اختبار في مادة الانجليزية

SECTION ONE : Reading Comprehension   (08 pts)

Read the following passage carefully then do the activities .

Regardless of their direction or form , computers future developments and uses will depend upon the cleverness and skill of men . Men created computers , and men will continue to improve them .

Computers can work through a series of problems and make thousands of logical decisions without becoming tired . Computers can reach solutions to problems in a fraction of the time it takes men to do the job . Computers can replace men in dull , routine tasks ; but they are not creative and cannot exercise value judgements . Computers have no originality ; they work according to the instructions given to them . There are times when computers seem to operate like mechanical " brains " ; but their achievements are not very spectacular when compared to what the minds of men can do .

1 – How many paragraphs are there in the above passage ?

2 – Are these statements true or false ? On your answer sheet , write the sentence letter, and " T " or " F " next to it .

    a – Computers have got only advantages .

    b – A computer is quicker than man .

    c – Man is more creative than a computer .

    d – Computers future developments will depend on their mechanical brains .

3 – Answer the following questions according to the text .

    a – Mention two advantages that computers have over men .

    b – What makes computers inferior to men's brains ?

4 – On your answer sheet , write the title which you think is most appropriate.

    a – Creativity

    b – Computer and Man

    c – Internet

5 – Match each word with its synonym .

Words	Synonyms
a – dull	1 – function
b – cleverness	2 – accomplishments
c – achievements	3 – uninteresting
d – operate	4 – intelligence

SECTION TWO : Mastery of Language (08 pts)

1 – Supply full stops and capitals where necessary .
   a digital computer is a calculating machine it uses physical variables
2 – From the list below , pick out the irregular verbs and give their past tense .

make	work	give	replace
take	become	reach	improve

3 – Combine the following pairs of sentences using the words in brackets , making any necessary changes .
   a – Computers can do dull tasks . They cannot exercise value judgements . (but)
   b – Man invented computers . He wanted to make his life easier . (in order to)
   c – More and more people buy computers. They have become cheaper. (because)
   d – You use a computer . You save time . (If)

4 – Reorder the following words to make a correct sentence .
   a / calculations / computer / may use / a / numerical / to do / scientist /

SECTION THRÉE : Written Expression . (04 pts)

Choose one of the following topics .

__TOPIC 1__ - Using the following notes , write a composition of about 100 words .
How an analog computer works .
- analog computer – process continuous information
- performs mathematical operations
- two main parts : memory / computing unit
- computing unit – receives instructions – from memory
- decoder – interprets instructions
- instructions selected - selector
- result of computation – the form of output numbers

__TOPIC 2__ –
Write a composition of about 100 words on the following topic :
Some people say that a computer is more intelligent than man . Others say that man is more intelligent than a computer . What is your opinion ?
Justify .