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Le sujet comporte 4 pages numérotées de 1 sur 4 à 4 sur 4

THE TEXT

1. Pascaline lives in a poor neighborhood in Niamey, the capital of Niger. It's a tough place for children to grow up, but it's even more challenging for girls, thousands of whom have seen their childhoods cut short by marriage.
2. The contents of Pascaline's backpack offer a glimpse into the aspirations of the young Nigerien girl. For years, Pascaline has been collecting football jerseys even though most of **them** are still too big for her to wear. Pascaline's mother laughs as her daughter talks enthusiastically about her dream of playing football in Spain. But Pascaline remains defiant: "Whoever says that football is only for boys, my friends and I are proving them wrong."
3. For Pascaline, football is about much more than just fun. When her parents had to take her out of school because they could no longer afford to pay the school fees, it helped get her education **back on track**. When a football school was recruiting out-of-school girls to play for a team with the aim of getting them back into class, she studied hard for the entrance exam and was given a spot. "My life took a turn I didn't expect," she says smiling.
4. Pascaline's teacher says that the pupils are hugely engaged with their studies. "My students come to all my classes with their homework completed," she says. But, while studying is the priority, the teacher admits that football keeps pupils motivated to learn. "School sports have added a value for girls because they are the most vulnerable ones," she says.

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I. Comprehension questions (12 marks)

1. Tick the most appropriate option. (1 mark)

The text is mainly about girls who

- a. aim at a better future.
- b. are brilliant at school.
- c. marry at a young age.

2. For each of the following statements, pick out one detail from the text showing that it is false. (2 marks)

a. Pascaline dropped out of classes due to her bad results. (paragraph 3)

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b. At Pascaline's new school, football skills come first. (paragraph 4)

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3. Fill in each blank with one word from paragraphs 1 and 2. (3 marks)

A good number of girls in Niger are forced into marriage because they come from communities. For Pascaline, her are about playing football. Despite the hardships, the young girl insists on realising her goals.

4. Tick the right alternative (1 mark)

"it also helped get her education back on track." (paragraph 3) means:

- a. to face challenges.
- b. to improve results.
- c. to return to normal.

5. Circle the two adjectives that best describe Pascaline. (2 marks)

helpful / hopeful / indifferent / determined

6. Find one word in the text meaning nearly the same as: (1 mark)

a. "quick look" (paragraph 2) :

7. What does the underlined word in the text refer to? (1 mark)

a. 'them' (paragraph 2) refers to:

8. Give a personal justified answer to the following question. (1 mark)

Do you think that Pascaline is a good example for other girls to follow? Why? Why not?

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II. Language (10 marks)

1. Fill in the blanks with seven (7) words from the box. (3.5 marks)

developing / physicians / for / while / some / spend / pull / practise / any

The demand for foreign-born doctors in the United States and the United Kingdom is stretching middle-income countries' medical resources to the breaking point. To be sure, there is nothing wrong with doctors who time working and training overseas. On the contrary, practising in various health care systems is critical for producing experienced, well-rounded The fundamental problem is that medical staff and students are leaving the world to train in countries like the US and the UK. Then, they never come back to in their own communities. Moreover, supplier countries often pay that medical education, without ever receiving of the benefits. To reverse this trend, we must allow medical students to train in world-class clinical settings encouraging them to practise in their home countries.

2. Circle the right alternative. (3.5 marks)

Fruit and vegetables are part of a healthy, balanced diet and can help you stay healthy. It's important that you eat **(none / few / enough)** of them. Evidence shows there are significant health benefits to getting at **(least / latest / most)** 5 portions of fruits and vegetables every day. That's 5 portions of fruit and vegetables in total, not 5 portions of **(other / each / every)**. A portion of fruit or vegetables is 80g. The 5-A-Day campaign is based **(in / on / of)** advice from the World Health Organization (WHO), which recommends eating a minimum of 400g of fruit and vegetables a day to **(decrease / take / increase)** the risk of serious health problems, such as heart disease, stroke and some types of cancer. Fruit and vegetables are **(as / also / too)** low in fat and calories. **(However / So that / That's why)**, eating them can help you maintain a healthy weight and keep your heart healthy.

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3. Put the bracketed words in the right form or tense. (3 marks)

Planning a holiday is a difficult task. A lot of things like money, flights, hotels and itinerary have to be kept in mind to make sure that you have a good and **(enjoy)** trip. Booking a package tour is the best for people who want to have a memorable holiday with little stress. Such tours include a **(vary)** of services put together for a single trip. These packages can be **(book)** for both long and short duration. Once you have found the right deal from a reputed tour operator, you can be sure that your next trip **(be)** well-organised right from the beginning till the end. The biggest advantage that a package tour offers is that it **(save)** money. Travel agencies buy their package deals in bulk which costs them less. Then, they offer these deals to consumers at a lower and a **(competitive)** rate than individual bookings.

III. Writing (8 marks)

Your school is celebrating Earth Day. As a member of the Green Club, write a 10-line speech in which you raise awareness about the importance of saving energy suggesting three measures to put into action.

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