



END OF SEMESTER 2 ENGLISH TEST

Name:

LEVEL: 8 th grade

I – Reading comprehension (7 marks)

1- Complete the following table with information from the text . (2 marks)

Characters	setting	The main event	Ending
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2-Say whether the following statements are True or false and justify with details from the text

(2 marks)

a- The narrator felt in love with Laika from the first sight because he used to love animals.

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b- The owner chose to keep Laika with some friends when he was given a job.

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3- Find in the text words having the same meaning as : (1 mark)

- To save ; to relieve =

- The movement of the floor =

4 - Answer the following W-H questions : (1 mark)

a- Why was Laika scratching at the door in the middle of the night?

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b- After Laika 's death, her owner dreamt about her barking,why was she makingnoise last night?

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5- What do the underlined words refer to : (1 mark)

her :

It :





-6- Circle the adjectives that best describe Laika .(1 mark)

Scared - scared - patient - unhelpful - heroic - indifferent

1- verbs / words between parentheses in the correct tense / form. (2.5 marks)

Every day more than 500,000 people travel across the city of London to get to work or school. But what 's the (good) way for them to get around the city?

' I had the most comfortable journey, but the race was over for me at the first traffic lights. While I (to sit)in traffic jams,I turned on the air- conditioning and listened to classical music (relaxing) On the journey ,I noticed that very few drivers (to carry) more than one passenger,which I suppose the reason why there's so much traffic on the roads during the rush hour.When you travel like this, you (should)stop next to big motorbikes at traffic lights '.

2- Circle the right alternative : (2.5 marks)

Welcome to Britain !

It was eight o'clock in the evening. I'd just arrived at Heathrow Airport with my family and we were exhausted after the long (fly – flight – flying). We were going to stay in London (during - until - for) a couple of days before travelling to Dublin. Some friends of ours had told us to get a taxi to our hotel , (so – because - however),we went to look for one. The airport was extremely bright and modern, but as soon as we came out, we found (ours - ourselves - us) in a dark depressing area of car parks and bus stations. We couldn't see the taxi rank anywhere ,so;we asked someone to tell us the way ,but he (was speaking - didn't speak - speaks) English.

3 – Fill in the blanks with the right words from the box : There are 2 extra words: (3 marks)





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III - Writing : (6 marks)

You came across the following headline in a magazine: **“Survival for the fittest “** . You decided to write an **8 – line article about the benefits of sporting activities.**

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Scale: content : (2) - lang: gr (1) - sp (1) - voc (1) - punct & cap - mechanics (1)

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