

English Language Unit
Preparatory Year Program
Prince Sattam bin Abdul-Aziz University

Writing Mock Exam

***This is only a mock test. This practice is not the same as the actual exam. ***

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| Name: | | | | | | | | | |
| Student No: | | | | | | | | | |
| Section No: | | | | | | | | | |
| Group No: | | | | | | | | | |
| Instructor's Name: | | | | | | | | | |

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Write your name, student number and section number in English.**
- **Answer all the questions.**
- **Speaking is NOT allowed** during the exam. **Do not ask invigilators for help.**
- All electronic devices including mobile phones and smart watches must be switched off during the test time.
- All class material such as textbooks and class notes must be left outside the exam room.
- **Attempts at cheating or copying other student work will result in disqualification** of your exam result.

Section 1

Choose a, b, c or d for the correct answer.

1. Fahad will _____ to Riyadh after two days.
 - a) goes
 - b) go
 - c) going
 - d) am go

2. I _____ my grandmother next week.
 - a) am going to meet
 - b) are going to meet
 - c) is going to meet
 - d) be going to meet

3. **Faris went to Pizza Hut, he bought a pizza and ate it.** This sentence is a/an _____.
 - a) single action
 - b) repeated action
 - c) series of actions
 - d) interrupted action

4. All people _____ follow traffic rules.
 - a) to ought
 - b) aught to
 - c) oughts to
 - d) ought to

5. Sana looks _____ in her photos.
 - a) prettiest
 - b) prettier
 - c) more pretty
 - d) the prettier

6. The sun _____ every day.
 - a) rise
 - b) rises
 - c) rising
 - d) rose

7. Come and look. This is a/an _____ sentence.
- a) imperative
 - b) supporting
 - c) concluding
 - d) topic
8. Asif _____ a book.
- a) is reading
 - b) to read
 - c) read to
 - d) read
9. While children were playing in the park, it started raining. This sentence is a/an _____.
- a) single action
 - b) repeated action
 - c) interrupted action
 - d) series of actions
10. _____, the children asked Matt to play with them.
- a) Some
 - b) Then
 - c) Hard
 - d) Eventually
11. Which sentence is unrelated?
- ¹ Matt had recently moved. ² One day, he was bored at home and wanted to find something interesting to do. ³ He wanted to have a fun experience! ⁴ His father was a mechanic. ⁵ He knew there were many things to discover in his new town.
- a) sentence 1
 - b) sentence 3
 - c) sentence 2
 - d) sentence 4
12. **Children** is a _____.
- a) singular form of the verb
 - b) singular form of the noun
 - c) plural form of the noun
 - d) plural forms of the verb

Important Note:

- This is a sample exam only.
- Number of questions in the mid exam are **30 (20 marks)**.
- Number of questions in the final exam are **50 (50 marks)**.

All students are required to write **only one paragraph in the mid exam** and **two paragraphs on two different topics in the final exam.**

- * Eighty (**80 words and 8 sentences (8 marks)**) are the limit for each paragraph.
- The topics for paragraph writing are not the same given in the book. They are different.