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Kertas ini mengandungi **DUA PULUH LAPAN (28)** halaman bercetak.

Bahagian A: Objektif (35 soalan)

Bahagian B: Struktur (4 soalan)

Bahagian C: Esei (1 soalan)

Dokumen sokongan yang disertakan : Borang OMR

JANGAN BUKA KERTAS SOALAN INI SEHINGGA DIARAHKAN

(CLO yang tertera hanya sebagai rujukan)

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SECTION A: 45 MARKS
BAHAGIAN A: 45 MARKAH

INSTRUCTION:

This section consists of **THIRTY FIVE (35)** objective questions. **Mark** your answers in the **OMR form** provided.

ARAHAN:

*Bahagian ini mengandungi **TIGA PULUH LIMA (35)** soalan objektif. **Tandakan** jawapan anda di dalam **borang OMR** yang disediakan.*

For question 1 to 2, select the main idea in the following passages.

There are gender differences in adolescents' satisfaction with their bodies. Girls are usually less happy with their bodies. As puberty continues, girls often become even more dissatisfied with their bodies. This is probably because their body fat increases. In contrast, boys become more satisfied as they move through puberty, probably because their muscle mass increases.

(adapted from <http://highered.mheducation.com/sites>)

CLO1
C1

1. Where can you find the main idea in the passage above?
 - A. Girls are usually less happy with their bodies.
 - B. This is probably because their body fat increases.
 - C. There are gender differences in adolescents' satisfaction with their bodies.
 - D. In contrast, boys become more satisfied as they move through puberty probably because their muscle mass increases.

[1 mark]

Many factors influence the absorption of alcohol in the body. Strength of beverage is certainly one of these factors. Another is the number of drinks consumed. The speed of consumption is also important. If drank rapidly, even a few drinks will result in a large concentration that will lead to high blood alcohol level. In addition, the presence of food and the drinker's individual body chemistry play a role.

(adapted from D. Hahn and W. Payne, Focus on Health)

CLO1
C1

2. Where can you find the main idea in the passage above?
- A. Another is the number of drinks consumed.
 - B. The speed of consumption is also important.
 - C. Many factors influence the absorption of alcohol in the body.
 - D. In addition, the presence of food and the drinker's individual body chemistry play a role.

[1 mark]

For question 3 read the paragraph and choose the sentence that best states the implied main idea.

The cold and flu season typically occurs during the fall and winter. According to the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases, one billion colds occur in the United States each year with the majority of them are children. To prevent colds, wash your hands frequently. Another technique is to avoid touching one's eyes and nose. Cleaning household surfaces with disinfectants can also help reduce the spread of infection. However, avoiding people with colds is equally important.

(adapted from <https://dscweb.daltonstate.edu/writing-lab>)

CLO1
C2

3. What is the main idea in the passage above?
- A. Colds are difficult to prevent.
 - B. The majority of patients are children.
 - C. The cold and flu season typically occurs during the fall and winter.
 - D. There are several effective prevention techniques individuals can use to avoid the flu or a cold.

[2 marks]

For question 4 to 5, select the supporting ideas from the following passages.

There are a number of activities that can be used to enhance your emotional growth. First, you can keep a daily journal. Writing down thoughts is an effective way of achieving better self-understanding. Second, you can join a support group. Sharing experiences creates an environment that will support your efforts to grow as a more interesting person. You can also take a confidence training course. Last, seek counselling.

(adapted from D. Hahn and W. Payne, Focus on Health)

CLO1
C1

4. Which of these are the supporting details in the paragraph?
- I. First, you can keep a daily journal.
 - II. You can also take a confidence training course.
 - III. Writing down thoughts is an effective way of achieving better self-understanding.
 - IV. There are a number of activities that can be used to enhance your emotional growth.
- A. I, II & III
 - B. I, II & IV
 - C. II, III & IV
 - D. I, III & IV

[1 mark]

Many diseases are silent killers as they do not show any symptoms in its early stage. There are a number of diseases that are known as "silent killers" and one of them are hypertension or "high blood pressure". The danger from hypertension is the extra load on the heart, leading to complications such as hypertensive heart disease. Diabetes is also known as silent killer in the in the medical community. Diabetes doesn't kill you suddenly, but high blood sugars gradually damage all the blood vessels throughout the body, sometimes for years before you get diagnosed. High cholesterol is reasonably well known as a killer. Having high cholesterol is a major risk factor for heart disease.

