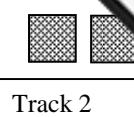


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Track 2

Annual Examinations for Secondary Schools 2010

FORM 1

GEOGRAPHY

TIME: 1h 30min

Name: _____

Class: _____

Answer all questions. Some of the questions must be answered on a separate foolscap. Write your name, surname and class on all the papers used. Write also the question numbers and letters in the margin. Return the examination paper and all foolscaps used.

Question 1

Look carefully at Figure 1 ‘Plan of Year 6 Classroom’ and then underline the correct word from the brackets.

1. There are (16, 20, 21) pupils’ desks in this classroom.
2. There are (6, 4, 5) computers in this classroom.
3. There are (8, 9, 10) girls in this class.
4. There are (8, 9, 10) boys in this class.
5. Claude is sitting at the (back, side, front) of the class.
6. The teacher’s desk is in front of (Claude and Kyra, Luke and Clare, Rebecca and Matthew).
7. The classroom door leads to (another classroom, head’s office, corridor).
8. The computer desk touches the (south, west, north) wall of the Year 6 classroom.
9. The cupboard is found in the (north west, north east, south east) corner of the room.
10. The room that lies to the east of Year 6 classroom is (Year 4, Year 5, the office).

10 marks

Question 2

Fill in the last column by choosing from the list of *people and goods* below to link them to the most suitable means of transport used.

*Children from village going to school every day to nearby town;
 Tourists visiting different ports; Washing machines from England;
 Injured man on Comino needs to be taken to hospital;
 Gold wrist watches from Switzerland;*

Means of transport	Picture	People and goods
Aeroplane		
Cargo ship		
Helicopter		
Bus		
Cruise liner		

10 marks

Question 3

Fill in the blanks of the following sentences by using the words given below:

Africa; Europe; tourists; Airline

1. Air Malta is the National _____ of Malta.
2. Most of the destinations of Air Malta are places within the continent of _____.
3. One of the destinations of Air Malta in _____ is Tripoli.
4. Air Malta is important because it transports a lot of _____ who spend their holidays in Malta.
5. Air Malta began operating in the (nineties; seventies; fifties).

11 marks

Question 4



Marine turtle

At the end of each sentence write *Good* or *Bad* to show which activities are harming the Mediterranean Sea and which activities are helping to improve the present situation.

1. As many of the beaches of the Mediterranean countries are used by tourists, monk seals and turtles are finding it hard to lay their eggs. _____
2. Injured (hurt) turtles are being taken care of in Malta and then, when cured, they are set free again in the sea. _____
3. Marine plants are being destroyed by industrial chemicals dumped into the sea. _____
4. An oil combating centre has been set up in Malta. _____
5. Students learn that they should never throw plastic bags into the sea for these are swallowed by the turtles thinking that they are jelly fish. _____

10 marks

Question 5

Give the right word for the following:

1. The smallest type of settlement. _____
2. The settlement formed when a number of farmhouses are built near each other. _____
3. The most common type of settlements found in rural areas. _____
4. The most common type of settlements found in urban areas. _____
5. The central part of a town full of shops and offices. _____

10 marks

Question 6



Stevenson Screen

On your foolscap answer the following questions:

1. What word describes the conditions of the air around us?
2. Which instrument is used to measure the heat of the air?
3. A temperature of 30 degrees Celsius means that the air is hot or cold?
4. Which instrument is used to measure rainfall?
5. What does the barometer measure?
6. What is the use of the Stevenson Screen?

13 marks

Question 7

Name the right type of rock found in the Maltese Islands next to each sentence:

1. This is the youngest type of rock found in Malta. _____
2. This is the only impermeable rock found in Malta. _____
3. This rock is crushed into spalls. _____
4. This rock forms a thin layer and easily crumbles into sand. _____

5. This is the hardest of Maltese rocks.
6. This layer is used for our building stone.

12 marks

Question 8

Underline the correct word from the brackets.

