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Third Term Exam

Text:

The Environment

In our modern world, there are many factors that place the wellbeing of the planet in danger. We must take into consideration of these causes that place our environment as well as the planet Earth in danger.

Global warming or climate change is a major contributing factor to environmental damage. Because of global warming, we have seen an increase in melting ice caps, a rise in sea levels, a decrease in natural resources and the formation of new weather patterns. These have caused stronger storms, droughts, and flooding in places that they did not occur in the past.

In many areas, people and local governments do not use their natural resources. Mining for natural gases, deforestation, and even improper use of water resources can have dangerous effects on the environment. However, these strategies attempt to boost local economies but their effects can lead to oil spills, interrupted animal habitats, and droughts.

Finally, the effects of the modern world on the environment can lead to many problems. Human beings must consider the consequences of their actions, trying to reduce, reuse, and recycle materials while establishing environmentally sustainable habits. Measures should be taken to protect the environment; we mustn't cause the extinction of more endangered species. Worldwide pollution has affected our planet and can make it a completely uninhabitable one.

A\ Reading comprehension:

a\ Say True or False: (3pts)

- We have seen an increase in melting ice caps because of global warming.....
- Improper use of water resources has no effect on the environment.....
- Global warming is damaging the environment

b\ Read the text and answer the following questions: (2pts)

1)- What must we take into consideration? (01pt)

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2)- Which term means the same thing as “global warming?” (01pt)

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c\ - Find in the text two synonyms and two antonyms: (2pts)

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B\ Mastery of language:

a)- Put the words that have silent letters in the right table : (3pts)

Who - deep - thumb - rain - knight - wrist

Silent letter

No Silent letter

b)- Complete with the correct word: (2pts)

1)- The wellbeing of the planet (to affect)..... the mental health of humanslong a time ago.

2)- We have taken into consideration of the causes that place our environment in danger.

3)- The effects of the modern world on the environment (to lead)..... to many problems since the beginning of pollution.

c)- Find in the text a one sentence that expresses strong obligation, one that expresses mild obligation and one that expresses prohibition: (03pts)

1)- Strong obligation: (01pt)

2)- Mild obligation: (01pt)

3)- Prohibition: (01pt).

C\Situation of integration (6pts): Complete the sentences.

