Level: 2 AM

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The First English Exam

Class:
Abdelhamid Ben Badis was a well-known Algerian scientist. He was born on December 4 th ,1889 in Constantine. At the age of 13, he memorized the Quran. He was courageous. In 1925, he published "Al-Chihab" magazine which he used as a written weapon to fight the French colonists. Then, in 1931, he founded the Association of Muslim Algerian Ulama. Ben Badis died on April 16 th ,1940 in Constantine.

Part One: A/ Reading Comprehension (7pts)

Read the text and do the following activities:

Activity one: Read the text then fill in this form: (02pts)

Name:	_
Place of birth:	
Nationality:	
Date of death:	

Activity two: Answer these questions: (02pts)

- 1- Did Ben Badis memorize the Quran?
- 2- Was Ben Badis born 125 years ago?
- 3- Did he die in Algiers?

Activity three: Match each word with its equivalent: (02pts)

1- Association a- Courageous

2- Researcher b- Famous

3- Brave c- Organization

4- Well-known d- Scientis

B/ Mastery of Language (07pts)

Activity one: Find in the text four verbs describing past actions to complete this table: : (02pts)

Regular verbs	Irregular verbs	

Activity two: Turn these sentences to the negative form: (03pts)

- 1- Ben Badis erased ignorance.
- 2- He was a brave man.
- 3- He could fight against the French.

Activity three: Find in the text four words and classify them according to the pronunciation of their final "ed": (02pts)

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Part Two: Integrated Situation (6pts)

Mohamed Dib is a famous writer.

Write a short biography about him using these clues:

Name: Mohamed Dib

Date and place of birth: July 21st, 1920 / Tlemcen

Occupation: writer. Nationality: Algerian

Work: He wrote La grande maison (1952) / L'incendie (1954) / Au café (1957) ...etc.

Date of death: May 02nd,2003.

The correction:

Part One: A/ Reading Comprehension (7pts)

Activity one: Read the text then fill in this form: (02pts)

• Name: Abdelhamid Ben Badis

• Place of birth: in Constantine.

• Nationality: Algerian

• Date of death: He died on April 16th, 1940

Activity two: Answer these questions: (02pts)

- Yes At the age of 13, he memorized the Quran
- He was born 51 years ago

• Yes he died in Algeria "Constantine "

Activity three: Match each word with its equivalent: (02pts)

Association	Organization
Researcher	Scientist
Brave	Courageous
Well-known	Famous

B/ Mastery of Language (07pts)

Activity one: Find in the text four verbs describing past actions to complete this table: : (02pts)

Regular verbs	Irregular verbs
died	was
founded	was born

Activity two: Turn these sentences to the negative form: (03pts)

- Ben Badis didn't erase ignorance.
- He couldn't fight against the French.
- He was not a brave man.

Activity three: Find in the text four words and classify them according to the pronunciation of their final "ed": (02pts)

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memorized	used	founded
	died	