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ΓΡΑΠΤΗ ΩΡΙΑΙΑ ΔΟΚΙΜΑΣΙΑ Α' ΤΕΤΡΑΜΗΝΟΥ ΣΤΗΝ ΑΓΓΛΙΚΗ ΓΛΩΣΣΑ

ΤΑΞΗ: Α' ΓΕΝΙΚΟΥ ΛΥΚΕΙΟΥ
ΔΙΔΑΣΚΟΥΣΑ: ΓΙΑΝΝΙΤΣΗ ΕΙΡΗΝΗ
ΗΜΕΡΟΜΗΝΙΑ: _____
ΟΝΟΜΑΤΕΠΩΝΥΜΟ ΜΑΘΗΤΗ: _____

ΘΕΜΑ 1. ΚΑΤΑΝΟΗΣΗ ΓΡΑΠΤΟΥ ΛΟΓΟΥ 30%

Read the text and decide if each statement (1-6) is True (A), False (B) or Not Mentioned (C). (6x5=30 points)

In a short period of ten years Van Gogh made approximately 900 paintings. Van Gogh's finest works were produced in less than three years in a technique that showed his passion in brushstroke, in colour and in the movement of form and line. Dramatic, imaginative, and emotional, the artist was trying to explain either his struggle against madness or his understanding of man and nature.



Van Gogh's influence on expressionism was enormous and can be seen in many aspects of 20th-century art. His brother's wife collected Van Gogh's paintings and letters after his death and dedicated herself to getting his work the recognition it deserved. It would not take long before his fame grew higher and higher. Today, several paintings by Van Gogh rank among the most expensive paintings in the world. On March 30, 1987 Van Gogh's painting "Irises" was sold for a record \$53.9 million at Southeby's, New York. His Portrait of Doctor Gachet was sold for \$82.5 million at Christie's, thus establishing a new price record.



Vincent van Gogh was also a passionate letter writer. Of the countless letters he passionately wrote to his friends and family more than 800 have been preserved, as well as approximately 80 letters that he had received. In one of his letters, he supports that "There are so many people, especially among our pals, who imagine that words are nothing. On the contrary, don't you think, it's as interesting and as difficult to say a thing well as to paint a thing."

(Extract: 252 words)

STATEMENTS		A	B	C
		TRUE	FALSE	NOT MENTIONED
1.	In about ten years, van Gogh created over nine thousand paintings.			
2.	He created his best works of art in his house in Paris.			
3.	His brother's wife was not interested in Van Gogh's paintings.			
4.	The portrait of Doctor Gachet was sold at a price record.			
5.	Van Gogh enjoyed spending time with his friends.			
6.	According to van Gogh, using the right words to express ideas clearly is a difficult thing.			

ΘΕΜΑ 2^α:ΛΕΞΙΚΟΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΙΚΗ 20%

Match each underlined word in the sentences below (7-11) with a word from the box that has a similar meaning (A-E). Use each word only once. (5x4=20 points)

A.	deserve	B.	fame	C.	support	D.	especially	E.	receive
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7.	Teachers always do their best to <u>help</u> their students in setting goals.
8.	When shopping online, you can <u>get</u> your goods by post at home or at work.
9.	These pieces of advice are <u>particularly</u> useful for new mothers.
10.	The actress lived a life of <u>celebrity</u> , but never got used to it.
11.	After all that hard work, you <u>should get</u> a holiday trip.

ΘΕΜΑ 2^β:ΛΕΞΙΚΟΓΡΑΜΜΑΤΙΚΗ 20%

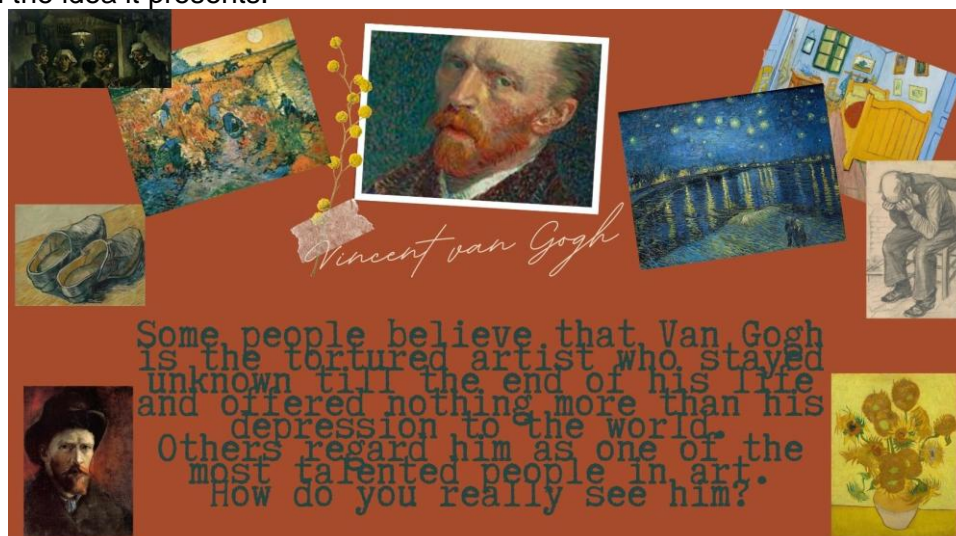
Fill each gap in sentences 12-16 with the correct option from the box below (A-E). Use each option only once. (5x4=20 points)

A.	up	B.	around	C.	off	D.	from	E.	to
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12.	It's a programme mainly designed to appeal _____ minors under 16.
13.	My parents moved to Germany and I was brought _____ by my grandparents who took great care of me until I became 18.
14.	There was a large dining table in the room and the family gathered _____ a big Christmas dinner.
15.	My great grandfather was a really brave man; he fought in the war, had his leg cut _____ but managed to survive and live until he died of old age.
16.	Even if Janet had always been a great speaker in public, she admits that she has been suffering _____ stage fright ever since she first appeared on stage.

ΘΕΜΑ 3:ΠΑΡΑΓΩΓΗ ΓΡΑΠΤΟΥ ΛΟΓΟΥ 30%

You see the following post on a website about famous artists around the world. After a short research on the topic, you choose to make a post (100-120 words) under the relevant thread explaining why you agree or disagree with the idea it presents.



"Some people believe that Van Gogh is the tortured artist who stayed unknown till the end of his life and offered nothing more than his depression to the world. Others regard him as one the most talented people in art. How do you really see him?"

GOOD LUCK!