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Level : TCST	March 2013
Second TERM ENGLISH EXAM	Timing : 02h00

Text:

A survey for childline has found that youngsters want their parents to extinguish their cigarettes in the new year.461 young people aged (11 to 16) from across Britain were asked what they wanted their parents' new year resolutions to be. They answered that they wished their parents could give up smoking.

Young people who took part in the survey were also eager to have their voice heard and to have more control over their lives. 64% of young people surveyed wanted their parents to listen to them more.

Sixty one percent said that they wanted to be consulted about decisions that impacted on their lives. More than half of youngsters answered that they didn't want their parents to shout at them and preferred not to be treated as kids.

Encouragingly, the rest of the teenagers questioned, declared that they felt ready to be given more responsibility by their parents.

PART ONE :

I/ Comprehension /interpretation :

Choose the right answer :

1- the text is:

a/ A report - b/ An interview - c/ A newspaper article.

2- Are these statements true or false ? Correct the false ones according to the text :

a/ The survey takes place in Britain.

b/ The youngsters surveyed wanted their parents to give up smoking.

c / Other different wishes are expressed by the people .

3- Answer these questions according to the text :

a/ When are parents wanted to abandon their cigarettes?.

b/ What do the youngsters wish their parents to do ?

c/ How do the teenagers feel ?

4/ Find in the text synonym of the following :

Impatient = ..., Stop = ...,

Stub out ... ..., Children = ...,,

5/Complete this table

Noun	Adjective
Help	... ...
... ...	Hard
... ...	Beautiful
... ...	Smoked

6/Rewrite these sentences into reported speech :

a/ « You can take part in the survey », he said.

b/ He questioned : « Are you against your parents' smoking » ?

c/ When have you decided to discuss with them ? he asked.

d/ He begged him : « Please, stop polluting the atmosphere ».

e/ He ordered him: « Let me go out with my friends »

7/Stess the following words :

Atomic - Dramatic - Resolution - Extension

PART TWO

Writing :

Choose one topic

Topic 1

Write a report using these notes :

- Theme of the survey : Smoking (teenagers)
- Number of informants.
- Their age (s) and occupation (s).
- Reporting the questiones asked in this survey.
- Consequences on their health.

Topic 2

What do you think about new year resolution ?

Do you always respect and follow what you have decided to start or stop doing ? Discuss.

Good Luck

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PART ONE

- ***1/Comprehention/interpretation:***

The passage is a report(0.5pt)

True or false :(1.5pt)

a/ true

b/ true

c/ true

Full answers:(03pts)

a/ parents wanted to abandon their cigarettes in a new year.

b/ the youngsters want their parents to extinguish their cigarettes.

c/ the teenagers feel to be given more responsibility by their parents.

- ***2/text exploration:***

Synonyms(02pts)

Impatient=eager

Stop=Give up

Stub out=Extinguish

Children=Youngsters

Complete this table:(02pts)

noun	*Adjective*
Help	*Helpful*
Hardness	*Hard*
Beauty	*Beautiful*
Smoke	*Smoked*

Rewrite the sentences into reported speech:(05pts)

-he said that I could take part in the survey.

-he questioned if I was against my parents smoking.

-he asked when I had decided to discuss with them.

-He begged him to stop polluting the atmosphere.

-he ordered to let him go out with his friend.

Stress the following words:(02pts)

A'tomic – Dra'matic – Reso'lution – Ex'tension

Written expression: (04pts)

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