(adapted from: <http://www.rightdiagnosis.com/disease/symptoms.htm>)

CLO1
C1

5. Which of these are the supporting details in the passage?
- I. High cholesterol is reasonably well known as a killer.
 - II. Diabetes is also known as silent killer in the in the medical community.
 - III. Many diseases are silent killers as they do not show any symptoms in its early stage.
 - IV. There are a number of diseases that are known as "silent killers" and one of them are hypertension or "high blood pressure".
- A. I, II & III
 - B. I, II & IV
 - C. II, III & IV
 - D. I, III & IV

[1 mark]

Breakfast restores glucose levels, an essential carbohydrate that is needed for the brain to function. Many studies have shown that eating breakfast can improve memory and concentration levels, can also make us happier as it improves mood and lower stress levels. Breakfast can be good for waistline too. Research shows those who eat breakfast are less likely to be overweight and more likely to be within their ideal weight range compared with breakfast skippers. If you skip breakfast, you're more likely to reach for high sugar and fatty snacks mid-morning. Thus breakfast provides many benefits to our health and wellbeing.

(adapted from <http://www.shakeupyourwakeup.com/why-is-breakfast-important>)

CLO1
C1

6. Which of these are supporting details in the passage?

- I. Breakfast can be good for waistline too.
- II. Thus breakfast provides many benefits to our health and wellbeing.
- III. Breakfast restores glucose levels, an essential carbohydrate that is needed for the brain to function.
- IV. Many studies have shown that eating breakfast can improve memory and concentration levels, can also make us happier as it improves mood and lower stress levels.

- A. I, II & III
- B. I, II & IV
- C. II, III & IV
- D. I, III & IV

[1 mark]

Read the sentence below. Find the meaning of the underline word.

If she would just get out and jog, she might cancel out the bad effects of a sedentary job.

CLO1
C2

7. What does **sedentary** mean?

- A. Happy
- B. Boring
- C. Inactive
- D. Stressful

[2 marks]

Question 8 to 10 are based on the passage below. What do the underlined words refer to?

Tips to Prevent Heart Disease

There are several ways to prevent heart disease. First, you should not smoke. Smoking restricts the circulation of blood particularly to your heart. It can also increase blood pressure and can cause irregular heartbeats. Second, reduce the caffeine intake. Beverages such as coffee, tea and chocolate contain caffeine. They should be taken in moderation. Limit yourself to two cups of coffee a day. Third, you should strive to eat a healthy diet. Eat a diet high in fresh fruit and vegetables. They contain fibres and lots of vitamins. Reduce the intake of red meat or diets high in animal fat. These could cause the hardening and clog your arteries. However you can supplement your diet with good fats such as fish oil and evening primrose oil. These oils provide essential fatty acids that can protect against the development of heart disease. Stress can also cause heart disease. You should take up a hobby and make time for yourself. Exercise regularly about 15 to 20 minutes helps you to relax and it is a great way to manage stress. Try and maintain the correct body weight. Being overweight reduces your fitness and increases the load on your heart.

Adapted from: http://www.englishdaily626.com/reading_comprehension.php?013

CLO1
C1

8. What does *it* refer to?
- A. Smoking.
 - B. Heart disease.
 - C. Blood pressure.
 - D. Blood circulation.

[1 mark]

CLO1
C1

9. What does *they* refer to?
- A. Fibres.
 - B. Beverages.
 - C. A healthy diet.
 - D. Fresh fruits and vegetable.

[1 mark]

CLO1
C1

10. What does *these* refer to?
- A. Fatty acids.
 - B. Heart disease.
 - C. Fresh fruits and vegetable.
 - D. Fish and evening primrose oil.

[1 mark]

Questions 11-13 are based on the given passage.

