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מודול C - 3-4 יחידות לימוד

הוראות

- א. משך הבחינה: שעה וחצי
 - ב. מבנה השאלון ומפתח ההערכה: 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. נבחן "עולה חדש" רשאי להשתמש גם במילון דור-לשוני: אנגלי-שפת אימו / שפת אימו-אנגלי. השימוש במילון אחר טעון אישור של הפיקוח על הוראת האנגלית.
 - ד. הוראות מיוחדות: עליך לכתוב את כל תשובותיך בגוף השאלון (במקומות המיועדים לכך). כתוב את כל תשובותיך באנגלית ובעט בלבד. בתום הבחינה החזר את השאלון למשגיח. את הנוסח הסופי של מטלת הכתיבה כותבים בעמוד 9.
- בקובץ זה: השאלון - הטקסטים והשאלות, עם מקום לתשובות. התשובות וההסברים - בקבצים "תשובות" ו"פתרון מלא".

בהצלחה!

PART I: WRITTEN RECEPTION (70 points)

(ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM WRITTEN TEXTS)

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

AND THE HAPPIEST PLACE ON EARTH IS...

- I 1 People all over the world do everything they can to be happy. But for some reason people in certain countries succeed more than others. A recent survey on happiness done by Oxford University shows that there is one country that is better at it than any other – and that country is Denmark.
- II Over the past 30 years, in survey after survey, this nation of five and a half million people has
5 beaten the rest of the world in the happiness game. It's hard to understand why: the weather is bad, its neighbors, the Norwegians, are richer, and its other neighbors, the Swedes, are healthier.
- III Why then are the Danes so happy? That's a question that has interested Prof. Ken Christensen of Denmark University. "If you ask people anywhere which country is the happiest on earth, they will say Italy or Spain because these countries have pleasant weather and good food," Prof. Christensen
10 explains.
- IV So he and his team of researchers have tried to discover just why Denmark is at the top of the happiness list so often. "We tested different theories and we think we have found the key to Danish happiness. What we discovered is that Danes actually don't expect much from life," he explains. "Therefore, they are often pleasantly surprised when good things happen."
- V 15 Christensen claims that Danes are happy even when things don't work out well. According to Danish newspaper reporter Sebastian Dorset, Danes are ambitious. "We want to succeed, just like any other people. We simply aren't disappointed when we fail," he explains.
- VI Dorset also claims that Danes don't have anything to complain about: "We earn good salaries, education and health care are free and there is very little violence in our country. What more could you
20 ask for?"

QUESTIONS

Answer questions 1-8 in English according to the text. In questions 1, 3 and 5, circle the number of the correct answer. In the other questions, follow the instructions.

1. What is the subject of paragraph I?
- i) What makes people happy.
 - ii) Why Danes are so successful.
 - iii) What the results of the Oxford survey are.
 - iv) How Denmark can become better.
- (7 points)

- 2.** In line 3, the writer says "there is one country that is better at it than any other." Better at what? (paragraph I)

ANSWER: _____ .

(7 points)

- 3.** In paragraph II we learn (–).

- i) how many people live in Denmark
- ii) why the people in Sweden are healthier
- iii) how the Norwegians got rich
- iv) how often the surveys were done

(8 points)

- 4.** Give ONE reason why the Danes might complain. (paragraph II)

ANSWER: _____ .

(8 points)

- 5.** Why are Italy and Spain mentioned? (paragraph III)

- i) Both countries have pleasant weather and good food.
- ii) People think the happiest people live there.
- iii) Italians and Spaniards are happier than the Danes.
- iv) People like to visit these countries.

(8 points)

- 6.** What did Prof. Christensen and his team discover about the Danes? (paragraph IV)

ANSWER: _____ .

(8 points)

- 7.** What do Dorset and Prof. Christensen agree on? (paragraph V)

ANSWER: _____ .

(8 points)

