 2 Art and imagination

1. b) life skill • 2. b) all around us

3. Creating art lets people use their imagination and express thoughts and emotions.

4. It means created from your own ideas.

5. On a birthday card, in a video game design, and in the pattern on a rug.

6. Art is all around us, and creating it helps us express our imagination and emotions.

Passage 3 The Louvre

1. c. A famous museum • 2. c. painting

3. It refers to the Mona Lisa.

4. It is in Paris, France.

5. Its mysterious smile and Leonardo da Vinci's skill make it powerful.

1. A famous egyptian artist

Mahmoud Mokhtar was a famous Egyptian sculptor. As a boy, he enjoyed shaping clay into small figures of animals and people. He turned that interest into a career and created works that many people still admire. His sculpture Nahdat Misr shows a woman lifting her veil beside a sphinx. It became a symbol of Egypt's hope and strength. I like the way Mokhtar used familiar Egyptian images to express his ideas about his country. His work helps visitors think about Egyptian culture and history. Today, people can see examples of his sculptures in museums and public squares and learn about his style.

2. Your future job

In the future, I would like to be an engineer. I enjoy finding out how things work, and I often build small models in my free time. One day, I hope to design bridges that make journeys shorter and safer. To prepare for this job, I will study math and science carefully. I also want to join the school science club and learn to plan projects with other students. Engineers need to listen to people and understand the problems they face. I think this job would give me a chance to use my ideas to help others in my community.

3. A story you read and the lessons you learned

I read a story about a girl who wanted to build a kite for a school festival. Her first kite was too heavy, so it fell as soon as she threw it into the air. She asked her grandfather for advice and tried again with thinner paper and lighter sticks. On the day of the festival, a younger boy could not get his kite to fly. The girl stopped to help him, and soon both kites were in the sky. I learned that mistakes can teach us something useful. The story also showed me that sharing what we learn can help other people succeed.

7 Writing continued

4. A difficult situation you got through

Last term, I had to present a science project to my class. I felt nervous because I often forgot my words when people looked at me. To prepare, I wrote three key ideas on a small card and practiced in front of my sister. On the day of the presentation, I took a deep breath and started with a simple question. Soon, my classmates were listening and raising their hands. I still made one mistake, but I corrected it and carried on. Afterward, I felt proud of myself. I learned that good preparation can help me stay calm when I face a challenge.

5. Tips for facing challenges in life

Everyone faces challenges at school or at home. When something feels difficult, start by naming the problem. Then divide it into smaller steps and choose one thing you can do today. For example, if a project seems too hard, write a short plan before you collect your materials. Ask a teacher or a friend for help if you get stuck. When an idea fails, think about what went wrong and try another way. Give yourself time to practice. Remember to notice your progress, even if it seems small. These habits can make it easier to stay calm and keep working toward your goal.

6. Your favorite free time activity

My favorite free time activity is taking photos. I usually go for a walk on Friday morning and use my phone to photograph trees, birds, and interesting buildings. I like to visit the same places at different times because the light changes the way they look. Last week, I took a picture of a cat sleeping beside a bright blue door. My family liked it so much that we printed it. Photography helps me notice small details that I often miss on busy days. I also enjoy sharing my best photos with friends and hearing what they see in them.

7 Writing continued

7. Art does not have to be perfect

To: Basim From: Mazen Subject: Art does not have to be perfect

Hi Basim,
You told me you were worried about sharing your drawing at school. I felt the same way last week when my picture of a tree looked different from the one I had imagined. Some paint ran down the page, but I turned the lines into falling leaves. When I showed it to my class, a friend said the leaves were her favorite part. I learned that mistakes can sometimes give us new ideas. If you feel unsure about your drawing, ask a classmate what they notice first about it. You might find that your picture already expresses exactly how you feel.
See you soon,
Mazen

8. Your favorite actor

To: Aly From: Mazen Subject: Your favorite actor

Hi Aly,
I want to tell you about my favorite actor, Ahmed Zaki. I like the way he uses his voice and expressions to show what a character is feeling. In one scene I watched, his character was worried, and I could tell from the way he moved and looked around before he even spoke. That made me pay more attention to the small details in a performance. I would really like to watch another of his films and see how he plays a different kind of character. Who is your favorite actor, and which performance do you think I should watch?
Best wishes,
Mazen

9. Your visit to an art exhibition

To: Karim From: Mazen Subject: Your visit to an art exhibition

Hi Karim,
Last Saturday, I visited an art exhibition with my sister. We saw colorful paintings, clay sculptures, and models made from old boxes. My favorite piece was a boat made from pieces of wood. From far away it looked simple, but when I walked closer, I could see tiny waves carved along the side. I asked the artist how she made them, and she showed me the tool she used. The visit gave me an idea for our next school project. We could make something from materials we already have at home. Would you like to visit the exhibition with me next weekend?
Your friend,
Mazen