Tenerife: A Must Go Destination

Tenerife, the largest of the Canary Islands, is situated in the Atlantic Ocean, close to the coast of Africa. The island enjoys spring weather all year round, with average temperatures of 20 degrees in winter and 25 in the summer. Tenerife is the ideal place to enjoy the seaside or to practise all sorts of outdoor activities, both in the sea and on land. Tenerife has much to offer culturally and commercially: a permanent calendar of exhibitions, music and theatre, as well as the best shops and shopping centres. For nightlife, there are atmospheres to suit every taste. And don't forget to enjoy the delicious fish and seafood in Tenerife's typical restaurants!"

CLO2
C1

11. Tenerife is _____.

- A. a state
- B. a coast
- C. an island
- D. a country

[1 mark]

CLO2
C1

12. What is the weather like in Tenerife?

- A. Very hot
- B. Very cold
- C. Not hot and not cold
- D. Not stated

[1 mark]

CLO2
C1

13. Which of the following statement is correct?

- A. There is no nightlife at the island.
- B. There is nothing to do at the island.
- C. There is always something to do at the island.
- D. There is not much to do except go to the beach.

[1 mark]

Questions 14-20 are based on the passage given.

4D/3N WONDERS OF BALI

Day 1: ARRIVE BALI

- Welcome to Bali, a land of enchantment, with its spectacular scenery and rich culture heritage, full of dramatic volcanoes with jungle-shrouded river gorges leading to beaches. This island of mystery has many exotic surprises for you to experience. Meet your local guide to take you on to the guided sight, which includes:
 - **Pura Luhur Uluwatu**, sits 600 feet above the sea level on the Bukit Peninsula.
 - Early evening Kechak Dance performance.
 - Later, check-in to your hotel.
 - Grill Seafood Dining served at Bawang Merah Restaurant in **Jimbaran Bay**.

Day 2: BALI – UBUD – TAMPAKSIRING – KINTAMANI HIGHLAND – ROYAL PALACE

- Today, you will be visiting:
 - **Celuk Village** home to Gold & Silver smith; **Mas Village** center of woodcarving craftsmen
 - **Ubud village** is the artist colony and famous for the traditional painting
 - **Tampaksiring**, the site of Tirta Empul Temple dating from 17th century
 - **Coffee Plantation** to see the coffee plantation and coffee processing
 - **Kintamani**, viewing the fascinating sights of the Batur Volcano and its lake
 - **Royal Palace** with afternoon Authentic Balinese High Tea.

Day 3: BALI – MENGWI - BEDUGUL HIGHLAND – TANAH LOT

- Enjoy drive through the stunning scenery in the northern part of Bali. Journey through the lush and green countryside and the winding mountain road of the Island, includes:
 - **Mengwi Village**, visit the former Royal Family Temple dating back to the 17th century
 - **Candikuning Traditional Market**, where fresh fruits & Vegetables are display on sale
 - **Bedugul**, great natural beauty with focus point of the area centres on the Crater Lake Bratan (Beratan) as the main lake with its water temple **Pura Ulun Danu Bratan**.
 - **Tanah Lot**, the pilgrimage holy Sea Temple, is claimed to be the work of a 15th century priest name Nirartha
 - **Hard Rock Cafe Bali**, simply sit back and relax to the sound of pipe-in Music, redeem your WOW Bali's HRC Rock 'n Dining Voucher for a main course selection and a glass of soft drink.
- Lunch served at DeDanau Lake View Restaurant in **Bedugul**.

Day 4: DEPART BALI (Breakfast)

- After breakfast, free at own leisure until transferred to the airport for your flight back home.

CLO2
C1

14. When day will you be able to visit artist colony and their famous traditional painting?

- A. Day 1
- B. Day 2
- C. Day 3
- D. Day 4

[1 mark]

CLO2
C1

15. When will you be able to see Kechak dance performance?

- A. Day 1
- B. Day 2
- C. Day 3
- D. Day 4

[1 mark]

CLO2
C1

16. When will you be able to drink authentic Balinese high tea?

- A. Day 1
- B. Day 2
- C. Day 3
- D. Day 4

[1 mark]

CLO2
C217. The phrase *fascinating sights* can be replaced with _____.

- A. sunset
- B. horrible
- C. greenish
- D. attractive

[2 marks]

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CLO2
C1

18. The pilgrimage Holy Sea Temple is located at _____.

- A. Tanah Lot
- B. Kintamani
- C. Mengwi Village
- D. Pura Luhur Uluwatu

[1 mark]

CLO2
C219. Which of the following statement is **TRUE**?

