

First name : .....		February 2015
Last name : .....	Mid-term test /	weight : 1 / Timing : 60 mns
Class : 8 b 4		Mr Bechir Fraoua
Mark : ..... / 20	Remarks : .....	

### LISTENING SKILLS ( 8 marks )

#### I- COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS ( 5 marks ) :

1° Tick ( ✓ ) the right answer ( 1 mk ) :

The listening passage is :

a- An e-mail ( . )      b- A conversation ( . )      c- \_\_\_\_\_

2° Fill in the table with the right information from the listening passage ( 1 mk ) :



Michael's birthday party	Food : ..... and .....
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3° Cross two false options ( 1 mk ) :

Michael's guests are his :

a- neighbours / b- friends / c- grandmas / d- aunts / e- grandpas / f- cousins

4° Correct the following false statement with a detail from the listening passage ( 1 mk ) :

Michael's father knows what his son's wish is :

.....

5° Answer the following question ( 1 mk ) :

How old is Michael ? Michael is turning .....

#### I- FUNCTION ( 1 mk ) :

Pick up from the listening passage a statement expressing greeting :

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#### II- SPELLING ( 1 mk ) :

Fill in the blanks with the right spelling of the missing words :

Um . . . one person is it, and the person who is it tries to tag ..... [Alright.

And then . . . ] before I tag someone and then, another person tags me.

Oh, wow. And who's coming over ..... today for your birthday?

#### III- PRONUNCIATION ( 1 mk ) :

Cross ( X ) the words which have different pronunciations of their underlined letters :

who - what - well - someone

|      the- mother - then - Birthday



## II/ LANGUAGE ( 12 marks )

1° Fill in the blanks with the appropriate words from the box. There are 2 extra ones ( 3.5 mks ) :

**celebrate -entertain -cupcakes -seriously -throw -invited -fifth - gift - spent**

Birthday parties will always have those moments we remember, good or bad. Celebrity parents dish out thousands of dollars to ..... their kid's birthday parties. Imagine being little fashionable Suri Cruise celebrating with actors dressed up as favorite characters and frolicking with animals for a cool \$200,000. Most of us can't even remember Suri Cruise second birthday and Suri, now 7, probably didn't either, but Katie Holmes and then hubby,



**Tom Cruise, Katie Holmes and Suri Cruise**

Tom Cruise ..... \$100,000 for hers. The couple dished out \$17,000 on fresh flowers, \$45,000 on catering from Wolfgang Puck, and filled the room with 1,000 butterflies, \$230 at Little Sprinkles bakery in Los Angeles just on .....



Suri Cruise had another over-the-top bash for her ..... birthday party with a budget of over \$20,000!

This girl ..... gets it all. Pre-split, Tom and Kat hired professional actors to dress up as favorite children's characters, and had a load of animals, including giraffes and elephants to ..... her guests. Who needs a stuffed

animal as a birthday ..... when you can play with the real thing at your birthday party?!

2° Circle the right alternative ( 3 mks ) :

Cristiano Ronaldo dos Santos Aveiro was born in 1985. He is widely regarded as one of the best players in the world. Ronaldo became a soccer superstar playing for English team Manchester United, Spain's Real Madrid and for Portugal.

He plays in midfield, from where he regularly ( **achieves - scores - keeps** ) spectacular goals.

Ronaldo ( **starts - was starting - started** ) kicking a ball around when he was three. His skill was obvious then and by ten years old, two of Portugal's top ( **teams - clubs - balls** ) wanted to sign him. He joined Sporting Lisbon and became the only player



in their history to play for the Under-16, Under-17, Under-18, B team and first-team within one season.

Manchester United decided Ronaldo was the perfect replacement for David Beckham and signed



him in 2003. He set the English Premier League alight in his time there with his silky skills, and helped the team ( **succeed - win - fail** ) nine trophies, including the UEFA Champions League. He also picked up the FIFA World Player of the Year award in 2008.

In 2009,

Ronaldo joined his boyhood heroes Real

Madrid and became the ( **expensive - more expensive - most expensive** ) footballer in history. His transfer fee was over \$131 million.

He broke Real's scoring ( **record - rule - cup** ) in his second season, with 53 goals in all competitions. In 2012, Diego Maradona said Ronaldo was "the best player on the planet."

3° Put the bracketed words into the right tense or form ( 4 mks ) :

### Sports in secondary schools

All pupils in the UK have to do P.E at school until they are 16. The sports you can do at school depend on your school as each one offers different ( **activity** ) .....

( **popular** ) ..... sport at all schools in the U.K is football, played by girls and boys. Pupils play other traditional team games such as rugby, field hockey and netball. Today, some special schools offer ( **modern** ) ..... sports than ordinary ones such as dance, fitness and dodge ball.



**Fitness**



**Dodge ball**

### What do the pupils think ?

#### Megan, 24:

I liked dance in the gym, but I hated ( **do** ) ..... sport outside in winter when the weather was cold and wet.

#### Jared, 28:

I think P.E was very ( **boredom** ) ..... .  
I was not good at any sport.



**Rugby**



I preferred playing computer games and  
**I ( frequent )** ..... missed my P.E lessons.



Netball



field hockey

**Ella, 25:**

We all hated our school P.E kit,  
 the T-shirt and shorts were so  
**old- ( fashion )** ..... !  
 So our school had a competition  
 to design a new P.E kit and my  
 design ( **win** ) ..... !

4° Match the underlined statements with their appropriate functions. There are 2 extra functions ( 1.5 mks )

**Sarah:** Hey Lisa, wait up! I've wanted to have a chance to talk to you.

**Lisa:** Hi! What's up?

**Sarah:** This weekend I'm having a birthday party for Ted.

**Would you like to come ?( 1 )**

**Lisa:** I'd love to. When is it?

**Sarah:** We're having it this Saturday at 8:00 at my house.

**We're going to order a pizza and play some games.( 2 )**

Then whoever **wants to stay** longer can hang out and watch a video. ( 3 )

**Lisa:** It sounds like a lot of fun. But now that I think about it, I promised I would do something with Nathan Saturday night.

**Sarah:** Well why don't you bring him along? It would be fun. Ted would really like that. I'm sure.

**Lisa:** Really? That would be great. Okay, I'll ask Nathan to come along. \*What can I bring?

**Sarah:** Nothing. Just bring yourselves. No presents are necessary and everything else has been planned.

- a- Making plans
- b- Desire
- c- A present action in progress
- d- Likes
- e- Inviting



1	+	.
2	+	.
3	+	.