1. (Arable, Dairy) farms produce crops such as vegetables, fruit and grains.
2. (Arable, Dairy) farms rear cattle for their milk.
3. The farmer grows fodder crops for (consumers, industry, animals).
4. Physical inputs in a farming system include (money invested; the weather elements; machinery).
5. The farmer who owns irrigated fields (grows crops only during the rainy season; waters the fields artificially during the dry season; grows crops only during summer).

10 marks

Question 9

On your foolscap draw two simple sketches to explain two of the following fishing methods. Use pencil colours.

Vertical Mesh; Artificial lights; Lines with hooks; Fishing pots; ‘Kannizzati’

4 marks

Question 10

Name the five EU member countries marked 1 to 5 on the given map of Europe.

(Figure 2)

10 marks

End of Paper

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Rotta 2

L-EWWEL SENA

Geografija

HIN: Siegha u nofs

Isem: _____ Klassi: _____

Wieġeb il-mistoqsjiet kollha. Uhud mit-tweġibiet iridu jinkitbu fuq *foolscap* separata. Ikteb ismek, kunjomok u l-klassi fuq il-*foolscaps* ukoll.

Ikteb ukoll in-numru tal-mistoqsjia fit-tarf.

Aġħi lura l-karta tal-eżami u l-*foolscaps* kollha. Ikteb ċar.

Taħriġ numru 1

Hares sewwa lejn ‘Il-Pjanta tal-klassi tas-Sitt Sena’ (Stampa 1) u aqta’ sinja taħt il-kelma t-tajba mill-parenteži.

1. F’din il-klassi hemm (sittax-il, ghoxrin, wiehed u ghoxrin) mejda tal-istudenti.
2. Hemm (6, 4, 5) kompjuters f’din il-klassi.
3. Hemm (8, 9, 10) bniet f’din il-klassi.
4. Hemm (8, 9, 10) subien f’din il-klassi.
5. Claude qiegħed bilqiegħħda (fuq wara, fil-ġenb, fuq quddiem) tal-klassi.
6. L-iskrivanija tal-ghalliem tinsab quddiem (Claude u Kyra, Luke u Clare, Rebecca u Matthew).
7. Il-bieb tal-klassi jagħti (għal klassi oħra, għall-uffiċċju tas-surmast, għall-kuritur).
8. Il-bank tal-kompjuters imiss mal-ħajt (tan-nofsinhar, tal-punent, tat-tramuntana) tal-klassi tas-sitt sena.
9. L-armarju (muri *cupboard*) jinsab fil-kantuniera (tal-majjistral, tal-grigal, tax-xlokk) tal-kamra.
10. Il-kamra li tinsab fuq in-naħha tal-lvant tal-klassi tas-Sitt Sena hija (l-klassi tar-Raba’ Sena, l-klassi tal-Ħames Sena, l-uffiċċju).

10 marki

Taħriġ numru 2

Imla l-ahħar kolonna billi tagħżel mil-lista ta' *nies u merkanzija* ta' hawn taħt, biex turi x'tip ta' trasport ikun l-ahjar għal dawn il-vjaġġi.

tfal li mir-raħal imorru l-iskola kuljum f'belt fil-viċċin; turisti jżur portijiet differenti; magni tal-ħasil ġejjin mill-Ingilterra; raġel imwiegħġa' f'Kemmuna għandu bżonn li jittieħed l-isptar; arloġġi tal-idejn mill-Isvizzera magħmula bid-deheb

Mezz ta' trasport	Stampa	Nies u merkanzija
Ajruplan		
Vapur tal-merkanzija		
Helikopter		
Karozza tal-linja		
Vapur lussuż tal-passiġġieri (cruise liner)		

10 marki

Taħriġ numru 3**Imla l-vojt tas-sentenzi minn 1 sa' 4 billi tagħżel mill-kliem ta' hawn taħt:****Afrika; Ewropa; turisti; linja tal-ajru**

1. Air Malta hija l- _____ Nazzjonali ta' Malta.
 2. L-akbar numru ta' destinazzjonijet tal-Air Malta huma lejn il-kontinent tal- _____.
 3. Wahda mid-destinazzjonijiet tal-Air Malta fil-kontinent tal- _____ hija Tripli.
 4. L-Air Malta hija importanti ghaliex iġġorr ħafna _____ li jiġu jqattgħu l-btala tagħhom f'Malta.
 5. L-Air Malta bdiet taħdem matul is-snin (disghin; sebghin; ġamsin).
- Aqta' sinjal taħt it-tajba.*

