

Answer key · model paper 1 · English · 6th-year concours

I. Reading comprehension (6 marks)

True or false? Nour likes watching birds. : **True**. True or false? The family had lunch at home. : **False**. Complete with ONE word from paragraph 2: At first, Aziz's kite could not fly because there was no ... : **wind**. What does the underlined word "They" in paragraph 3 refer to? : **the pink flamingos**. Find in paragraph 3 a word that means "very good, great". : **wonderful**. What is the best title for the text? : **A happy family picnic**.

II. Language (8 marks)

Rayen loves the sea. On Sundays, he goes (1) ... with his uncle and they catch big fish at the port. Which word goes in (1)? : **fishing**. They (2) ... take sandwiches and orange juice with them. Which word goes in (2)? : **always**. Last month, his class visited the Bardo (3) ... in Tunis. Which word goes in (3)? : **museum**. Circle the correct alternative: Rayen (enjoys / enjoy / enjoying) reading comics. : **enjoys**. Circle the correct alternative: He (never / always / usually) swims in winter because the water is too cold. : **never**. Circle the correct alternative: "I'm tired of TV. Let's (play / playing / plays) hide and seek!" : **play**. Put the word in the right tense or form: Last week, Rayen's team [win] ... the football match. : **won**. Put the word in the right tense or form: In summer, Rayen likes [swim] ... in the sea. : **swimming**.

III. Writing · 1. The dialogue (2 marks)

Gap 1 : **3) How about riding our bikes to the park?**. Gap 2 : **5) Don't worry, you can take my brother's bike..** Gap 3 : **1) Let's meet at four o'clock..** Gap 4 : **4) Would you like a sandwich for the way?**.

III. Writing · 2. A possible paragraph

Last Saturday, I went to the forest of Ain Soltane with my parents and my cousin Hamza. We left home early in the morning. When we arrived, we walked between the tall trees and collected pine cones. Then Dad made tea and Mum gave us sandwiches and fruit. After lunch, Hamza and I played hide and seek, and we flew a kite on a small hill. In the evening, we were tired but very happy. I want to go back there next month!

One good model among many. The pupil's paragraph is marked with the checklist.