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المدة: ساعتان

Fantastic Horse Saves Girl's Life.

Blaze is a splendid young horse who will soon work for the New York City Police Department . But first he must learn all the things he needs to know to be a police horse .

One day , during his training , Blaze proved that he was the best pupil in the training school . He was in Central Park with his trainer , Mac, when suddenly people began shouting and pointing to the lake . A little girl had fallen from a boat into the water .

" Let's go , Blaze " , said Mac , and Blaze galloped across the grass , jumped into the water and swam as fast as he could . Mac caught the little girl by her dress and lifted her out of the water onto Blaze's back . A few minutes later , Mac gave the little girl back to her happy mother .

Section one : Reading comprehension . (08 pts)

A - Answer the following questions according to the text . (05 pts)

- 1- Where is Blaze going to work ?
- 2- What happened to the girl ?
- 3- Was Blaze a courageous horse ? Justify your answer .
- 4- Why was the girl's mother happy ?

B - Lexis (03 pts)

- 1- Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following . (01,5 pts)
- marvellous = - teacher = - small =
- 2- Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning to the following . (01,5 pts)
- finished ≠ - sad ≠ - worst ≠

Section two : Mastery of language (06 pts)

A - Combine the two statements into one using the connector provided . (01 pt)

- 1- People began shouting . A girl fell in the lake . (when)
- 2- Blaze and Mac jumped in the lake . They wanted to save the little girl . (in order to)

B - Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of " ed " . Copy the table on your answer sheet . (01,5 pt)

proved - jumped - lifted

/ t /	/ d /	/ id /

C - Complete sentence (b) so that it means the same as sentence (a) . (01,5 pt)

- 1- a) - A tourist said , " Blaze deserves a reward " .
b) - A tourist said that
- 2- a) - Blaze and Mac rescued the little girl .
b) - The little girl
- 3- a) - If Blaze doesn't pass the exam , he won't join the police .
b) - Unless

D - Write the correct form of the verbs in brackets . (02 pts)

After the rescue , people (to gather) around Blaze . An old lady (to give) him an apple . Blaze (to work) now for the New York Police Department . Next week , he (to tour) the West Coast of the U.S.A.

Section three : Written expression (06 pts)

Choose one of the following activities ,

A - Fill in the gaps so that the text makes senses . Use the following words :

too - feed - for - owns - name - rarely .

My neighbour ----- a horse . He has had it ----- a long time . Its ----- is Nino .

It is -----old to work . It ----- leaves the garden of the house . The children like it and ----- it with grass and bread .

B - Write a composition of about 60 words on the following topic :

Have you heard of or watched on T.V. an animal which saved a person ? Describe the event .

Epreuve d'Anglais

Louise et l'écume

Section one: 8 pts

A. 5 pts

1. Please (or he) is going to work in the New York Police Department (1 pt)
2. The girl fell from a boat into the water - The girl fell into the water (the lake) (1 pt)
3. Yes / - Yes he was (1 pt). He rescued (or saved) a little girl. / He jumped into the water and swam as fast as he could. / He jumped into the water and swam as fast as he could to save a little girl. He did.

C. 1,5 pt

- 1 A tourist said that Blaze deserved a reward. (0,5 pt)
- 2 The little girl was rescued by Blaze and Mac. (0,5 pt)
- 3 Unless Blaze passes his exam, he won't join the police. (0,5 pt)

D. 2 pts

gathered (0,5 pt) - gave (0,5 pt) - is working / works (0,5 pt).
will turn / is going to turn (0,5 pt).

Section Three : 6 pts

A. The composition:

My neighbour owns a horse. He has had it for a long time. Its name is Nino. It is too old to work. It rarely leaves the garden of the house. The children like it and feed it with grass and bread.

B. Assess coherence, cohesion, relevance and grammatical accuracy.

(1,0) Lm
(1,0) Mm
2/2

It is the big a new guitar, new
the 2 new guitar, and the 1st is the 1st
the 1st is the 1st and the 2nd is the 2nd

the 1st

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