11 il-marka

Taħriġ numru 4**Fekruna tal-bahar**

Fl-ahħar ta' kull sentenza ikteb *Tajjeb* jew *Hażin* biex turi liema huma l-attivitajiet li qed jagħmlu hsara lill-Bahar Mediterranean u liema huma l-attivitajiet li qed jgħinu biex is-sitwazzjoni prezenti tmur għall-aħjar.

1. Billi ħafna mill-ixtut tal-pajjiżi tal-Mediterran qed jintużaw mit-turisti, il-monki (bumerin) u l-fkieren qegħdin isibuha diffiċli biex ibidu. _____
2. Fkieren imweġġgħa qegħdin jiġu kkurati f'Malta u wara li jfiequ, jiġu meħlusa lura fil-bahar. _____
3. Pjanti tal-bahar qegħdin jinquerdu bil-kimiċi industrijali li qed jintefgħu fil-bahar. _____
4. Twaqqaf čentru kontra t-tniġgiż miż-żejt f'Malta. _____
5. L-istudenti jitgħallmu li huma m'għandhom qatt jitfġħu basktijiet tal-plastik fil-bahar għax il-fkieren jaħsbuhom bram u jibilgħuhom. _____

10 marki

Taħriġ numru 5**Aqli l-kelma t-tajba għal dawn li ġejjin:**

1. L-iżgħar post abitat min-nies. _____
2. Post abitat li jiżviluppa meta jkun hemm numru ta' rziezet mibnija ħdejn xulxin. _____
3. L-aktar post abitat komuni li nsibu fiż-żoni rurali _____
4. L-aktar post abitat komuni li nsibu fiż-żoni urbani. _____
5. Il-qalba tal-belt mimlija ħwienet u uffiċċċi. _____

10 marki

Taħriġ numru 6**Skrin ta' Stevenson****Fuq il-foolscap wieġeb dawn id-domandi:**

1. Liema kelma tiddeskrivi l-kundizzjoni tat-temp ta' madwarna?
2. Liema strument meterjologiku jintuża biex tkejjel is-shana tal-arja?
3. Temperatura ta' 30 gradi Celsius tfisser li l-arja hija shuna jew kiesha?
4. Liema strument jintuża biex titkejjel ix-xita?
5. X'ikejjel il-barometru?
6. X'użu għandu l-iskrin ta' Stevenson?

13-il marka

Taħriġ numru 7**Aqli l-isem it-tajjeb tal-blat li nsibu fil-Gżejjer Maltin, ħdejn kull sentenza:**

1. Dan huwa l-aktar blat reċenti li nsibu f'Malta. _____
2. Dan huwa l-uniku tip ta' blat impermeab bli li nsibu f'Malta. _____
3. Dan il-blat jiġi mfarrak fi żrar. _____
4. Dan il-blat jifforma saff irqiż u jitfarrak faċiilment f'ramel. _____

5. Dan huwa l-aktar iebes mill-blat kollu li nsibu f' Malta.
6. Dan il-blat jintuża bħala ġebel għall-bini.

12-il marka

Taħriġ numru 8

Aqta sinjal taħt l-kelma t-tajba mill-parenteżi:

- Irziezet b'(raba' arabbli; raba' tal-mahleb) jiproduċu učuh bħal haxix, frott u cereali.
- Irziezet b'(raba' arabbli; raba' tal-mahleb) irabbu l-baqar għall-ħalib.
- Il-bidwi jkabar għalf għall-(konsumaturi; industrija; bhejjem).
- Htiġiġiet naturali f'sistema ta' biedja jinkludu (l-flus investiti; l-elementi tat-temp; il-makkinarju).
- Il-bidwi li għandu raba' saqli (ikabar il-prodotti matul l-istaġun tax-xita biss; isaqqi l-ghelieqi b'mod artificjali matul l-istaġun niexef; ikabar prodotti biss matul l-istaġun tas-sajf).

