

Test 1

Academic year: 10/11 Level: 1st year baccalaureate. 2nd semester.

As population increases and industry grows, so does the demand for fresh water. The problem is that the supply of fresh water is limited and much of what is available becomes contaminated by pesticides or other pollutants; as the land becomes more crowded. Recycling 'used' water is one solution to the problem.

But many water treatment methods are either too costly or unsatisfactory. In an effort to make better use of this essential resource and allow poor countries to reuse their unclean water, some American companies are developing new water recycling methods which produce absolutely pure water at economical rates.

One such method was developed by scientists at the Florida Institute of Technology by treating impure water and even sewage* with radio-active cobalt. Gamma rays kill harmful bacteria and viruses in the water while avoiding any radioactive contamination. The water is then filtered and 'scrubbed' clean of all particles. "The result", says Dr David Woodbridge, physicist and co-inventor of the method, "is clear, pure and potable water".

*sewage: waste water and human waste flowing from houses and other buildings to the sea

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	I. COMPREHENSION
	BASE YOUR ANSWERS ON THE TEXT
	A. Are these sentences true or false? Justify.(3pts)
1.	Population growth is one of the causes of water pollution.
2.	2. Dr David Woodbridge developed the water recycling method by himself.
	2. David visedshings developed the water recycling thethod by filmisen.
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	P. Complete the contemporar (2) (2)
4	B. Complete the sentences: (3pts) More fresh water is needed
۷.	2. Because the recycling methods developed by American companies are economical,
3	countries.
٥.	Because impure water is treated with gamma rays,
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	C. Find in the text words or expressions which mean the same as: (2pts)
1.	expensive:
	2. politic
	II. LANGUAGE
A-	Choose an adjective from the box to complete the sentences. (4pts)
	amused/amusing disappointed/disappointing surprised/surprising
	amused/amusing disappointed/disappointing surprised/surprising confused/confusing interested/interesting embarrassed/embarrassing
1.	The state of the s
2.	The state of the s
3.	just to don poople for morely.
4. D	Are youin football?
B-	Fill in the blanks with the words in the list. (6pts)
4	torrential - anticipating - surroundings - revolving- owl - litter - accurately - constantly - thrill
1.	Greenpeace istrying to make people do more to help the environment.
2.	. Using adoor in hotels always makes me a bit nervous.
٥.	Participating in car racing gives him a real
4.	
	Fascinated, the children watched therain falling.
5.	. My best friend is a nightand never goes to bed early.
6.	My best friend is a nightand never goes to bed early. People should make great efforts to keep their
6. C-	My best friend is a nightand never goes to bed early. People should make great efforts to keep theirclean. <u>Use the words in capitals at the end of each sentence to make words which fit in the spaces. (3p</u>
6. C- 1. B	My best friend is a nightand never goes to bed early. People should make great efforts to keep their

	ly sister didn't let anythingher from traveling alone. COURAGE
D- 1.	Rewrite as suggested. (2pts) Man is destroying the environment in many ways.
1.	The anti-annual t
2.	They have taken drastic measure to keep the city clean.
_	Drastic measures
E-	Put the verbs between brackets in the correct tense. (5pts)
1.	It was my first job. I(never / work) before.
2.	What a difficult exercise! I(do) it for one hour.
3.	She(wear) a long red dress when I saw her at last week's farewell party.
4.	It's foggy! It(to rain) tonight.
5.	John wanted to have a rest because he(work) all day.
F-	Make one sentence from two using 'too' or 'enough'. (2pts)
1.	I can' talk to you. I don't have time.
2.	I don't have The wallet is very big. I can't put it in my pocket.
2.	The wallet is
	The Wallet Is.
	III. WRITING (10pts)
Ou	r mother planet is suffering from many environmental problems. Write an essay to talk about the causes of
poll	lution and the actions young people can do as possible solutions to help save their environment.
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