- A. On the first day, the visitors will have dinner at Hard Rock Café Bali
- B. Pura Luhur Uluwatu is located at 600 feet above sea level on Bukit Peninsula.
- C. At Candikuning Traditional Market, the visitors can buy traditional painting.
- D. Visitors can visit the former royal family temple dating back to the 17th century at Tampaksiring.

[2 marks]

CLO2
C2

20. What would most probably tourist bring back home after visiting Bali?

- I. Woodcarving handicrafts
- II. Traditional painting
- III. Fresh fruits and vegetables
- IV. Balinese coffee and tea

- A. I, II & III
- B. I, II & IV
- C. II, III & IV
- D. I, III & IV

[2 marks]

Question 21 to 24 are based on the passage below. Choose the best answer from the options A, B, C and D.

Newspapers are an essential part of our daily lives. Together with radio and television, newspaper form the chief means of relaying information to the public. Radio and television can only provide (21) _____ of the daily news, whereas newspapers can give news in greater detail together with photographs which make news more interesting.

Many advertisements appear in newspapers. These advertisements tell readers about the goods which are on sale to public. They also advertise services such as banking, insurance, travel and so on. Readers therefore come to know of these (22) _____ and can compare what each advertisement offers. The advertisements also make the price of the newspapers lower since advertisers pay large sums of money to advertise their products or services.

Newspapers also serve another useful purpose. Firms can advertise employment vacancies through classified advertisements column in newspapers. The (23) _____ of newspapers ensures vacancies filled and the (24) _____. Under classified advertisements the public can announce marriages and births, accommodation vacant, things for sale, lost-and-found, and many others.

We rely on newspapers each day to give us the news, information and knowledge that we need to keep our minds aware of events around us. No other mass media, not even radio, can take the place of newspapers in providing us with information on current events.

Adapted from: http://www.englishdaily626.com/rational_cloze.php?196

CLO3
C1

21. A. up-to-date news
B. long-winded stories
C. brief summaries
D. past histories

[1 mark]

CLO3
C1

22. A. gimmicks
B. offers and sales
C. goods and services
D. merchandise and wares

[1 mark]

CLO3
C1

23. A. high sales
B. good demand
C. wide promotion
D. large circulation

[1 mark]

CLO3
C1

24. A. unemployed jobs
B. job market is good
C. unemployment rate remains low
D. employed can get better paying jobs

[1 mark]

Question 25 to 27 are based on three newspaper headlines. Interpret the meaning of these headlines. Choose the best answer from the options A, B, C and D.

STUDENTS COOK & SERVE GRANDPARENTS

- The Daily Star StarStartScotsman Today

CLO3
C2

25. A. Grandparents were the meal of the day.
B. Students cooked and ate their grandparents.
C. Students cooked and served food for their grandparents.
D. Grandparents cooked and served food for students at school.

[2 marks]

TESCO SET TO AXE 10,000 PEOPLE

- The Scotsman

CLO3
C2

26. A. Tesco company plans to kill 10,000 people.
B. Tesco company plans to cut jobs of 10,000 people.
C. Tesco company plans to hold a protest for 10,000 people.
D. Tesco company plans to relocate 10,000 people to new jobs.

[2 marks]

QUESTION MAN IN BANKING ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES

- The Daily Times

CLO3
C2

27. A. Police is questioning a banking illegal activities.
B. A bank employee involved in banking illegal activities.
C. Police is questioning a man involved in banking illegal activities.
D. A man questions why he is involved in banking illegal activities.

[2 marks]

Questions 28-35 are based on the passage given. Answer the questions that follow.

The iPhone 6s and iPhone 6s Plus were unveiled on 9 September 2015 and were released shortly after, and prior to that the iPhone 6 and 6 Plus also launched on 9 September in 2014, so it's quite possible that the iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 Plus will launch on 9 September 2016. The only flaw in that theory is that the 9 September will fall on a Friday in 2016, and Apple tends to host its events on Tuesdays or Wednesdays, so a more likely suggestion would be 6 September or 13 September.

