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AOUICHA HADJ SLIMANE MIDDLE SCHOOL **School Year: 2021–2022**

Timing: 1 hour **Level: 4th MS**

Full name: .....

Form: .....

Second Term English Test

Text:

Macaulay Carson Culkin known as Kevin Macalister in the "Home Alone" movie of 1990, was born on 28th August, 1980 in New York city, USA.

He grew up in a poor family with his six siblings in a small apartment for many years. The kids didn't always go to school. They sometimes stayed at home and watched TV.



Macaulay began acting at age four. He became a popular actor very young.

In the 1990's, he was the most famous child actor in the world. Thanks to his iconic role of Kevin Macalister in "Home Alone" one and two. Those are the best Christmas movies of all time.

He studied at the professional children's school and at America Ballet Universities.

He has got an amazing personality, which makes him attractive, clever, creative, ambitious and positive. These helped him to act in different movies such as "Richie Rich" in 1994, "Good son" in 1993, "The page master" in 1994 and many other movies.

He won the American Comedy and the young artist awards for funniest and best actor in 1990.

Adapted from the Internet

I. Reading Comprehension: (7pts)

➢ **Task One: I read the text and fill in the ID card: (3pts)**

Name:	***Personality features:*** ....
Date and place of birth:	***Childhood dream:*** ....
Nationality:	***Famous films:*** ....

➢ **Task Two: I read the text and answer the questions: (2pts)**

1- Did Macaulay Carson Culkin realize his dream career?

2- What was his famous experience in acting?

➢ **Task Three: Lexis (2pts)**

➢ **Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to: (1pt)**

❖ Famous = ... The most fabulous = ...

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➢ **Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to: (1pt)**

❖ Ended ≠ ..... Lazy ≠ .....

II. Mastery of Language: (7pts)

➢ **Task One: Fill in the gaps with the appropriate words: (2pts)**

❖ Most – like – kindest – forgotten

❖ I have never ..... my favorite school teacher Mrs. Brown. She was the ..... and the ..... cheerful teachers at school. She organized birthday parties for each pupil. She was really thoughtful..... my mother.

➢ **Task Two: Write the correct form of verbs in brackets: (3pts)**

❖ **(to watch)** ever you Kevin Macalister?

❖ .....

❖ John never **(to read)** romantic novels.

❖ .....

❖ John Hughes **(to write)** the movie "Home Alone" for twenty years.

❖ .....

➢ **Task Three: Classify the words according to their final "ed" pronunciation: (2pts)**

❖ Started – helped – realized – edited.

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III. Written Expression: (6pts)

➢ Have you ever wondered what you want to become after growing up? You certainly have dreams and ambitions. Write a short article about yourself and your dreams.

➢ **Write about:** Introduce yourself – your personal features – your dream job

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Good Luck ***Your teachers Mrs. GHOMARI F-A***

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