10 marki

Taħriġ numru 9

Fuq il-foolscap pinġi żewġ stampi biex tispjega tnejn minn dawn is-sistemi ta' sajd.

Uža l-kuluri tal-lapes.

Parit; Lampara; Konz; Nases; Kannizzati

4 marki

Taħriġ numru 10

Ikteb l-isem tal-pajjiżi, membri tal-Unjoni Ewropea, li huma mmarkati 1 sa 5 fuq il-mappa tal-Ewropa (Stampa Numru 2).

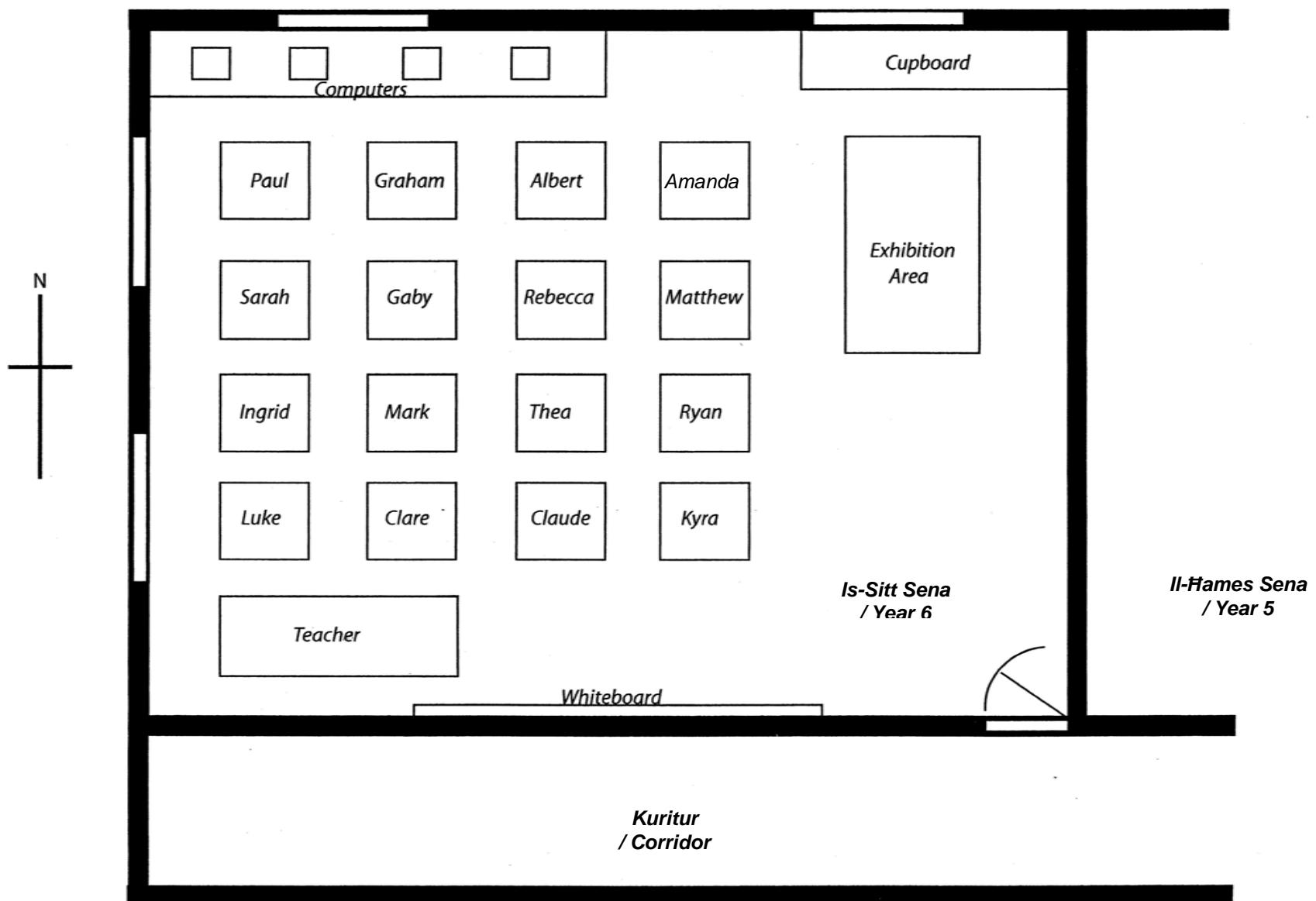
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Tmiem il-Karta

