I. Reading Section (15 marks)

Read about three inventions.

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<td>An American chef from Connecticut, Louis Lassen, made and sold the first hamburgers in 1895. He called them hamburgers because sailors from Hamburg in Germany gave him the recipe. Students from Yale University and businessmen loved them and bought them. Kenneth Lassen, Louis' grandson, still sells hamburgers in Connecticut.</td>
<td>A Scotsman, John Logie Baird, transmitted the first television picture on 25th October 1925. The first thing on television was a boy from the office next to Baird's workroom in London. In 1927, Baird sent pictures from London to Glasgow. In 1928, he sent pictures to New York and also produced the first colour TV pictures.</td>
<td>A Hungarian, Laszlo Biro, made the first ball-point pen in 1938. In 1944, the British army bought thirty thousand because soldiers could write with them outside in the rain. At the end of the war, “Biros” quickly became very popular all over the world. In 1948, a shop in New York sold ten thousand in one day.</td>
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Answer the following questions. (6 marks)

1. Who invented television?
2. Where was Louis Lassen from?
3. Who is Kenneth Lassen?
4. Why is a hamburger called a hamburger?
5. What did the British army buy during the war?
6. When did Baird send TV pictures to the U.S.?

Choose the best definition for the underlined words. (3 marks)

7. He called them hamburgers because sailors from Hamburg in Germany gave him the recipe.
   a. phoned          b. told          c. named

   a. created          b. found         c. sent

9. In 1944, the British army bought thirty thousand because soldiers could write with them outside in the rain.
   a. people who defend a country in a war   b. government officials   c. architects
Read the news story and do the activity.

**Tourist Loses Watch, Finds Gold Ring**

Valletta Thursday November 8 (Reuters) - A British tourist who lost a gold-plated watch while on holiday in Malta found a gold ring on her way to a police station to report her loss, the Times of Malta reported Thursday.

Londoner Jill Tong said she was at the Valletta bus terminus on her way to the police station when she found the ring. She handed it to the police, the Times of Malta said.

The watch, which is still missing, was given to her by an aunt and lost three days ago in the village of Marsascala.

Complete the following sentences about the text. (6 marks)

10. Jill was on holiday in ____________________________.
11. Jill is from ____________________________.
12. She lost a watch ____________________________ ago.
13. It was a present from ____________________________.
14. She found a gold ring at ____________________________.
15. She took it to ____________________________.

II. Use of English Section (30 marks)

Fill in the gaps with the correct word/phrases for these activities. (3 marks)

Example: go on holiday

16. go ____________________
17. go ____________________
18. go ____________________
19. go ____________________
20. go ____________________
21. go ____________________

Fill in the gaps with the comparative form of these adjectives. (6 marks)

bad hot expensive crowded old small

22. Salinas is ___________ than London.
23. The holiday in Phuket is ___________ than the one in Bangkok. Bangkok is only €1240.
24. The weather in the UK is ___________ in summer than in winter.
25. My sister is five years ___________ than me.
26. The shops are usually ___________ on Saturdays than on Mondays.
27. My exam grade is ___________ than last term's. This time I only got 50 points!

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Which word is the odd one out? (3 marks)
Example: January June Tuesday March

28. trainers trousers boots shoes
29. went hated like lost
30. plane car boat foot
31. meat cheese bread wine
32. newspaper butcher's bookshop chemist's
33. comedies thrillers reggae cartoons

Read about William Shakespeare. Fill in the gaps with the correct form of these verbs. (9 marks)

be born get live go be (x 2) become marry write leave

A     When was William Shakespeare born?
B     In April 1564.
A     Where (39) ________ his parents ________?
B     In a town called Stratford-upon-Avon.
A     Where (40) ________ Shakespeare ________ to school?
B     In Stratford. He (41) ________ a very good student.
A     Who (42) ________ he ________?
B     Anne Hathaway. They (43) ________ married in 1582.
A     (44) ________ he happy in Stratford?
B     No, he wasn’t. He (45) ________ Stratford and went to London. He (46) ________ an actor and a writer, and he (47) ________ 37 plays.

Complete the conversation with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Simple or the Present Continuous. (5 marks)

DAN What (34) ________ you ________ (do)?
ANN I (35) ________ (make) a pizza for lunch.
DAN Great! What (36) ________ Mum ________ (do)?
ANN She’s in town.
DAN Really? But she (37) ________ usually ________ (not go) shopping on Saturday.
ANN No, but she (38) ________ (buy) a special present for someone today.

Choose the correct word in these questions. (4 marks)
Example: When was/were/did the Beatles make their first record?

48. Why was/were/did you late for class yesterday?
49. Which instrument do/does/was your sister play?
50. Was/Were/Did you born in this country?
51. What car did/has/have your father got?
52. How many people are/is/are there at the conference?
53. Which country do/is/are your parents come from?
54. Do/Does/Are Mark and Laura have any money?
55. What time did/was/do you get up yesterday?

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III. Listening practice (10 marks)

Listen to eight conversations in a shop. Choose the best answers.

One
56. The man wants to buy ...
   a. a hat       b. a pair of socks       c. pants       d. a pollo shirt

Two
57. They are looking at ...
   a. a cooker    b. a coffee table     c. a fridge     d. a table

58. It costs ...
   a. a hundred dollars   b. two thousand dollars   c. five hundred dollars   d. a thousand dollars

Three
59. The girls are looking at ...
   a. a pink dress      b. some red shoes     c. green trousers   d. a red dress

Four
60. The shoes are size ...
   a. 5                 b. 6                 c. 7                 d. 8

Five
61. They are looking at ...
   a. a jacket          b. a jumper        c. jeans        d. a suit

Six
62. The girl thinks the scarf is ...
   a. very big          b. very small      c. very interesting   d. the wrong colour

Seven
63. The woman loves _________ of the sofa.
   a. the material      b. the colour       c. the price     d. the cushions

64. The woman thinks the price is ...
   a. terrible         b. bad              c. expensive     d. very good

Eight
65. The girls decide ...
   a. to buy the earrings        b. to visit a different shop
   c. not to buy the earrings    d. to call a shop assistant

IV. Writing Section (10 marks)

Question One: Write about your childhood. Where were you born? What did you do when you were a child? (5 marks)

Question Two: Describe the Galapagos Islands. What can a tourist do there? (5 marks)

V. Oral (15 marks)

VI. Homework and tests (20 marks)