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מועד הבחינה: חורף תשפ"ג, 2023
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שאלון ד' (MODULE D)

הוראות

- א. משך הבחינה: שעה וחצי.
- ב. מבנה השאלון ומפתח ההערכה: בשאלון זה שני פרקים.
פרק ראשון – הבנת הנקרא – 70 נקודות
פרק שני – מטלת כתיבה – 30 נקודות
סך הכול – 100 נקודות
- ג. חומר עזר מותר בשימוש: אחד המילונים או אחת המילוניות מן הרשימה שבאתר הפיקוח על הוראת האנגלית ובאתר של אגף הבחינות במשרד החינוך.
- נבחנים "עולים חדשים" רשאים להשתמש גם במילון דו-לשוני: אנגלי-שפת אימם / שפת אימם-אנגלי. השימוש במילון אחר טעון אישור של הפיקוח על הוראת האנגלית.
- ד. הוראות מיוחדות:
- יש לכתוב את כל התשובות בגוף השאלון (במקומות המיועדים לכך).
 - יש לכתוב את כל התשובות באנגלית ובעט בלבד.
 - בתום הבחינה יש להחזיר את השאלון למשגיח או למשגיחה.

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יש לכתוב במחברת הבחינה בלבד. יש לרשום "טיוטה" בראש כל עמוד המשמש טיוטה.
כתיבת טיוטה בדפים שאינם במחברת הבחינה עלולה לגרום לפסילת הבחינה.

ההנחיות בשאלון זה מנוסחות בלשון רבים, אף על פי כן על כל תלמידה וכל תלמיד להשיב על השאלות באופן אישי.

בהצלחה!



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PART I: WRITTEN RECEPTION (70 points)

(ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM WRITTEN TEXTS)

Read the text below and then answer questions 1–7.

ZOOM FATIGUE

I The Coronavirus pandemic has made it difficult for people to meet in person. Hundreds of millions have therefore been using Zoom to connect online with colleagues, family, and friends. However, Zoom meetings often leave participants very tired. This feeling is so common that it even has a name: "Zoom fatigue." Of course, it could be caused simply by spending many hours in front of a computer. But studies have shown that there are other reasons as well.

II According to psychologist Dr. Alice Barton, participants in Zoom meetings look mainly at each other's faces. "This is a problem because when we're speaking, people's body movements show us how they're reacting to what we're saying. They also help us see when someone wants to join the conversation," explains Barton. "When we don't see these movements, it's difficult and tiring to follow the discussion."

III Another cause of Zoom fatigue is stress. "During meetings we feel like everyone is watching us. We want to show that we're paying attention, so we sit without moving and look straight at the camera," says Barton. "But it's very tiring to worry constantly about being watched. The stress also makes it hard to concentrate on the discussion." That is why she recommends allowing people to turn off their cameras for a short time during Zoom meetings. This will help them relax and concentrate better.

IV There are other reasons why Zoom meetings can be stressful. "When we meet people at the office, we have fun joking and chatting with them," says Barton. "But on Zoom we don't do that because the meetings are all about work." The fact that we join Zoom from home can cause stress too, she adds. "Our colleagues and bosses might 'enter' our homes when we are unprepared – for example, when the kids are running around. This makes everyone uncomfortable."

V Some experts are less concerned about such problems. "Zoom can be a wonderful tool. You just need to use it properly," claims office manager Andrew Morrison. "For example, make sure there are breaks during the meeting. That way, everyone can stretch their legs or get a cup of coffee. Things like this can make Zoom meetings a more positive experience."

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QUESTIONS (70 points)

Answer questions 1–7 in English, according to the text. In questions 1 and 6, circle the number of the correct answer. In the other questions, follow the instructions.

1. What are we told in paragraph I?
- i) How the name Zoom was chosen.
 - ii) Why Zoom meetings are so long.
 - iii) Why so many people use Zoom.
 - iv) How Zoom fatigue is studied.
- (7 points)

2. According to line 5, "studies have shown that there are other reasons as well". Reasons for what?
COMPLETE THE ANSWER.
Reasons for
- (8 points)

3. According to paragraph II, why is communication on Zoom very tiring? Give ONE answer.
COMPLETE THE ANSWER.
Because we cannot
- (8 points)

4. What is explained in paragraph III about participants in Zoom meetings?
PUT A ✓ BY THE TWO CORRECT ANSWERS.
- i) Why they must concentrate on the discussion.
 - ii) Why they keep looking at the camera.
 - iii) What they discuss at the meetings.
 - iv) How long their meetings are.
 - v) How they feel at the meetings.
 - vi) Why they must watch each other.
- (2×8=16 points)

5. What can we understand from lines 16–17?
COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.
We can understand why people like to
- (8 points)



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6. Why does the writer give the example in lines 19–20?

To show that (–).

- i) some people prepare their homes for Zoom meetings
- ii) Zoom meetings from home can be stressful
- iii) most people should not work from home
- iv) most Zoom meetings are not planned in advance

(7 points)

7. When can people have a better experience during Zoom meetings?

Give TWO answers. Take one answer from paragraph III and the other from paragraph V.

COMPLETE THE ANSWERS.

1) **Paragraph III:**

When they are able to

2) **Paragraph V:**

When they are able to

(2×8=16 points)



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PART II: WRITTEN PRODUCTION (30 points)

(WRITTEN PRESENTATION)

IMPORTANT: You may use words and/or phrases from the text in Part I.
However, you must NOT copy a sentence or sentences from the text.

Write 80–100 words in English on the following topic.

8. Which do you think is a better way of communicating with people – face to face or online?

Write a composition stating and explaining your opinion. You may relate to your own experience and/or that of others.

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Use this page and the next (pages 7–8) for writing a rough draft.

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תלישת דף עלולה להביא לפסילת הבחינה 8

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