

## **KEY AND MARKING SCALE**

Accept any appropriate answer not mentioned in this key.

I. COMPREHENSION (15 POINTS)

Testees should not be penalised for spelling or grammar mistakes in the comprehension section.

A. MATCHING SUBTITLES WITH PARAGRAPHS (1.5 pts; 0.5 pt each)

**B.1** (Ghanim's birth) **C.3** (Ghanim's education) **The answer is: A.4** (social media and awards)

B. TRUE / FALSE: (2 pts) (1 pt each: 0.5 pt for the right choice and 0.5 pt for the right justification.

Consider the justification only if the choice is correct. Quotes from the text are acceptable.)

- 1. F. ...she decided to have the child.
- 2. F.... moving around on his hands.

## C. WH QUESTIONS: (3 pts; 1 pt each)

- 1. ...with shoes on his hands instead of his feet.
- 2. ...bullying from his classmates / many schools refused to admit him / difficulty to integrate (accept any two of these) (0.5 pt each)
- 3. for the popularity of his Instagram account.
- D. CHART FILLING: (1.5 pts; 0.5 pt each)

| Figures/dates | What they refer to   |  |
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| 2014          | Ghanim was nominated the Ambassador of Peace.                |  |
| 1.4 M         | The number of subscribers to Ghanim's YouTube channel        |  |
| 2022          | Ghanim won the award of the Social Entrepreneur of the Year. |  |

- E. SENTENCE COMPLETION: (3 pts; 1 pt each) 1.examples of sports Ghanim practises
  - 2. Ghanim's dreams/ambitions.
- 3. tolerance, coexistence and respect. (accept any of these)
- F. WORD MEANING: (2 pts; 1 pt each)
- 1. admit
- 2.renowned
- **G. WORD REFERENCE:** (2 pts; 1 pt each) 1. (all) the people
- 2. Ghanim

- II. LANGUAGE: (15 POINTS)
  - A. GAP FILLING: (2 pts; 0.5 pt each)
- 1. equity 2. global
- 3. backgrounds 4. advances

- B. WORD FORMATION: (1 pt; 0.5pt each)
- 1.elimination
- 2. rapidly

- C. VERB FORM: (2 pts; 0.5pt each) 1. going
- 2.to send 3. had started/started 4.could change
- D. SENTENCE REWRITING: (3 pts; 1 pt each)
- 1... (the) bad weather/the fact that the weather was bad, the plane crashed.
- 2. If I had been notified in advance, I would not have missed my application / would have applied/submitted my application..
- 3.....were fired (by the manager).
- E. GAP FILLING: (3 pts; 1 pt each) 1. who 2. look into 3. Nevertheless
- F. APPROPRIATE RESPONSE: (2 pts; 1 pt each)
  - 2. **a**. (What do you think we should do?) 1. **b**. (Sorry to hear that!)
- G. APPROPRIATE RESPONSES (2 pts; 1pt each) Accept any appropriate response.

## III. WRITING (10 POINTS)

The following criteria should be respected while scoring the writing tasks.

| Scoring criteria                          | Task 1 | Task 2 |
|---|--------|--------|
| Relevance of content to the task          | 2 pts  | 3 pts  |
| Appropriateness and variety of vocabulary | 1 pt   | 2 pts  |
| Grammar and mechanics                     | 1 pt   | 1 pt   |