

Computer



Computer is a new automatic and electronic machine that it is used to help man in his work. Van Newman invented it in 1948.

It is one of the most important inventions of this century. It has a screen, a keyboard, a mouse, a headphone, etc. It contains five parts: Input, memory, arithmetic and logic, control and output.

Computer can write, play games, perform music and do drawings, etc. It can store and give information very quickly; it is able to do the work of hundreds of workers in a very short time.

Nowadays, computers are used in different places: Schools, universities, factories, hospitals and other public services and even at home; they make our life easier and better.

PART ONE: (14 PTS.)

Section O1: Reading comprehension. (07 Pts.)

A) Read the text carefully and answer these questions: (03 pts.)

- ① How many paragraphs are there in the text ?
- ② Are there 5 parts in the computer ?
- ③ Where are computers used ?

B) Write (true) or (false). Correct the wrong statement. (02 pts.)

- ① Newman invented the computer 60 years ago.
- ② Computers are able to give and store information.

C) Lexis: (02 pts.)

- ① **Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to: (01 pt.)**
modern = necessary =
- ② **Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to: (01 pt.)**
take ≠ more difficult ≠

Section 02: Mastery of language. (07 Pts.)

Activity 01: Complete the table correctly. (02 pts.)

Words	Opposites
regular	irregular
justice	
ability	
possibility	
definite	

Activity 02: Complete this dialogue using: so / neither. (02 pts.)

Hamza: I have a computer at home.

Ahmed:

Hamza: I cannot use it.

Ahmed:

Activity 03: Reorder the words to get coherent sentences: (03 pts.)

- ① / answer / couldn't / . / He / question / this /
- ② / a / computer / . / need / Perhaps / will / you /
- ③ / able / Are / computer / ? / the / to / use / you /

PART 02: WRITTEN EXPRESSION. (06 Pts.)

Write a paragraph of about 60 to 80 words using the following notes:

- Robots (intelligent + modern) machines.
- They / to appear (America / 1987).
- They / **present ability** : (hear + speak + smell).
- Scientists (**future ability**: to invent) robots (cook + clean + teach + ...)
- They (**future possibility**: to invent) robot mechanics.



(*The correction of the first English examination*)

PART ONE: (14 PTS.)

Section 01: Reading comprehension. (07 Pts.)

A)

- ① There are 5 paragraphs in the text . ✓ ①
- ② Yes, there are . ✓ ①
- ③ Computers are used in different places: Schools, universities, factories, hospitals and other public services and even at home . ✓ ①

B)

- ① Newman invented the computer 60 years ago. (true) ✓ ①
- ② Computers are able to give and store information. (true) ✓ ①

C) Lexis:

① **Synonyms:**

modern = **new** ✓ (0.5) necessary = **important** ✓ (0.5)

② **Opposites:**

take ≠ **give** ✓ (0.5) more difficult ≠ **easier** ✓ (0.5)

Section 02: Mastery of language. (07 Pts.)

Activity 01:

Words	Opposites
regular	irregular
polite	impolite
capable	incapable
justice	injustice
agree	disagree

(0.5)
(0.5)
(0.5)
(0.5)

Activity 02:

Fatima: So have I. ✓ ①

Fatima: Neithe can I. ✓ ①

Activity 03:

- ① He couldn't answer this question . ✓ ①
- ② Perhaps you will need a computer . ✓ ①
- ③ Are you able to use the computer ? ✓ ①

PART 02: WRITTEN EXPRESSION. (06 Pts.)

Robots **are** intelligent **and** modern machines. They appeared **in** America **in** 1987. They **can** hear, speak **and** smell. Scientists **will be able** to invent robots **that** cook , clean, teach , **etc.** They **may** to invent robot mechanics.