We're expecting Apple to keep the pricing for its iPhones the same when it launches new models next year. For the past two iPhone releases, Apple has kept pricing the same, which would mean the iPhone 7 Plus will be priced at £619 for the 16GB model, £699 for the 64GB model and £789 for the 128GB model.

Apple's iPhone cycle tends to follow a 'tick' and 'tock' sort of model, with the tick being the main iPhone update such as the iPhone 6, which generally looks quite different from the previous model, and then the secondary iPhone update such as the iPhone 6s, which looks almost identical to the iPhone 6 but has some big spec changes.

That's why we think the iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 Plus will look quite different from the current iPhone 6s and iPhone 6s Plus design. We think it'll still come in Silver, Gold, Space Grey and Rose Gold colour options, but we might see some other changes when it comes to the overall look and feel of the phone.

Apple could well decide to bump the screen size up from 5.5 inches on the iPhone 6s Plus to 5.7 inches on the iPhone 7 Plus, with the smaller model bumping up from 4.7 inches to 5 inches, but rather than increasing the overall size of the phone itself, we expect Apple will aim to increase the screen-to-body ratio. This could be achieved by an edge-to-edge screen, perhaps, something that's been rumoured to be in the works at Apple for a while now and Apple has actually patented. Apple called the technology "Sidewall displays" and describes how parts of the display would be on the side of the phone a lot like the Galaxy Note Edge, S6 Edge and S6 Edge Plus.

The iPhone 7 Plus may also be thinner thanks to a new headphone jack that's rumoured to be coming with the next iPhone. According to Apple Insider, Apple has patented a new, slimmer headphone jack technology called D Jack, which has a diameter of just 2mm to allow the iPhone to be thinner overall.

Taken from: <http://www.pcadvisor.co.uk/new-product/apple/iphone-7-plus-release-date-price-specs-uk-2016-3612862/>

CLO4
C1

28. At the moment, which is the latest model of the Apple smartphone?

- A. iPhone 6s Plus
- B. iPhone 7
- C. iPhone 7 Plus
- D. iPhone 8

[1 mark]

CLO4
C1

29. What is the possible launching date of iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 Plus?

- A. 9 September 2015
- B. 9 September 2016
- C. 6 September 2016
- D. 13 September 2016

[1 mark]

CLO4
C1

30. What is the price of iPhone 7 Plus with 128GB model?

- A. £619
- B. £699
- C. £789
- D. £798

[1 mark]

CLO4
C1

31. What are the colour range of the new iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 plus?

- A. Silver, Gold, Grey and Rose.
- B. Silver, Gold, Space Grey and Rose Gold.
- C. Silver, Midnight Black, Space Grey and Rose Gold.
- D. Silver, Champagne Gold, Space Grey and Reddish Gold.

[1 mark]

CLO4
C1

32. What is the diameter of iPhone 7 Plus' headphone jack?

- A. 1 mm.
- B. 2 mm.
- C. 3 mm.
- D. 4 mm.

[1 mark]

CLO4
C1

33. What is the screen size of iPhone 7?

- A. 5.5 inches
- B. 5.7 inches
- C. 5 inches
- D. 4.7 inches

[1 mark]

CLO4
C2

34. What is the difference between iPhone 6 and iPhone 6s?

- A. It is user friendly.
- B. It has bigger spec.
- C. It is in different colour.
- D. It is in larger screen size.

[2 marks]

CLO4
C235. Which of the following statement is **TRUE**?

- A. The price of iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 Plus models is as same as previous iPhone 6 and iPhone 6 Plus models.
- B. Apple will be using Sideway Display technology in its iPhone 7 and iPhone 7 Plus models.
- C. iPhone 7 plus will have wider screen size and comes with different colours as compared to iPhone 6s.
- D. Apple Sideway Display technology is a lot similar to Samsung Galaxy Note Edge, S6 Edge and S6 Edge Plus.

[2 marks]

SECTION B: 40 MARKS

BAHAGIAN B: 40 MARKAH

INSTRUCTION:

This section consists of **FOUR (4)** structured questions. Answer **ALL** questions.

QUESTION 1

CLO1
C2

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follows.

