

סוג הבחינה: בגרות
מועד הבחינה: חורף תשפ"ג, 2023
מספר השאלון: 016584

אנגלית

שאלון ו' (MODULE F)

הוראות

- א. משך הבחינה: שעה וחצי.
- ב. מבנה השאלון ומפתח ההערכה: בשאלון זה שני פרקים.
פרק ראשון – הבנת הנקרא – 60 נקודות
פרק שני – מטלת כתיבה – 40 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:
- (1) יש לכתוב את כל התשובות בגוף השאלון (במקומות המיועדים לכך).
 - (2) יש לכתוב את כל התשובות באנגלית ובעט בלבד.
 - (3) יש לכתוב את הנוסח הסופי של מטלת הכתיבה בעמוד 9. אם תצטרכו, תוכלו להשתמש גם בעמוד 10.
 - (4) בתום הבחינה יש להחזיר את השאלון למשגיח או למשגיחה.
- הערה: על כתיב שגוי יופחתו נקודות מן הציון.

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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 (60 points)

(ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM WRITTEN TEXTS)

Read the text below and then answer questions 1–8.

ZOOM FATIGUE

I The Coronavirus pandemic has forced people all over the world to change the way they communicate. Unable to meet in person, hundreds of millions have been using Zoom to connect online with colleagues, family, and friends. However, Zoom meetings often leave participants completely exhausted. This feeling is so common that it has been given a name: "Zoom fatigue." Of course, it could simply be the result of spending long hours in front of a computer. But studies have shown there are other reasons as well.

II According to psychologist Dr. Alice Barton, participants in Zoom meetings focus mainly on each other's faces. This is a serious problem because so much communication depends on body language. "When we're speaking, people's body movements show us how they're reacting to what we're saying. These non-verbal cues also indicate when a person wants to join in the conversation. When we don't see them, discussion becomes difficult and tiring," explains Barton. "Zoom has various emojis – for example, a raised hand – that are meant to represent natural gestures. But these are obviously limited in the non-verbal information they provide."

III Another cause of Zoom fatigue is stress. "During meetings, we feel like everyone is watching us. To show we're paying attention we try to sit still, look straight at the camera, and keep an interested expression on our face," says Barton. "But constantly worrying about being watched is exhausting. Moreover, sometimes it takes so much energy that we find it hard to concentrate on the discussion." This is why she recommends that people turn off their cameras for a short while during Zoom meetings. That will allow them to relax and concentrate better.

IV There are other aspects of Zoom that are stressful for many of us. "When meeting in person at the office, we have fun joking and chatting with the other people there," says Barton. "On Zoom we don't do that because the meetings are all about work." The fact that we often join the meetings from home can be a problem too, she adds. "Our colleagues and bosses might 'enter' our homes when we are unprepared – for example, when the room is messy or the kids are running around. This is uncomfortable for everyone involved."

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, don't overuse it – sometimes an email or a phone call is enough. Also, there should be breaks in all online meetings because stretching your legs or getting a cup of coffee can make a big difference. Done right, Zoom meetings can be a more positive experience."

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QUESTIONS (60 points)

Answer questions **1–8** in English, according to the text. In questions **1, 4, 5** and **7**, circle the number of the correct answer. In the other questions, follow the instructions.

1. What are we told in paragraph I?
 - i) Why Zoom was given its name.
 - ii) How to connect to Zoom.
 - iii) Why Zoom is widely used.
 - iv) How Zoom fatigue is studied.

(6 points)

2. According to lines 5–6, "studies have shown there are other reasons as well". Reasons for what?
 COMPLETE THE ANSWER.
 Reasons for

(7 points)

3. According to lines 7–11, why is communication on Zoom very tiring? Give ONE answer.
 COMPLETE THE ANSWER.
 Because we cannot

(7 points)

4. What point does Barton make about Zoom emojis? (paragraph II)
 - i) They should be based on other gestures.
 - ii) More information about them is needed.
 - iii) They are not commonly used.
 - iv) They are not as helpful as natural gestures.

(6 points)

5. What is explained in paragraph III about participants in Zoom meetings?
 - i) Why they get tired of watching other people.
 - ii) What they find interesting.
 - iii) Why they hardly move.
 - iv) How long their meetings are.

(6 points)



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6. What can we understand from lines 20–21?

COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.

We can understand why people like to
(7 points)

7. Why does the writer give the example in lines 23–25? (paragraph IV)

To show that (-).

- i) some people prepare their homes for Zoom meetings
- ii) Zoom meetings from home can be stressful
- iii) most people should avoid working from home
- iv) Zoom meetings are often planned in advance

(7 points)

8. What actions can people take to improve their experience during Zoom meetings?

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

COMPLETE THE SENTENCES.

1) **Paragraph III:**

They can

2) **Paragraph V:**

They can

(2×7=14 points)



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PART II: WRITTEN PRODUCTION (40 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 100–120 words in English on the following topic.

9. 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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