

<i>Scholastic year :2017/2018</i>	<i>Second term . Second control test. Language /writing</i>	<i>Teacher: Hajer Bouden Pupil's name:----- Number:-----</i>
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**LANGUAGE ( 14 MARKS )**

1-Complete with the words in the box . Be careful there're 2 extra words( 4 marks )



were/ have been / increasingly / while /community / where / disabilities /habitats / residents/ and

Five-year-old Josie Barnabee, of Libertyville, Illinois, and her 3-year-old brother, Ben, have more "honorary" grandparents than they can count. Since they 1----- babies, they've spent one morning a week at Winchester House, a local nursing home, 2-----they exchange hugs, sing songs, play games, and talk with the elderly 3-----.

The Barnabees aren't alone in their commitment to reach out 4----- help others. Parents with young children are 5-----making volunteering a regular part of their routine, whether it's delivering meals to the homebound, planting flowers at a local park, or spending time with people with 6----- . For busy parents who want to spend time with their kids 7-----still contributing to their 8-----, volunteering as a family is an ideal activity.



**2- Circle the right option . ( 4 Marks )**

There's a big bonus to helping others: While it's (clear/ clearly /certain ) good for the person being helped, it's also (benefit / beneficiary / beneficial ) to the helper. Kids who volunteer do better in school and are less likely to try drugs, according to a study conducted by the Corporation for National and Community Service, a federal agency that promotes acts ( of / in / at ) citizenship and responsibility.

The same organization (found /founded /are discovering ) that people who regularly lend a hand tend to be (unhealthy/ healthier / healthiest ) and that these wellness benefits increase if they start (associate / donates /charitable ) work earlier in their life. Research also demonstrates that doing volunteer work that involves personal contact makes people feel better: There's a literal endorphin rush for ( the /a /an ) giver and anyone watching. Plus, it builds ( confidence/ thoughtful / selfish) and self-worth in the right way, by showing kids that their actions matter.



**3- Reinsert the missing parts of the paragraph ( 3 marks )**



At least 7.6 million people, including 3.5 million children, are displaced within Syria and an increasing number are being forced into informal settlements with little access to even basic services. In addition, the UN High Commissioner of Refugees estimates that over 1----- to Turkey, Lebanon, Jordan, Iraq and Egypt.

Children remain the most vulnerable in this crisis. Over 5.6 million children need assistance, including almost 2 million who 2-----in neighboring



countries, many of which are themselves under-resourced and struggling to meet basic needs. Children inside Syria tell us that they feel hopeless.

3-----and families being killed. Their homes are now rubble. They are hungry, often sick. They can't find clean water.4-----Even if their school is still standing, it's probably far too dangerous to attend.5----- children we interviewed say they are considering joining armed groups to make money, or to make them feel safer. Others are engaging in dangerous labor, or 6 ----- support their struggling families.

The missing parts	The answers
a-have sought refuge	1+-----
b-Hospitals are barely functioning	2+-----
c-Without an option of education,	3+-----
d-risk being married off early to help	4+-----
e-3.8 million people have fled Syria	5+-----
f-They have witnessed their friends	6+-----



4-Match the sentences parts to get a coherent paragraph. Watch out ! There's an extra part in B ( 3 marks )

A	B	C
1-Studies show that babies recognize differences	A- interact socially with people of other racial and ethnic groups.	1+-----
2-Even before they can talk to their children,	B- your child to a diverse environment.	2+-----
3-In addition, do your best to expose	C- on how someone looks and more on what they offer.	3+-----
4-It's important for kids to see their parents	D- parents can teach through their actions..	4+-----
5- While it's important to talk about physical differences	E- this one has dark skin, that one doesn't.	5+-----
6- You'll teach them to focus less	E-you should also call attention to the great value of tolerance .	6+-----
	F- in skin color and hair textures.	



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Topic:

As you believe that nothing compares to losing oneself in the service of others you decided to write an article in your school magazine to encourage your school fellows to volunteer as possible as they can .(6 marks )

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