Good Health

- 1 Most people would agree with the definition of good health as is when you are free from sickness. Despite this, there are many different opinions about how a person can actually have good health. More and more people are taking measures to make sure that they don't get sick in the first place. In this article I will describe a few *common* things that you can do to stay healthy. 1
5
- 2 One of the best things you can do for your body is exercise. Not everyone agrees on exactly how much people should exercise each day. Some people think that doing simple things like cleaning the house are helpful. Other people do heavy exercise everyday such as running or swimming. One thing experts do agree on is that any kind of exercise is good for you. 10
- 3 Besides exercise, having a healthy diet can help promote good health. Beans, grains, fruit and vegetables should be eaten several times each day. Fibre in these food helps your body to digest the food you eat. It also helps to decrease the chance of getting some cancers, heart disease and diabetes. Avoiding foods with a lot of sugar, salt and fat is a good idea. Eating a lot of these kinds of foods can lead to a variety of health problems. The main one being obesity. Obesity means having so much fat on your body that you are risking your health. 15
- 4 We all have some level of stress in our life. Different things cause stress for different people. Money problems, work and personal relationships can all cause stress. The important thing to remember is that you can never completely remove stress from your life. *It* will always be with you. Instead of trying to remove stress, people need to be aware of what causes them stress and find ways to reduce the impact that stress has on their lives. 20
- 5 There are several ways to fight against stress in your life. Exercise and sports are a great way to reduce stress. Other low impact activities like Tai Chi, yoga or taking a walk also help reduce stress. Listening to relaxing music might also help. Calm music has a positive effect on the brain and body, can lower blood pressure, and reduce cortisol, a hormone linked to stress. Take a break to call a friend or family members and talk about your problems. This might relieve some of your stress. Changing the way you think can also reduce stress. Try living for now, and don't worry about the future. 25
30
- 6 The things I've just mentioned are only some of the ways that people can have good health. Doing these simple things can help you to have a better life now and will lead to a longer and happier life in the future.

Adapted from: http://eslreadinglessons.com/good_health.htm

a) What is the main idea of the passage?

[2 marks]

b) What is the main idea of paragraph 3?

[2 marks]

c) Identify **TWO (2)** supporting details found in paragraph 5.

- i.

- ii.

[4 marks]

d) What is the meaning of *common* (Line 4)?

[1 mark]

e) What does *it* (Line 21) refer to?

[1 mark]

QUESTION 2

CLO2
C2*Read the following tour guide speech and complete the following task.*

Hello everyone. My name is Luca. On behalf of Suntan Tours I'd like to welcome all of you to Los Cabos. The bus ride to your hotel will take about fifteen minutes. Right now I'd like to take a minute to familiarize you with the area and discuss some brief safety precautions. Firstly, I would like to ask that you remain seated until we reach our destination and that you do not eat or drink while on the bus. Secondly, please realize that it is against the law to get drunk in public. Enjoy your vacation, drink responsibly and please do not drink and drive.

I promise you are going to enjoy your stay here in San Jose, Los Cabos. This is a beautiful, quiet city where you can relax, sit by the beach, enjoy great meals and feel very safe. You can walk into town and enjoy the fountains or take a moonlit walk along the water. Please do not swim here. This is not a safe place to swim because there is a strong undertow. Cabos San Lucas is the place to go if you want to enjoy swimming in the ocean. You can take a short bus ride from your hotel. There you will also enjoy entertainment and dancing.

Suntan tours offers a variety of special discounts depending on your travel plans. We have golf packages, as well as guided whale boat tours, and fishing charters. There will be a short information session at 1pm in the lobby of the hotel tomorrow where you can learn all about these offers. We recommend that you do not purchase packages from street vendors as they are not always 100 percent reliable. They also may charge you more than what they say. Please take my advice and allow Suntan tours to book all of your day trips and activities while you are here.

If you need to exchange your dollars into pesos, please use a bank or money exchange. We don't recommend exchanging your money at the hotel because you won't get a fair rate. Some restaurants will accept American or Canadian money, but you are better off to exchange your money and pay with pesos. Or, if you prefer, you can always use your credit cards. Also, if you want to get around the city, or travel to Cabos San Lucas, we recommend that you take the local bus rather than a taxi. The bus costs about one American dollar, and the driver can give you change if you don't have the exact amount. If you do decide to take a taxi make sure that you negotiate a price before you go.

