

**Level: 3MS** **February 2025**

**Second Term English Test**

Class : Name : ..... ...../20

**Text:**

**An Algerian Researcher**

Yasmine Belkaid is an Algerian researcher. She was born in 1968, in Algiers where she was raised and did her primary, middle and secondary studies. In 1986, she passed the baccalaureate with an excellent grade and joined Bab Ezzouar University. There she got the Bachelor's and the Master's degree in Biochemistry in 1990 and 1993. Three years later, she got a PhD from Pasteur Institute (France), in which her research focused on Leshmania infections.

Following graduate school, Yasmine Belkaid moved to the United States for a postdoctoral at NIAID's Laboratory. In 2008, she became adjunct Professor at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Belkaid is best known for her work on Microbiome and its role in inflammatory diseases. She won several awards such as :Lurie Prize in 2019.

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**A) Reading Comprehension : (7pts)**

**Activity one:** Read the text and complete the following ID :

Full name:.....  
 Date and place of birth:.....  
 Nationality:.....  
 Degree:.....  
 job:.....  
 Award:.....

**Activity two:** Read the text again then complete the following table :

Dates	Events
.....	Yasmine Belkaid 's birth day.
1986	.....
.....	She became adjunct Professor of Pathology.
2019	.....

**Activity three:** A) Find in the text the synonyms of the following words:

scientist= ..... award = .....

B) Find in the text the opposite of the following words

died ≠ ..... unknown ≠.....

**Mastery of language: (7pts)**

**Activity 1: Use " who" or "which" to complete the following sentences :**

- 1) A cell phone is a device.....is used to communicate.
- 2) Abbas Ibn Fernas was the first man .....made several attempts to construct a flying machine.
- 3) Marie curie was the first scientist .....discovered the radium.

**Activity 2: Put the verbs between brackets in the past simple.**

Ibn Al -haithem was a famous physicist. He (to be)..... born in 965 in El basra.

He (to study).....there ,then he (to travel).....to Egypt.

**Activity 3 :. Classify these words according to the pronunciation of their final "ed":**

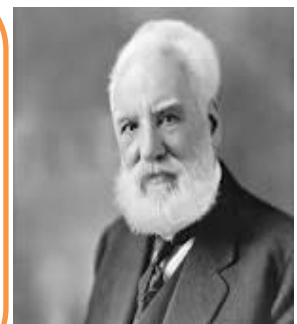
(worked- discovered- joined - invented)

/t/	/d/	/id/
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**Activity 4: Fill in the gaps using the following words to complete Alexander Graham Bell's biography.**

Died / held / invented / was born / inventor / 1876

Alexander Graham Bell was a Scottish American scientist and .....He .....in 1847 in Scotland.  
Graham bell .....the first working telephone in .....He .....18 patents in his name alone and 12 patents in association with other inventors. Graham Bell .....in 1922 .



Good luck

## Correction

### A) Reading Comprehension : (7pts)

**Activity one:** Read the text and complete the following ID

Full name: **Yasmine belkaid**  
Date and place of birth: **in 1968 ,Algiers**  
Nationality: **Algerian**  
Degree: **Bachelor's and Master's degree in biochemistry**  
Job : **researcher**  
Award: **Lurie Prize in 2019**

**Activity two:** Read the text again then complete the following table :

Dates	Events
<b>1968</b>	Yasmine Belkaid 's birth day.
<b>1986</b>	<b>She passed the baccalaureate</b>
<b>2008</b>	She became adjunct Professor of Pathology.
<b>2019</b>	<b>She won the Lurie Prize</b>

**Activity three:** A) Find in the text the synonyms of the following words:

scientist= **inventor**

award = **prize**

B) Find in the text the opposite of the following words:

died≠ **was born**

unknown ≠ **known**

### Mastery of language: (7pts)

**Activity 1:** Use " **who**" or " **which**" to complete the following sentences :

1) A cell phone is a device **which** is used to communicate.

2) Abbas Ibn Fernas was the first man **who** made several attempts to construct a flying machine.

3) Marie curie was the first scientist **who** discovered the radium.

**Activity 2:** Put the verbs between bracket into past simple

Ibn Al -haithem was a famous physicist. He **was** born in 965 in El basra.

He **studied** there ,then he **travelled** to Egypt.

**Activity 3 :** Classify these words according to the pronunciations of their final ed

/t/	/d/	/id/
<b>worked</b>	<b>Discovered-joined</b>	<b>invented</b>

Activity 4: Fill in the gaps using the following words to complete Alexander Graham Bell biography.

Died -held-invented -was born-inventor-1876

Alexander Graham Bell was a Scottish American scientist and **inventor**. He **was born** in 1847 in Scotland. Graham bell **invented** the first working telephone in **1876**. He **held** 18 patents in his name alone and 12 patents in association with other inventors. Graham Bell **died** in 1922 .

