

Read this passage then do the activities.



Charlie Chaplin was a great artist. He used to wear a black suit and a black hat; and he had a little moustache. Charlie was a funny man. He was born in 1889 in south London. His family was very poor, so he started to work at the age of 15. Eight years later he went to USA and made famous films. He died in 1977.

PART ONE (14 points)

Section One Reading Comprehension (7 points)

A/- **Read the text and say if these statements are: TRUE or FALSE** (3 points)

- a- Charlie Chaplin was a funny artist.
- b- He worked at the age of 15.
- c- He did not go to USA.

B/- **Read the text again and complete this table.** (2 points)

Name	Surname	Date of birth	Date of death
.....

C/- **Find in the text the synonyms of these words.** (1 point)

job = movies =.....

D/- **Find in the text the opposites of these words.** (1 point)

Was born ≠ finished ≠

Section Two Mastery of the language (7 points)

A/- **Correct the mistakes in this sentence** (2 points)

amina alouani were a good pupil.

B/- **Classify the verbs according to the (ed) pronunciation** (2 points)

started – looked – divided – joined

/t/	/d/	/id/

C/- **Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets.** (3 points)

Yesterday Omar (to arrive)to Oran. He (to stay).....in a hotel. He (to visit) many places. He (to give) me his photos. He (to be) very happy, his friends (to be)happy too.

PART TWO (6 points)

Reorder the following statements to make a coherent paragraph.

- in Constantine.
- In 1908, he went
- He died in 1940.
- He was a great writer and a poet.
- Ibn Badis was born in 1889

- to study at El Zaitouna mosque.

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PART ONE (42 points)

Section One Reading Comprehension (21 points)

A/- Read the text and say if these statements are: TRUE or FALSE (9 points)

- a- Charlie Chaplin was a funny artist. TRUE
- b- He worked at the age of 15. TRUE
- c- He did not go to USA. FALSE

B/- Read the text again and complete this table. (6 points)

Name	Surname	Date of birth	Date of death
Charlie	Chaplin	1889	1977

C/- Find in the text the synonyms of these words. (3 point)

job = **work** movies = **films**

D/- Find in the text the opposites of these words. (3 point)

Was born ≠ **died** finished ≠ **started**

Section Two Mastery of the language (21 points)

A/- Correct the mistakes in this sentence (6 points)

amina alouani were a good pupil.

Amina Alouani was a good pupil.

B/- Classify the verbs according to the (ed) pronunciation (6 points)

Started – looked – divided – joined

/t/	/d/	/id/
looked	joined	Started divided

C/- Give the correct form of the verbs in brackets. (9 points)

Yesterday Omar (to arrive) **arrived** to Oran. He (to stay) **stayed** in a hotel. He (to visit) **visited** many places. He (to give) **gave** me his photos. He (to be) **was** very happy, his friends (to be) **were** happy too.

PART TWO (18 points)

Reorder the following statements to make a coherent paragraph.

Ibn Badis was born in 1889 in Constantine. He was a great writer and a poet. In 1908, he went to study at El Zaitouna mosque. He died in 1940.

