

Collège de la Neboutte

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Classe : 2^{nde}N°.....

ANNÉE SCOLAIRE 2019/2020

Durée : 2h

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MINI SESSION N°1 de: ANGLAIS

INTITULÉ DE LA COMPÉTENCE VISÉE

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APPRÉCIATION AU NIVEAU DE LA COMPÉTENCE (à cocher absolument)

Non acquis	En cours d'acquisition	Acquis

NOTE DE L'ÉVALUATION

NOTE TOTALE

PARTIE 1 :

PARTIE 3 :

PARTIE 2 :

PARTIE 4 :

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VISA DU PARENT OU DU TUTEUR :

NOMS & PRÉNOMS :

DATE :Tél :

OBSERVATIONS DU PARENT :

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MID-TERM EXAM FOR SECONDE

SECTION A: GRAMMAR (10 marks)

I. Fill in the blanks with a suitable word chosen from the brackets (5 marks)

Ali: Hello, John. Who is _____ idol? (Yours, your, you're)

John: Hi, Ali. My idol is Nelson Mandela.

Ali: Can you _____ me some of his achievements? (tell, say, speak)

John: Yes, of course! Nelson Mandela was the first black president of South Africa. He is also the political figure _____ (whose, who, which) was vocal against apartheid in his country.

Ali: Oh, Yes! I think he is one of the _____ (most popular, more popular, popularest) African leaders of all times.

John: You're right. He also did a lot in the fight _____ (with, for, against) racism in the world.

II. Complete the sentences with the tenses as indicated in brackets. (5 marks)

1. John _____ (to go) to the market every Saturday with his mother. (Simple present tense)

2. The teacher _____ (to slap) the stubborn student who _____ (to disturb) in class. (simple past tense and past continuous tense)

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3. They _____ (to listen) to music while cleaning the dishes. (present continuous tense)

4. The President _____ (to order) for retired workers to be paid their pensions. (present perfect tense)

SECTION B: VOCABULARY (10 marks)

I. Transform each underlined word as indicated in brackets then write your answer in the space provided. (5 marks)

1. The board of directors investigated the crisis carefully. (noun) _____

2. Cameroon's Emergency Development Plan is a three-year programme. (adjective) _____

3. The Indomitable Lions had been successful in the 1990 World Cup until they encountered England _____ (add a **prefix** to form the opposite)

4. Some thieves were caught last night in our neighbourhood. (Synonym) _____

5. In 2016, a wicked man drove into crowds of people celebrating Bastille Day in France _____ (add a **suffix** to form the noun)

II. Match the words or expressions in column A to their meanings in column B. Write the suitable letter against the number in column C. (5 marks)

Column A	Column B	Column C
1) Residential area	a) a place where roads meet	1- _____
2) Junction	b) the area of a town where people live	2- _____
3) Neighbourhood	c) road that goes left or right	3- _____
4) Signpost	d) a place where people have their homes	4- _____
5) Turning	e) a pole at the side of the road which gives information about routes and distances	5- _____

SECTION C: READING COMPREHENSION (10 marks)

Mount Cameroon has many other names. It's also known as "The Chariots of the Gods" "Mount Fako" "Buea Mountain" or "Cameroon Mountain".

It is located in the South West Region of Cameroon, near the Gulf of Guinea. It is one of Africa's largest Mountains and volcanoes. It rises to 4100 metres above sea level and it is recorded as the highest point in the whole of West and Central Africa.

Mount Cameroon has had volcanic activity from prehistoric times to the present day. The latest volcanic activity on the mountain occurred on the third of February, 2012. The mountain is one of Africa's largest volcanoes.

The first written account of volcanic activity could be the one from the Cathaginian Hanno The Navigator, who might have observed it in the fifth century BC. He thus named it "The Chariots of the Gods." Explosive eruptions have occurred throughout history. A 1992 eruption of the Mountain produced a lava flow that reached the Atlantic Coast.

Also, a lava flow from 1999 stopped only 200metres from the sea. This actually cut off the coastal highway.

There are many activities that are being carried out on Mount Cameroon throughout the year. Some of these include hunting, farming, tourism, the Mount Cameroon Race of Hope.

Questions

- 1) Name two activities that take place on Mount Cameroon yearly.

- 2) Where is Mount Cameroon found?

- 3) How else is the mountain called?

- 4) Identify two aspects in the passage that make the mountain a major attraction in Africa.

- 5) When was the most recent eruption of Mount Cameroon?

SECTION D: COMPOSITION (10 marks)

Choose any of the topics.

- 1) Describe a tourist attraction you once visited.
- 2) Mr Deffo is new in Yaoundé and wants to get to the AmadouAhidjo Stadium to watch a major football encounter. He meets you at the entrance to Collège de La Retraite to ask for directions. Write a dialogue on your conversation, clearly showing how you helped him out.

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