

Answer key · 3rd term exam · English · 9th year · paper 3

Reading comprehension (10 marks)

1. **a) to buy wheelchairs for a local association** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 1.
2. **a) three months** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 1.
3. **a) the club president** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 2.
4. **b) four hundred** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 2.
5. **d) selling handmade bracelets at the entrance** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 3.
6. **c) it was broadcast on the school's website** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 3.
7. **d) the club raised enough money for three wheelchairs** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 4.
8. **d) that they will organise it again next year** (1.25 marks) — Paragraph 4.

Reading: (1) wheelchairs for an association. (2) three months. (3) the club president. (4) four hundred. (5) selling bracelets. (6) on the school's website. (7) three wheelchairs. (8) do it again.

Language (10 marks)

1. **d) a suggestion** (1.25 marks) — Why don't we + verb?
2. **a) an exclamation** (1.25 marks) — What a + adjective + noun!
3. **d) past progressive** (1.25 marks) — Two actions in progress at the same time.
4. **c) could not** (1.25 marks) — could not = past inability.
5. **d) regret** (1.25 marks) — I'm sorry + that clause.
6. **d) an opinion** (1.25 marks) — I think that...
7. **b) organises** (1.25 marks) — If + present simple → will (module 4).
8. **d) Therefore** (1.25 marks) — Therefore introduces a result (module 3).

Language: (1) suggestion. (2) exclamation. (3) past progressive. (4) could not. (5) regret. (6) opinion. (7) organises. (8) Therefore.

Writing: a report for the school magazine: a model to compare with

A Fun Run for the Children's Hospital

Last Sunday, our school organised a fun run to collect money for the children's hospital in Sfax. More than two hundred runners took part: pupils, teachers and even grandparents! While the runners were racing along the beach, the music club was playing in the park, and volunteers were giving water to everybody. What a beautiful day! In the end, we raised 3,000 dinars, which will buy toys and books for the young patients. I think that sport and solidarity go very well together. I hope that next year even more people will join us.

One possible model among many.