Q3) Vocabulary and Punctuation: (20 Marks) A) Match the words with their definitions: (Choose 5 only)	(5M.)
(engine, fashion designer, documentary, clumsy, famous, crops)	
1. Always having silly accidents.	
2. Well known.	
3. It makes cars, boats and planes move.	
4. Rice and wheat, for example.	
5. Someone who designs and makes clothes.	
6. It gives information about one subject.	(536)
B) Match the verbs in List A with the nouns in List B to make sentences: (5 only)	(5 M.)
List A: 1. do 2. watch 3. score 4. kick 5. put out 6. write	
List B: a. a goal b. fires c. gymnastics d. a letter e. TV. f. a b	
C) Complete the sentences with the words in the box: (5 only)	(5 M.)
(oil, next to, free, technology, bakery officer)	
1. Are you . Lite. on Thursday?	
2. She asked him to go to the to buy some bread.	
3. Libya's main product is	
4. You can get advice on a good job from a careers	
5. Schools in the future will have more	
6. My house is the park.	
D) Punctuation:	
Re - write the sentence below using correct capital letters and punctuation marks.	(5 M.)
did wisam taha arrive in cairo yesterday	
4) Story time and Spelling: (20 Marks)	
A) Storytime: (10 Marks)	
Answer or complete the following sentences: (5 only)	(10 M.
1. Huda and Mariam studied hard at school. (True / False)	
2. What was Kareem's dream?	
3. What did Hamad buy?	
4 knew someone who could bring new plants. (Ayaa / Ayaa's sister)	
5. Karam helped his brothers with their (homework / housework)	
6. Which newspaper ran the competition?	
B) Spelling: (10 Marks)	
Fill in the blanks with the missing words. (Choose 5 only)	(10 M.)
1. leg, legs; story,	
3. Bahrain, Bahraini; Canada,	
J. Dunum, Dunum, Canada, William, Calari, planting, and	
5. he, him; they,	
(25) Written Component: (15 Marks)	
Choose either A or B:	
A) Write about your life.	
B) Write an advert about a product of your choice.	
D) Write an advert about a product of your choice.	

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Note: Answer all the questions,

Reading Comprehension (25 Marks)

Q1) Read the following text carefully.

Mrs. Green was eighty, but she had a small car and she always drove to the shops in it on Saturday and brought her food. She didn't drive fast because she was old. She drove well and never hit anything. Sometimes her grandchildren said to her, "Please don't drive your car, Grandmother. We can take you to the shops." But she always said, "No, I like driving. I've driven for fifty years and I'm not going to stop now. "Last Saturday, she stopped her car at some traffic lights because they were red, and then it did not start again. The lights were green, then yellow, then red, then green again, but her car did not start. "What am I going to do now?" She said. But then a policeman came and said to her kindly, "Good morning. Don't you like any of our colours today?"

A) Now Answer (Five) of the following questions:

(10 M.)

- 1. How did Mrs. Green go to the shops?
- 2. Why did she stop at the traffic-lights?
- 3. When did she go to the shops?
- 4. Was Mrs. Green young?
- 5. Why did she drive slowly?
- 6. Give the passage a suitable title.

B) Describe whether the following sentences are (True) or (False): (Choose 5 only) (5 M.)

- 1. Mrs. Green had a small car.
- 2. She did not drive well.
- 3. She always bought her food on Sunday.
- 4. She has driven for fifty years.
- Mrs. Green's engine did not start.
- 6. Her grandchildren were happy when she drove her car.

C) Answer (Five) of the following questions using the information from your texts book: (10 M.)

- 1. Ibrahim found out about animals from television. (True / False)
- 2. How did Samara's brother get so wet?
- 3. Why haven't too many birds been killed?
- 4. You don't need to think about charging points when you own a Panther. (True / False)
- 5. Where were the first Games held?
- 6. When did the Cevahir Mall open?

Q2) Grammar and Functions.

(20 Marks)

A) Do as required: (Choose 5 only)

(10 M.)

- 1. Cars have airbags. (Give reason use: "be safe in a crash")
- 2. Rawan found the hedgehog. (Re-write in the passive)
- 3. (he / does /? / Where / live). (Put the words in the correct order to make a question)
- 4. She can't sing. She's not (More polite)
- 5-(17:00). (Tell the time)
- 6. The audience stayed very quiet. (negative)

B) Choose the correct choice: (Choose 5 only)

(10 M.)

- 1. Why not (go / going) to the funfair?
- 2. If you (will eat / eat) too many sweets, you will feel ill.
- 3. Can I have (a / an) apple, please?
- 4. She has an (old, ugly, little/ugly, little, old) dog.
- 5. I think this is (quite / really) a cheap bike. What do you think?
- 6. What was Salma (do / doing) before the dog ran at her?