

Name: .....  
Teacher: .....

## FIRST TERM ENGLISH TEST

Level: 3MS

### Text:

Dear Algerian friends,

My name is Salah Aljaafarawi. I was a Palestinian journalist from Gaza City. I was only 29 years old. Since my childhood, I dreamed of showing the truth of our life in Gaza to the world. Every day, I used my camera to report what was really happening during the attacks on our people.



Life in Gaza was never easy. We lived under constant danger and fear, but I never gave up. I was brave, kind, and honest. I loved helping children and telling their stories to the world. I was also interested in photography and journalism.

I could speak Arabic and English, and I was learning Turkish. I loved my work, but I hated the war and violence around us. Sadly, I lost my life while doing my duty — filming the suffering of my people. I hope that one day, Palestine will be free.

Yours truly,  
Salah Aljaafarawi.

### PART ONE:

#### READING COMPREHENSION:

Activity One: Read the text carefully and choose a, b, c, or d. (3 pts)

1 - Salah Aljaafarawi was interested in ...

|                               |                        |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|
| a) painting and singing       | b) reading and cooking |
| c) photography and journalism | d) swimming and travel |

2 - He could ...

|                             |                          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| a) speak only Arabic        | b) speak three languages |
| c) speak Arabic and English | d) write in Hebrew       |

3 - He was ...

|            |            |
|------------|------------|
| a) lazy    | b) brave   |
| c) nervous | d) selfish |

Activity Two: Read the text again and answer the questions. (2 pts)

1 - What was Salah's job? .....

2 - Did he give up his dream? .....

Activity Three: Match the opposites. (2 pts)

| Word      | Opposite |
|-----------|----------|
| Cruel     | Safe     |
| Dangerous | Brave    |
| Dishonest | Kind     |
| Coward    | Honest   |

## MASTERY OF LANGUAGE

### Activity One: Spot the mistakes and correct them. (2 pts)

1 - He was interest in photography. ....

2 - I can speaks English fluently. ....

### Activity Two: Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets. (3 pts)

Salah (to work) \_\_\_\_\_ as a journalist in Gaza. He (to love) \_\_\_\_\_ taking pictures of people's lives. He always (to tell) \_\_\_\_\_ the truth.

### Activity Three: Tick the correct pronunciation of "can" in the following sentences. (2 pts)

| Sentence                  | /kən/                    | /kæn/                    |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| A: Can you speak English? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| B: Yes, I can.            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| A: Can you speak Turkish? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| B: No, I can't.           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

## PART TWO: SITUATION OF INTEGRATION (6 PTS)

Your Palestinian friend wants to know more about you. Answer his questions about yourself and your life.

1 - What are you interested in?  
.....

2 - What do you dislike in your life?  
.....

3 - How often do you watch or read the news?  
.....

4 - What can you do in your free time?  
.....

5 - Can you use a camera or take photos?  
.....

6 - How would you describe your personality?  
.....

**FROM THE RIVER TO THE SEA, PALESTINE WILL BE FREE**



# CORRECTION

## READING COMPREHENSION:

Activity One: Read the text carefully and choose a, b, c, or d. (3 pts)

1 - Salah Aljaafarawi was interested in ...

c) photography and journalism

2 - He could ...

c) speak Arabic and English

3 - He was ...

b) brave

Activity Two: Read the text again and answer the questions. (2 pts)

1 - He was a journalist.

2 - No, he didn't give up his dream.

Activity Three: Match the opposites. (2 pts)

| Name      | Opposite |
|-----------|----------|
| Cruel     | Safe     |
| Dangerous | Brave    |
| Dishonest | Kind     |
| Coward    | Honest   |

## MASTERY OF LANGUAGE

Activity One: Spot the mistakes and correct them. (2 pts)

1 - He was **interest** in photography. He was **interested** in photography.

2 - I can **speaks** English fluently. I can **speak** English fluently.

Activity Two: Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets. (3 pts)

Salah **worked** as a journalist in Gaza. He **loved** taking pictures of people's lives. He always **told** the truth.

Activity Three: Tick the correct pronunciation of "can" in the following sentences. (2 pts)

| Sentence                  | /kən/                               | /kæn/                               |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| A: Can you speak English? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| B: Yes, I can.            | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| A: Can you speak Turkish? | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>            |
| B: No, I can't.           | <input type="checkbox"/>            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |

