


FRANCOIS XAVIER VOGT		SCHOOL YEAR: 2023/2024
THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	INTENSIVE SESSION SESSION EXAM
CLASS: 2nde C	Duration: 2hrs/ coef: 03	22 <sup>nd</sup> APRIL 2024

## **PART ONE: EVALUATION OF RESOURCES (20MARKS)**

### **SECTION A: GRAMMAR(10Marks)**

**Task 1: Read the following conversation between family members in the breakfast. Then fill in the blanks with correct item choses.(5mks)**

**Gemina:** mum!!!

**Father:** What .....(happened – is happening- had happened) Gemina? Why do you..... (call off- call out – call into) in the early morning like that?

**Gemina:** Dad, where is mum? I 'm..... (Starve – starving – starved)

**Dad:** She is.....( does- do in - doing) yoga in the yard,

**Germina:** Mum I'm extremely hungry..... (must – could– should) you prepare the breakfast now?

**Mum:** I .....(finished – finish- finishes – shall finish) in 10 minutes. Can you make strawberry smoothies by.....(yourself – yourselves–yours) while you are..... (waited – waits – waiting) for me?

**Gemina:** Heard you mum. I had a terrible dream last night. I was..... (walking – walk in – walks) in the woods when suddenly some snakes ..... (comes – coming – came) from nowhere and..... (chasing – chases – chased) me.

**Mum:** What a scary dream!!

**Task 2 : Bob is a student and very passionate with Rock and Rock stars. He is also an internet user. The following table is about his daily routine on the internet. Match each beginning of sentence with the correct ending so as to make complete and meaningful sentences. Write your complete sentences in the space given below the table. (3marks)**

<b>Column A</b>	<b>Column B</b>
He spends more than	To his friends from all over the world
Before going to school in the morning,	his favorite rock films and stars
At school he goes to the computer room every lunch time	A day on his computer
When he returns home, he visits sites about	and communicating with other rock fans and internet users
He also likes visiting chat rooms	he reads the sport news on the internet
He sends about ten e-mails everyday	To look for interesting websites for his

- 1).....
- 2).....
- 3).....
- 4).....
- 5).....
- 6).....

**Task 3: Circle the right option (2marks)**

In our great grandparents' times, most people used to work a lot. Their work would last for (long-longer-longest) hours than anyone would accept nowadays. As a result, they had (little-less-least) leisure time than most of us enjoy today. At that period of time, there were (no-none-no one) television. In those days, the family wouldn't mind (sit sat-sitting) round a fire, drinking coffee or tea.

**SECTION TWO: VOCABULARY (10 MARKS)**

**Task 1:** complete this close passage with words from the list so that the passage makes sense. (2.5 marks)

List of words: information, hacker, e-mail, link, virus.

What happens when you are hacked? An ..... is sent to you and you are requested to open a ..... Once you open it, ..... about your computer will either be infected by a ..... or accessed by the .....

**Task 2:** Titou and Papou are on their way home they can't believe what they just saw and heard at the Yaounde courthouse. Select the following words and complete their conversation below. There are more words than you may need. (5marks)

Complaint	Courthouse	Judges	Handcuffs	Prison	Court'room
Black dress	Convicts	Victims	Lawyers	Guilty	

**Titou:** I couldn't really tell what was happening in a .....

**Papou:** Likewise bro! I mean, the ..... and ..... were looking serious and quite frightening in those ..... of theirs.

**Titou:** Especially with the voice, "you may sit down" The moment was solemn. Did you see the .....? They all had ..... on. There were at least five policemen in

the.....

*Papou:* I saw some people crying. Could they be family members or .....?

*Titou:* Perhaps "Bro, we have to be extremely careful. A simple ..... against you can take you to....., if you are declared guilty.

**Task 3:** Complete the following words with suitable words of your own to build compound nouns related to ICT and use them in sentences. (0.25x 10= 2.5 marks)

E.g : Cyber- criminality. (sentence : Cybercriminality refers to all crimes committed on the internet.)

1)Profile ..... ;2)Down.....; 3) Cyber .....; 4)Self-  
----- 5)Digital .....

---

---

---

---

---

---

**PART II: EVALUATION OF COMPETENCES SECTION C- READING COMPREHENSION (10 MARKS)**

***Read the following passage and answer to the questions.***

" First, they changed our lives by allowing us to make phone calls while travelling. Then teenagers use them to send messages. But in the future, mobile phones will allow us to control our lives and homes"

Imagine you want to go home early but your house is still cold. Your mobile phone will let you switch on your central, heating. You might accidentally leave the door of the fridge open. Don't worry, your mobile phone will send you a warning message. Burglars may try to enter your house when you are on holidays.

These ideas will probably be reality soon. At japan's combined exhibition of Advanced Technologies, companies including Toshiba, Panasonic and Mitsubishi say they are going to use the mobile phone to create intelligent homes. Panasonic's "Echonet" is already on sale. This piece of technology is the same size as a book. You put it on the kitchen wall and it allows you to communicate with your fridge, air conditioner, washing machine over burglar alarm. It doesn't matter whether you are in a train, on the street, or at the airport, if you have your mobile phone you can control everything at home.

Mitsubishi plans to develop technology for forgetful shoppers. For example, if you want to know how many eggs or tomatoes you have left in the fridge, you will be able to use your phone find out. It will ask your fridge to send you a picture on your mobile phone.

This technology probably won't be available in the next two years. But it will certainly arrive eventually. All these developments come from Japan. The Japanese love technology in a way that many

western countries can't understand. Why? Because "japanese consumers always want something new" says promo Ohtsubo the director of Panasonic. And in term of technology, where Japan leads, the world follows.

### QUESTIONS

1) Give a suitable title to this passage (2marks)

.....

2) What has been the major change that mobile phones have brought in communication? (2marks)

-----

-----

3) Name things that mobile phones may do in the future to control people's lives and homes.(2marks) –

-----

.....

4) Why Japanese love technology? (2 marks)

-----

-----

5- ) Find words in the passage which mean: (2 mks)

Adolescent

-----Permit:

-----

Bandits:

-----Vacation

: -----

### SECTION D: COMPOSITION (10marks)

*Write a composition between 150 and 200 words on ONE of the following topics:*

**Topic1 :** Write an article on the importance of ICTs in modern world. List some communication tools, how they are used, some problems faced in using them and propose ideas on how to make better use of them.

**Topic 2:** Tell the story of your last shopping experience. Where did you go? What did you buy? Why did you choose to go there? How were the sellers? How did you pay your articles? How is that shopping place different from others?

• **Topic 3:** Write a letter to your aunt Elisa who lives in Canada to ask her if you could come over her place during holidays. Give her four reasons why you don't want to spend your holidays in Cameroon. Tell her

about the difficulties that Cameroonians are facing on daily basis. **Your name is Ossomo, PO.BOX 7705Nlongkak-Yaounde.**