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## The text

“Marianne, you’re no good. No good!” Said the father. He was very angry.

“Oh,John,don’t talk to her like that”,said Marianne’s mother,Mrs Lee.” she is our daughter”.

“I know that she is our daughter” replied Mr Lee. «We’ve looked after her for eighteen years, haven’t we?”.

“well,what has she done for us in those eighteen years?”Asked Mr Lee.”Girls usually go out to work,or help their mothers at home.but not Marianne!Has she cooked one dinner for us in her life?does she wash the clothes for us?does she clean the house?never!”

“but she’s a very clever girl”,said Mrs Lee.”She paints beautiful pictures. You mustn’t say that she is no good!.”

“What can we do with pictures?asked Mr Lee.”we can’t eat pictures.we haven’t got enough money.we can’t keep Marianne at home any longer.she must go out to work or find a husband.!”

“There isn’t any work in this place”,Marianne said quietly.”I don’t want a husband.i only want to be alone and to paint pictures”.

“but your father is right”her mother said kindly. «we can’t keep you at home any longer.Many boys want to marry you.why don’t you marry Paul?he loves you.”

“He is stupid,”Shouted Marianne.She got angry,took her bag and run out of the house.





## I/Reading comprehension :(6marks):

### 1)complete the table with information from the text:(2marks):

|                           |                               |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Things Marianne never did | a-.....<br>b-.....<br>c-..... |
| Marianne's hobby          | .....                         |

### 2) tick the right answer:(1mark):

a-Marianne and her parents are : \*having a nice conversation together  
\*arguing  
\*watching a nice film together

b-Marianne finally decided to:

- \*help her mother at home
- \*paint pictures
- \*leave the house

### 3) Are the following statements true or false? Justify from the text:(2marks):

a-Marianne's parents want her to paint pictures(.....)

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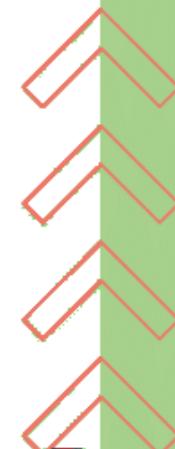
b-Marianne wants to marry Paul(.....)

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### 4) What do the underlined words refer to?(1mark):

us: .....

He: .....





## II/Language :( 8marks):

### 1) Fill in blanks with words from the list (there are two extra words)(3marks):

**Helpful/chores/boring/don't mind/help/pleasant/while/and**

It is so nice to see parents and their children see eye to eye. More than that, it is more.....that parents and their children share the house.....Women in general, and especially working mothers, need some.....from all the family members. In fact, there are some husbands who.....giving a hand to their wives. ....others think that housework is women's responsibilities. The same attitude is for children. Some kids are very.....and understanding. Others are too selfish and want to get paid for every single work they do.

### 2) Circle the correct answer (3marks):

Suzie is a pupil in a secondary school. She is very (**worry/worried/worries**) because she studies many (**teachers/exams/subjects**).The lessons at school are too difficult for (**herself/her/hers**).she doesn't understand them (**whereas/and/because**) the other pupils are very intelligent and good (**in/at/on**) many subjects. Suzie is upset because she is having exams soon and she knows she's going to (**fails/fail/failure**) them.

### 3)Match the statements in A with the functions in B (there is an extra one in B):(2marks)

| A   | B  | C   |
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| <p><b>Jane:</b> Hello Bill. What's your plan for the winter holiday?</p> <p><b>Bill:</b> <u>I'm thinking of visiting my grandfather in the countryside.</u></p> <p><b>Jane:</b> Does he live alone?</p> <p><b>Bill:</b> yes, he does. My grandmother died last year although <u>2/she was younger than him.</u></p> <p><b>Jane:</b> <u>3/So you must visit him regularly.</u></p> <p><b>Bill:</b> yes, of course, <u>4/next year, we are purchasing a new house in the countryside</u> and we will be able to visit him easily.</p> <p><b>Jane:</b> How nice! Enjoy your holiday, then.</p> <p><b>Bill:</b> thank you</p> | <p><b>a- Planned action in the future</b></p> <p><b>b- Expressing contrast</b></p> <p><b>c- Comparing</b></p> <p><b>d- Intention</b></p> <p><b>e- obligation</b></p> | <p>1+.....</p> <p>2+.....</p> <p>3+.....</p> <p>4+.....</p> |





### **III/Writing:(6marks):**

You are the editor of your school magazine and you received the following letter from one of the students in your school.

**Answer the letter. Give the student the proper advice.**

I am 15 years old and I still feel controlled by my parents. They never let me go to night parties. To make things worse, they always refuse my wearing style. I am worried about my relationship with them. What should I do?

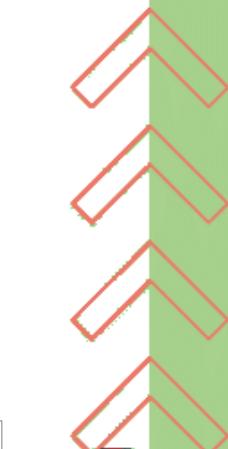
Yours,  
A teenager

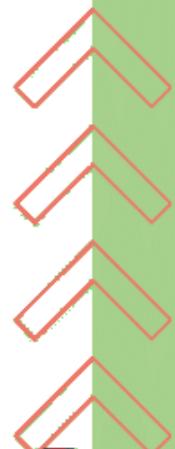
The following hints may help you:

Be patient/try to discuss/solve problems/respect rules/obey your parents/should/shouldn't/must/mustn't.....

Dear teenager,

.....the editor





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