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Bouriah Lounis Middle School of Bahalil

Third Term English Examination

Level : 4th A.M



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Subject: Eating habits and table manners in England

Hi, Samir!

I am really happy to tell you about food in my country. So, in England we have three main meals a day.

Breakfast is between (7:00 and 9:00).The traditional English breakfast is called the Full English Breakfast. It's usually bacon, eggs, sausages, tomatoes and toast. Lunch is between (12:00 and 1:30 pm). It's often a light meal of soup, sandwiches and a salad. Most of children have their lunch at school. Dinner - the main meal – is eaten any time between (6:30 and 8:00 pm). It's the evening meal. A traditional dinner is meat or fish with potatoes and vegetables. After that, some people have pudding, fruits, chocolate cake or an apple pie as a dessert.

On Sundays, the main meal of the day is often eaten at midday instead of the evening. It's usually a roast dinner consisting of roast beef, Yorkshire pudding and two kinds of vegetables. We eat most of our food with cutlery (forks, spoons and knives). We pay a lot of attention to good table manners. Even young children have to eat properly with a knife and a fork.

What about your country? Could you tell me about your eating habits and table manners especially during the fasting month (Ramadan)?

Waiting to hear from you soon,

Best regards.

Paul

Adapted from "Book of English For Middle School"

Read the text carefully and then do the following activities.

Part One: (14 pts)

A)- Reading Comprehension (07 pts):

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Activity one: Read the text and say in which paragraph it is mentioned that: (02pts)

Paragraph	Sentence
…… …… …… ……	a)-people don't use their hands in eating. b)-At weekends they have a special dish. c)-Table manners are important. d)-Dinner is the most important meal of the day.

Activity two: Read the text and write "true" or "false". Correct the wrong statement. (03pts)

1)-English people have two meals a day.

2)-They always drink tea in the morning.

3)-They eat a big breakfast.

Activity three: (02 pts) 1-Find in the text words or expressions closest in meaning to:

-dish=……. –named = ……

2-Find in the text words or expressions opposite in meaning to:

-least ≠ …….. –heavy ≠ ……..

B)- Mastery of language: (07 pts)

Activity one: (02pts) Supply capitals and punctuation where necessary.

the english people have three meals a day and so do we here in algeria

Activity two (03 pts): Choose the correct verb and fill in the blanks in this passage.

Nowadays, people …….. (like- likes- liked) eating junk food a lot. If they (didn't stop- stopped- don't stop) ……eating it, they (will be- be- are) ……. ill.

Activity three (02 pts): Match between a word from column A with its rhyming one in column B.

A	B
Pay	Take
Good	Meat
Eat	Day
cake	should

Part two: Written Expression (06 pts):

You received an email from Paul in which he told you about meal times in England. Now, it's your turn to write him a reply.

Send him an email in which you tell him about the Algerian meal times and food habits especially in the fasting month (Ramadan).

Tell him about:

-when you eat (morning- afternoon- evening – at night) -what you eat (food- dishes- drinks…)

- food habits and table manners - favorite food.

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