Initial test

8th grade

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Film: *Slumdog Millionaire*

Trailer:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AIzbwV7on6Q

Choose the best variant

1. The name of the main character is: (1p)

a. Jamal Malik b. Mahatma Ghandi c. Raj Kapuur

2. His older brother is called: (1p)

a. Ibrahim b. Salim c. Amir

3. The girl he desperately loves is: (1p)

a. Sia b. Sitka c. Latika

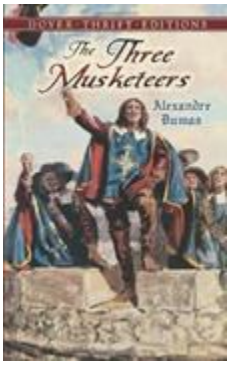
4. The game show he takes part in is called: (1p)

a. “Fort Boyard”

https://hero.fandom.com/wiki/Latika

b. “Who wants to be a millionaire?”

c. “X Factor”



5. Before winning, he used to work in a: (1p)

a. call centre

b. school

c. hospital

6. Where does he come from? (1p)

a. London b. Beijing c. Mumbai

7. What book is the plot based on? (1p)

a. „The Three Musketeers”

b. „Cinderella”

c. „Mein Kampf”

8. Listen to the following scene in the film (the Police brutally forcing Jamal to confess his cheating). Fill in the blanks: (1p)

Inspector: Has he confessed a).....?

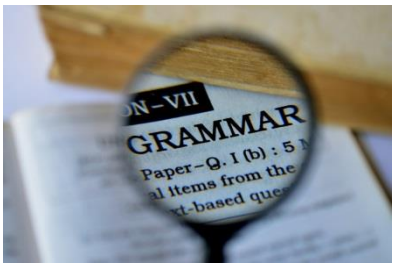
Sergeant Srinivas: b)..... of his name, I can’t get a word out of him.

Inspector: You’ve been c)..... all night, Srinivas. What have you been doing?

Sergeant Srinivas: Tough guy.

Inspector: A little electricity will loosen d)..... tongue.

9. Read the following fragment from a review of this film. Identify which numbered verb describes: (1p)



a) a simple action in the past

b) a continuous action in the past

c) an ability

d) a future action

”When I saw1 *Slumdog Millionaire* at Toronto, I was witnessing2 a phenomenon: dramatic proof that a movie is about how it tells itself. I walked out of the theater and flatly predicted it would win the Audience Award. Seven days later, it did. And that it could3 land a best picture Oscar nomination. We will see4. It is one of those miraculous entertainments that achieves its immediate goals and keeps climbing toward a higher summit.”

10. The film is full of impressive scenes. Choose one, describe it and give a reason for your choice. About 100 words (approximately 10 lines). (1p)

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Marking scheme objective items

Correct answers:

1a, 2b, 3c, 4b, 5a, 6c, 7a

8 a) yet b) Apart c) trying d) his

9. a1, 2b, 3c, 4d

Marking scheme (Writing)

Criteria	Exercises 1-7	Exercise 8	Exercise 9	Exercise 10
Total points	1px7	0,25px4	0,25px4	1p
Content				0,25p
Communicative achievement				0,25p
Language				0,25p
Organisation				0,25p