

**PART ONE: READING (15pts)**

**A/ Comprehension and (07pts)**

1. the text is : **Narrative** (1pt)

2. **True or False Statement:**

(2pts= 0.5pt x4)

a)F b)F c)F d) T

3. **Answering questions:**

(2pts= 1pt x2)

- a) Because the powerful Nile River was the life-blood of ancient Egypt. The fertile, rich, dark soil of its banks enabled farmers to raise a huge supply of food . The Nile also provided water for irrigation and was Egypt’s main transportation route
- b) -They created the world’s first national government, and a 365-day calendar.  
 -They invented a form of picture writing called hieroglyphics.  
 - They invented papyrus  
 - They developed one of the first religions to emphasize life after death.  
 -They built great cities in which many skilled architects, doctors, engineers, painters and sculptors worked.  
 -They built the pyramids.

4. In paragraph : 4

5. **Cohesive markers:**

(1pt = 0.5pt x2)

a) It = Ancient Egypt                      b) They = The Pyramids

**B/ Text Exploration (08pts)**

1/ **Synonyms:**

(1pt =0.5pt x2)

a- prospered(§1) = **Flourished**

b-enormous(§4)= **gigantic**

2/ **Completing a chart :**

(1 pt=0.25pt x4)

<b>Example</b>	<b>To develop</b>	<b>development</b>	<b>developing</b>
	<b>To achieve.</b>	achievement	<b>achievable</b>
	To invent	<b>Invention / inventor</b>	<b>Inventive / invented</b>

3/ **Combining sentences:**

(2pts= 1pt x2)

1- **After** Ancient Egyptians **had settled** around the Nile’s valleys they **built** large cities.

2- **Although** The Muslims left Andalusia in 1492, Islamic civilization has remained an enriching element of the Spanish cultural heritage.

4. **Asking questions :**

( 1.5pt = 0.5 x2)

a- **Where did** Egyptian civilization **arise** about 5,000 years ago ?

b- **Who** made important contributions?

5. **Classifying words according to the pronunciation of their final “ed”.**

( 1pt = 0.25 x4 )

/t/	/d/	/id/
published - developed	remained	Edited

6. **Fill in each gap with one word from the list below: ( 1.5 pt)**

Prehistoric people are **human** beings who lived before writing was invented about 5,500 years ago. Writing **enabled** people to record information they wished to save including descriptions of events in their lives. The invention of writing marked the beginning of **civilization**. The period before man learnt to write called **prehistory** and the people who lived during this period are known as prehistoric people.

**SECTION TWO: WRITING (05pts)**



