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Hali Abdelkarim Secondary school 2016-2017 Level/1st year literary stream

The second Examination of English

Read the text carefully,then do the following activities:

Adidas to make shoes from ocean garbage

Adidas has created a sports shoe from garbage floating in the ocean. The new trainer is part of a project to raise awareness of the serious problem of ocean pollution. Adidas has joined forces with an organisation called Parley, which is dedicated to protecting and preserving the Earth's oceans. Parley's founder Cyrill Gutsch spoke about his organisation's cooperation with Adidas. He said: "Our objective is to boost public awareness and to inspire new collaborations that can contribute to protect and preserve the oceans. We are extremely proud that Adidas is joining us in **this mission**...to show that it is possible to turn ocean plastic into something cool.

Garbage in the ocean is a huge problem. UNESCO estimates that in 2006, there were nearly 30,000 pieces of floating plastic for every square kilometre of ocean. Plastic debris kills over a million seabirds and 100,000 marine mammals every year. Adidas used some of this plastic to make its new trainer. The sole of the sneaker is made from sustainable materials, while the upper uses recycled ocean waste. This consisted of plastic and illegal fishing nets. Adidas says it will be releasing a new trainer made from ocean waste later **this year**. In another green initiative, **the sportswear maker** said it would be phasing out the use of plastic bags in all Adidas stores in the near future .

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1-Reading & interpreting:

Ex1/Say if these statement are (True) or (False) according to the text:

a-Adidas has made a shoe from garbage at the bottom of the ocean.

b-Plastic kills more than a million seabirds every year.

c-Only the upper part of the Adidas shoe is made from ocean garbage.

d-Adidas will begin to end its use of plastic bags in its stores.

Ex2/Answer these questions according to the text:

a-What does Adidas want to raise awareness of??

b-What is Parley referred to?

c-How many seabirds does plastic debris kill every year?

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Ex3/What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text:

a-This mission(§1) b-This year(§2) c-The sportswear maker(§2)

Ex4/Is the text above: a- A web article. b-An extract from a book. c- A newspaper article.

2-Text exploration:

Ex1/Match words with their synonyms:

Words	Synonyms
1-Awareness	a-Understanding
2-Huge	b-enormous
3-Debris	c-waste
4-Green	d-environmentally friendly

Ex2/Divide these words into roots & affixes:

Organization – illegal – preserving – impossible

Prefix	root	Suffix

Ex3/Re-write sentence (b) that means the same as (a):

a1-Adidas declared:"We will produce sports shoes from ocean garbage"

b2-Adidas declared that……

a2-The journalist asked Adidas representative:"Is it possible to turn ocean plastic to something cool?"

b2-The journalist asked……

a3-Adidas advised people not to use plastic bags

b3-Adidas advised people:"……

Ex4/Underline the silent letter in the following words:

Wednesday – gnash – whistle – fight

Ex5/ Fill in each gap with only one word from the list,so that the text makes sense:

(ocean – debris - harmful – waste- pollution – factories)

Every year, rivers carry a large amount of……(1)…… into the sea. The sea receives lot of chemical from……(2)…… which continue to pour every day tons of chemicals &……(3)…… materials.Geologists are now wondering if the ……(4)……can be used as waste basket for longer?

3-Written expression: **Choose either:**

Topic1/Using the following notes, write a short paragraph about what we should do to protect our environment from pollution:

-Plant trees

- Build factories away from cities

-Reduce the use of energy(oil, fuel, timber)

-Reduce traffic(movement of cars)

Topic 2/ Using the notes below,write a set of school regulations(rules),in order to publish it in your school magazine

-come on time -respect teachers -cheat during tests & exams -politness

-wear uniform(pinafores) -do duties & home works -bullying

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