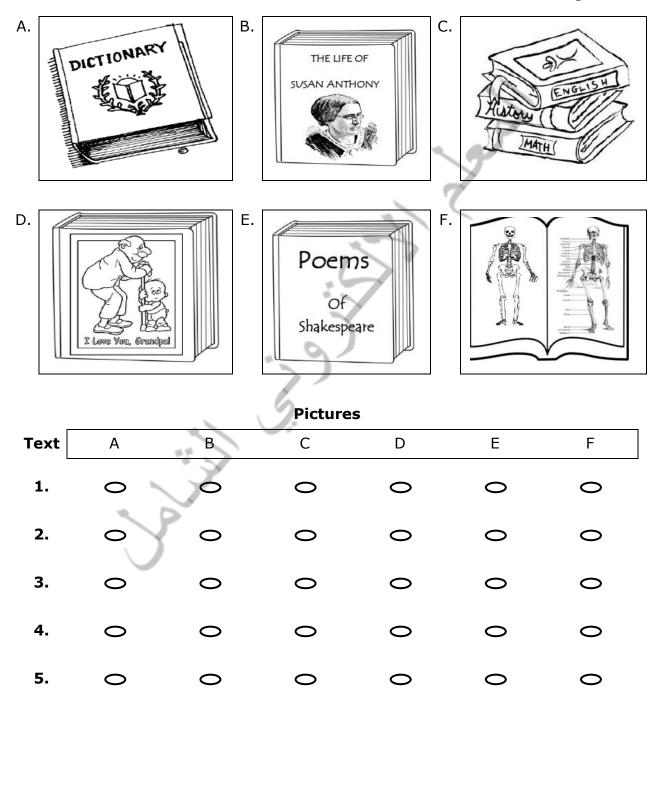


Practice Questions on Unit 2

LISTENING 1

You are going to hear five short texts about **different books**. Match the pictures with the texts. For each text, shade in the bubble \bigcirc under the correct option.



LISTENING 2 (Items 6–10)

You are going to hear information about a great writer called **Gibran**. For each item, shade in the bubble \bigcirc next to the correct option.

6.	Gibr	an Khalil was born in				
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7.	Gibr	an was taught by his		at ho	me.	
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8.	He g	graduated from Madarasat	Hikn	nat at the age of		
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9.	In _	his famous	book	'The Prophet' was publis	shed.	
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Listening Script

LISTENING 1

You are going to hear five short texts about **different books** twice. First time, listen and shade. Second time, listen and check your work. Match the pictures with the texts. For each text, shade in the bubble under the correct option.

- **1.** Encyclopedia is a book or set of books giving information about different subjects like animals, plants, body parts and typically illustrated by pictures.
- **2.** A biography is a book that is an account of someone's life written by someone else about his life and different events happened.
- **3.** This book lists the words of a language (typically in alphabetical order) and gives their meaning, pronunciation and some examples is titled dictionary.
- **4.** Story book is an account of imaginary or real people and events told for the purpose of giving lessons or for fun and pleasure.
- **5.** This book includes pieces of writing which expresses feelings and ideas is given emotionally by particular attention to rhythm and imagery, such as poems.

LISTENING 2

You are going to hear some information about a **great writer** called *Gibran* twice. First time, listen and shade. Second time, listen and check your work. Listen and complete the table.

Gibran Khalil Gibran was born in Lebanon in 1883. He was the son of Khalil Bin Gibran and Kamila. He had two sisters, Mariana and Sultana, a half -brother, Peter, who was from his mother's previous marriage, but his mother was a very smart woman. She could speak Arabic, French, and English. She also had artistic talent for music. She taught Gibran at home. She influenced Gibran's thinking to a great extent.

Gibran went to America with his brother and mother. There he joined in a school and he was doing very well in his studies. He came back to Lebanon and studied at Madarasat Al Hikmat (School of wisdom) from 1896 to 1901. At the age of 18, he graduated from there and went on to Paris to learn painting.