We're going to be pulling up to the hotel in just a few minutes. Please sit back and enjoy the view of the ocean on the left hand side of the bus as we enter the city. I ask that you remain in your seats until we have come to a complete stop. Javier will be meeting us at the bus to help you with your bags. Please double check to make sure your bag has been taken off the bus. On behalf of Suntan Tours, have a wonderful vacation in San Jose and I hope to see you tomorrow at the information session.

Taken from <https://www.englishclub.com/english-for-work/tour-guide-sample-speech.htm>

Based on the information given, choose the appropriate information and rewrite it in the graphic organizer below.

Travel Agency	Name of Company: (a) _____ Name of Tour Guide: (b) _____ <div style="text-align: right;">[2 marks]</div>
Description of location	San Jose, Los Cabos: (c) _____ _____ Cabos San Lucas: (d) _____ _____ <div style="text-align: right;">[2 marks]</div>
Special Events & Offers	(e) _____ (f) _____ <div style="text-align: right;">[2 marks]</div>
Offering Advice	Packages: (g) _____ _____ Money exchanging: (h) _____ _____ Transportation: (i) _____ _____ <div style="text-align: right;">[3 marks]</div>
Accepted Currency	(j) _____ <div style="text-align: right;">[1 mark]</div>

CLO3
C2**QUESTION 3**

Read the newsletter below carefully and then answer the questions that follow.

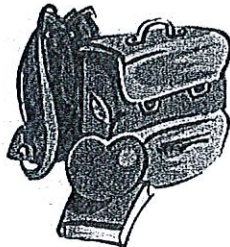
Mrs. Maller's Classroom Newsletter Page 2**This Week's Assignments**

This week in Science we will be studying animals, including dinosaurs and pets, as well as astronomy. Children will be required to complete an in-depth science report on the animal of their choice by next Wednesday morning. Our trip to the zoo on Thursday may inspire some creative choices!

We will also work on geometry problems in Math homework. In Social Studies, we will read a book about the culture of the Inuit people, who used to be called Eskimos.

Reminders to Students

- Bring money for field trip lunch
- Bring umbrella in case it rains
- Think of a costume for Friday's assembly

**Reminders to Parents**

Your child will need the following supplies this year:

1. backpack
2. 3 spiral notebooks
3. 1 box of pencils
4. erasers
5. rulers
6. compass
7. lunch box

This Week's Highlights**Monday**

Today we are learning about dinosaurs.

Tuesday

Today we are learning about pets.

Wednesday

Today we are learning about the solar system.

Thursday

Today we are going on a field trip to the zoo.

Friday

Today we have a special guest from the fire department to tell us about fire safety.

Upcoming Events**Classroom Open House**

Tuesday, September 6, 7:30 P.M.

Ice Cream Social with the Faculty

Friday, September 9, 5 P.M.

School Assembly

This week's school assembly is on storybook characters. Children may dress up like a character on Thursday. (You might want to bring a change of clothes for the rest of the day.) Costumes can be as simple as a hat or a small picture of your character pinned to your shirt. Have fun.

Thank You Students!

Special thanks are due the following students:

Jay Adams for volunteering to clean up after the fall open house.

Karl Henslen for donating her checkers set to recess.

Alan Shen for baking us his grandmother's chocolate chip cookies last week.

Thank you also to **Ms. Brown** for bringing in the travel posters to decorate for open house.

Taken from <http://www.docstoc.com/docs/156725691/News---Mrs-Mallers-Class>

Answer the following questions based on the newsletter in the previous page.

a) Who are the target readers of this newsletter?

i. _____

ii. _____

[2 marks]

b) What is the purpose of this newsletter?

[1 mark]

c) What are the information do this newsletter provide? (4 marks)

i. _____

ii. _____

iii. _____

iv. _____

[4 marks]

d) Do you think that newsletters are important for parents?