PAĞNA VOJTA

1 2 metres

FIGURE 1 PLAN OF YEAR 6 CLASSROOM
STAMPA 1 PJANTA TAL-KLASSI TAS-SITT SENNA



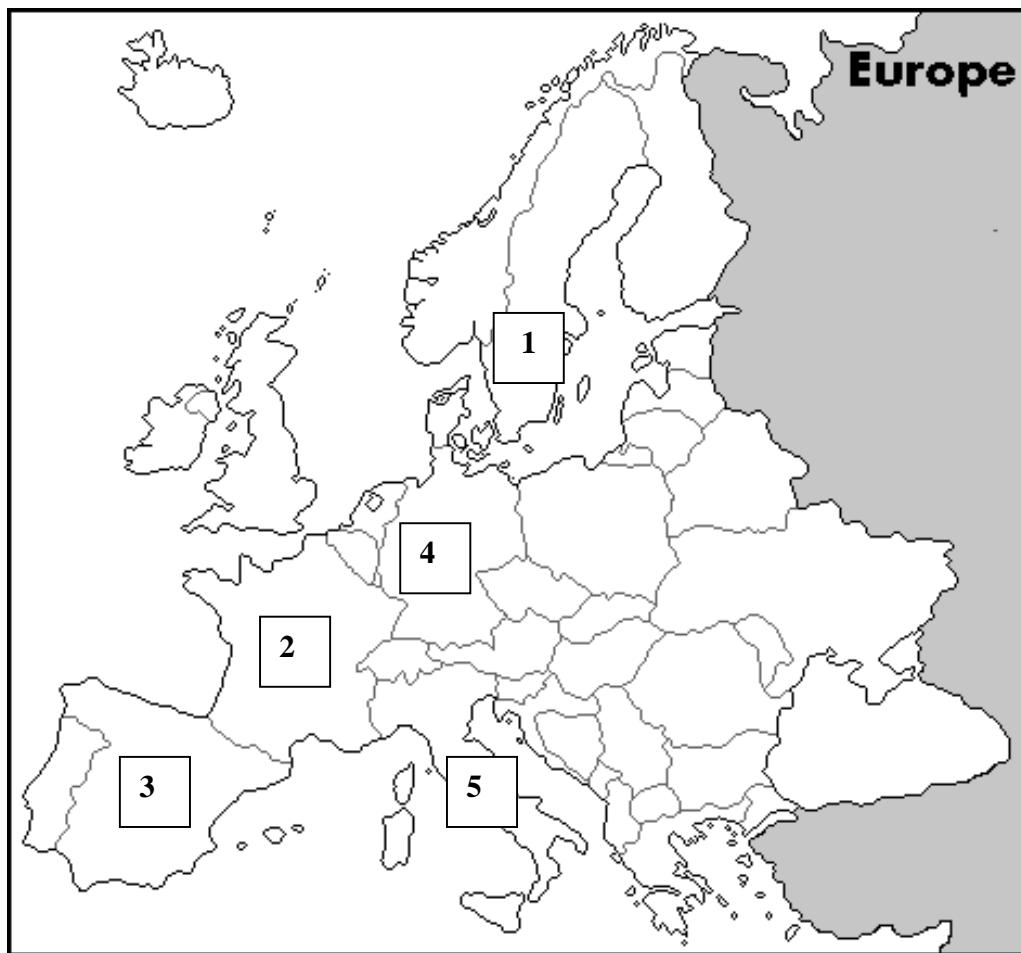


Figure 2
Stampa Numru 2

Map - Question 10

Mappa - Tahriġ numru 10

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____