During the following years, Gibran painted, designed book covers and wrote in Arabic many short essays. In 1912, he moved to New York and lived there for all his life. In 1923, 'The Prophet' was published. It is one of his most well-known books and it has now been translated into over 20 different languages. He was one of the great writers who tried to modernize the Arabic writing in the Middle East countries.

THE END OF THE LISTENING

Summary on unit two rules

2. Relative Pronouns: ضمائر الوصل

تستخدم ضمائر الوصل لربط الجمل بعضها ببعض

	Meaning المعنى	Uses الاستخدامات	Examples
Who	الذي, التي	تستخدم لتحل محل العاقل	Here is the man. The man is a doctor. نحذف كلمة The man من الجملة الثانية ونضع بدلا منها who ثم نضع الجملة الثانية بعد الكلمة التي حذفنا مثلها في الجملة الأولى فتصبح: Here is the man who is a doctor. 1) The man came here. The man was a doctor. The man who was here is a doctor 2) My friend swims well. He lives here. My friend who lives here swims well.
Which/ That	الذي, التي	تستعمل لتحل محل غير العاقل	He found his book. He lost it yesterday. أن كلمة it تعود على كلمتي his book فنحذف it ونضع it منها his book أو that في بداية الجملة الثانية مباشرة بعد الكلمة الدالة عليها و هي His book ثم نضع الجملة الثانية كاملة بدون it الثانية كاملة بدون it His book that he lost yesterday. 1) This is the house. I live in it. This is the house. I live in it. This is the house which I live in. 2) This book is cheap. It is very useful. This book is cheap. It is very useful. This book which is very useful is cheap.

Practice on Unit 2

GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 1

Complete the text. For each item, shade in the bubble \bigcirc next to the correct option.

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3.	0	won	C	>	gave	0	lived
4.	0	protected	0	>	treated	0	communicated

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employed
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found

GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 2

5.

Complete each sentence with **ONE** word only.

6. This is ______ boy who won the writing competition.

- 7. I'm looking for a secretary _____ can use computer well.
- **8.** Ali has got a sister ______ lived in Muscat.
- **9.** I am reading the book _____ I bought yesterday.
- **10.** Ahmed is the student ______ wrote the story.

GRAMMAR/VOCABULARY 3

Complete the unfinished words in the text. Make sure you **spell** each word **correctly**.

EXAMPLE:

"Go<u>od</u> morning! My name's Ahmed Al-Zedjali a<u>nd</u> I'm a stu<u>dent</u> at a sch<u>ool</u> in Muscat. I'm in Gr<u>ade</u> Six. My favo<u>urite</u> subject is Maths."

<u>TEXT</u>

Speaker A: I've just read a really interesting **st**____

Speaker B: **Wh**____ was it about?

- Speaker A: It was about a man who **sai**_____ across the Atlantic Ocean.
- Speaker B: I'd like to read it too. **Wh**_____ is it?

Speaker A: In the book I borrowed from the **lib** ______.

- Speaker B: Where **di**____ you put it?
- Speaker A: On the table in the **ne**____ room.

Speaker B: Ok. I'll read and **gi**_____ it back to you in two **da**______.

Speaker A: Alright. Please **fin**_____ reading it in two days. I should return the book to the library.

READING 1

Match the four texts on the left with the texts in the box. Shade in the bubble \bigcirc under the correct option.

- **1.** Have you ever heard of a writer called Jane Austen?
- **2.** He works very hard to improve his skills in writing.
- **3.** Ali got the first place in the school writing competition and he was rewarded yesterday.
- **4.** Najeeb Mahfouz is one of the most famous writers in Egypt and he writes about traditional life in city.

- A. He wrote more than thirty books and more than one hundred short stories.
- **B.** He rescued an old woman from drowning in a river. He was brave.
- **C.** Yes, of course I have! In fact, I've just read one of her books.
- **D.** He also reads lots of books to improve his knowledge. His ambition is to become a great writer.
- E. He was born in England in 1809 and studied at Cambridge University.
- **F.** His poem that described Oman was the best. He was very happy with the prize.