[1 mark]

Why? State **TWO** reasons.

i. _____

ii. _____

[2 marks]

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QUESTION 4

Modern Technology

- 1 Modern technology is changing the way we live our lives. Clever gadgets make everyday activities easier and enable people to use their time effectively. But what impact will this change have in the future and is it really a positive thing? People are busier than ever before. Technological advances mean that things are often possible with the touch of a button. A hundred years ago, however, things were very different. Everyday jobs, like doing the laundry, would take a whole day, and the telephone was a new invention! Nowadays, almost every household has a washing machine and a dishwasher, and there are more than 70 million mobile phones in use in the United Kingdom alone. 1 5
- 2 Research shows that around 28% of children in the UK are overweight or obese. Some people are concerned because young people spend too much time online and not enough time socialising with their friends and playing outside. In the past, nearly all children walked to school because their parents didn't have a car. They didn't have all the luxuries that many children have now, so they used their imaginations and played outdoors in the fresh air. 10 15
- 3 Years ago, when people wanted to stay in touch with their friends and family, they wrote letters. These days, however, E-mail communication and social networking sites, such as Facebook, allow instant, free international communication.
- 4 Online banking and shopping make essential activities possible from the comfort of our own homes. But what effect will this have on town centres and shops? In some towns and cities, many shops are now empty, and a lot of people think this is because more and more people choose to use the Internet for shopping. 20
- 5 There are many benefits of using technology but we need to be responsible in the choices we make. Modern equipment is often very expensive and does not last a long time. It is important to consider how much we really need these things and the impact they have on our health, the environment and society. 25

Adapted from: Taken from: <https://esol.britishcouncil.org/content/teachers/lessons-and-activities/lesson-plans/modern-technology>

- a) Based on the passage above, what are the **TWO (2)** advantages of having modern technology in our lives?

- i. _____

- ii. _____

[3 marks]

b) Based on the passage, what are the **TWO (2)** disadvantages of having modern technology in our lives?

- i. _____

- ii. _____

[3 marks]

c) Identify **TWO (2)** modern technology tools or gadgets that you cannot live without. Explain **ONE (1)** reason why it is important for you.

- i. I cannot live without _____
because _____

- ii. I cannot live without _____
because _____

[4 marks]

SECTION C: 15 MARKS**BAHAGIAN C: 15 MARKAH****INSTRUCTION:**

This section consists of **ONE (1)** essay questions. Answer **ALL** questions.

ARAHAN:

Bahagian ini mengandungi SATU (1) soalan esei. Jawab semua soalan.

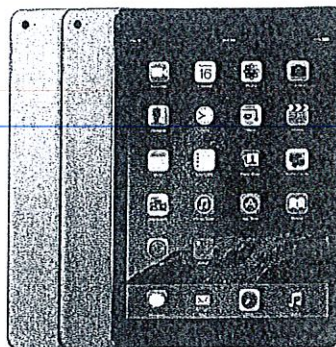
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QUESTION 1**SOALAN 1**

Based on the image below, write a description of the gadget given. In *not more than 200 words*, you need to include:

- The functions of the gadget.
- The features & characteristics of the gadget.
- The advantages and the disadvantages of the gadgets.

You may use the points given in the table below to write your essay.

APPLE IPAD AIR 2 WI-FI

GENERAL		PROS
Dimensions (mm)	: 240.00 x 169.50 x 6.10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brilliant new design • Great for gaming • Best camera on a tablet • Continuity on iOS
Weight (g)	: 437.00	
Removable battery	: No	
Colours	: Silver, Gold, Space Gray	
SAR value	: 1.19	

DISPLAY Screen size (inches) : 9.70 Resolution : 1536x2048 pixels Pixels per inch (PPI) : 264	CONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No multi-window • No split-screen • Maximum volume causes reverberation
HARDWARE Processor : 1.5GHz dual-core Processor make : Apple A8X RAM : 2GB Internal storage : 16GB	CONNECTIVITY Wi-Fi : Yes Wi-Fi standards supported : 802.11 a/ b/ g/ n/ ac GPS : No Bluetooth : Yes, v 4.20 NFC : No Infrared : No USB OTG : No Headphones : 3.5mm FM : No 3G : No 4G/ LTE : No
CAMERA Rear camera : 8-megapixel Flash : No Front camera : 1.2-megapixel	
SOFTWARE Operating System : iOS 8.1	

Source: *NDTVGadgets360.com*