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READING 2

Read the text. Then complete the task.

Dear Nasser,

As you know, I have started reading novels since I was 12 years old. I was reading a great novel last week titled "Pride and Prejudice" and I really enjoyed that. I am sending this e-mail to tell you more about this lovely novel.

Pride and Prejudice is a novel that was written by Jane Austen. It was first published in 1113 in England. It has become one of the most popular novels in English literature and more than 22 million copies were sold. At the beginning, the novel was called "First Impressions" and then Jane renamed it into "Pride and Prejudice". It tells the story of Mr. and Mrs. Bennet's five unmarried daughters after the rich and smart Mr. Bingley and his friend, Mr. Darcy, have moved into their neighborhood. Elizabeth Bennet, the second of the five daughters, plays the role of the main character in the novel. In the novel, she is known as Lizzy. She is twenty years old and she is intelligent, lively and attractive.

The major theme in this novel is the importance of environment and development of young people's character and morality.

I have enclosed a copy of the novel's cover page and I hope you find this e-mail interesting.

Best wishes, Ahmed

For each question, write a short answer (not more than FOUR WORDS).

5. When did Ahmed start reading novels?
6. What is the title of the novel?
7. Who is the writer of the novel?
8. When was the novel published?
9. How many copies of the novel were sold?
10. Who is the main character in the novel?

WRITING 1

Write at least **60 words** on the following topic:

 $\ensuremath{^{\prime\prime}}$ Reading is a better way for learning . $\ensuremath{^{\prime\prime}}$

-Do you agree or not? Give your reasons.

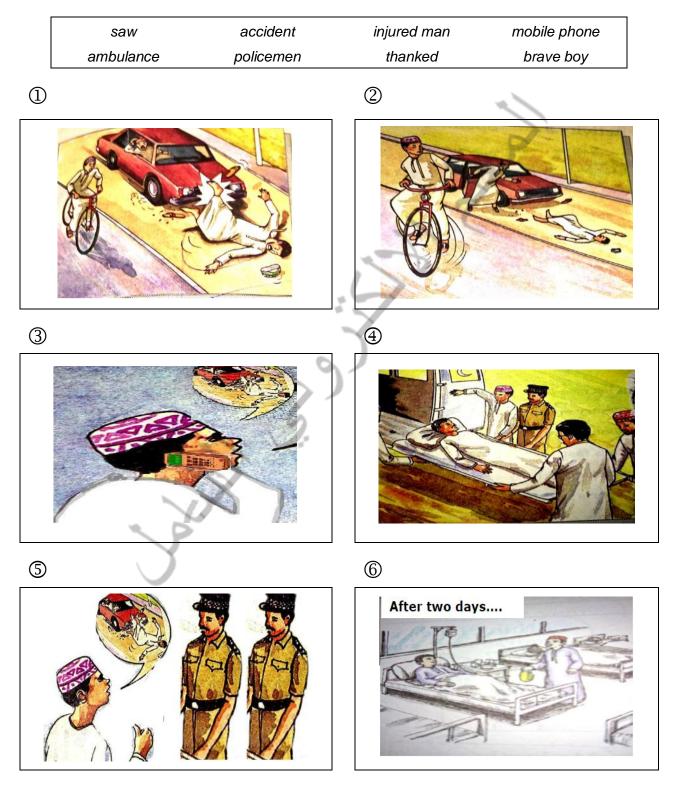
Your writing should be *clear* and *well-organized*.

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EITHER WRITING 2

Write a story of at least **75 words** based on the following pictures. You can use the words in the box to help you.

You can also put in more details to make your story lively and interesting.



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OR WRITING 2

Complete the following task. Write at least **75 words**.

Imagine that you went on a trip to the sea and you were lost. Who did you go with? What happened? How did you return home?

Your writing should be *clear* and *interesting*.

S.

