

CORRECTION SHEET / ENGLISH LV1

PART ONE / READING (30%)

A/ VOCABULARY CHECK (15 PTS)

Choose the answer that best matches with the underlined phrase or expression

Example: 1-c- are reaching

1. Are flooding across (Line 1)	a. seriousness
2. Plagued (Line 2)	b. <i>Struck</i>
3. Picked up (Line 4)	c. are reaching
4. Slaughter (Line 10)	d. preoccupation
5. Took to (Line 12)	e. pushing
6. Scores of (Line 12)	f. rejected
7. Urging (Line 13)	g. <i>set</i>
8. Denied (Line 16)	h. several
9. Scale (Line 19)	i. captured
10. Carried out (Line 24)	j. invaded
11. Concern (Line 27)	k. massacre

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9- a- seriousness

4-k- massacre

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B/ COMPREHENSION CHECK (15 PTS)

1. What is happening to the Rohingya people according to this text? (4pts)

This population is massacred. Children are killed; women are raped; men are taken away by the military. This minority people tries to fly away from Myanmar, but it is faced with problems at the border of Bangladesh.

2. Do the Rohingya people have any form of support somewhere? Justify. (4pts)

Yes they do. When Bangladesh decided to close its border, some people organised a protest march. The Human Rights Watch wrote a report to draw the world's attention to their suffering.

3. What is the government reproached with? (4pts)

The government is slaughtering this population. It is an ethnic cleansing planned by the new elected authorities. The armed people burn down the houses of Rohingya villages.

4. Is there any evidence of the government's wrongdoing in Myanmar? (3 pts)

The government denies the facts. But, satellite images reveal the truth. Images show that several houses have been burnt in several villages.

PART TWO / LANGUAGE IN USE (30%)

A/ Write the following number in full letters.

b) (1,250) **a / one thousand, two hundred and fifty** houses are burned down in Rohingya villages. (2pts)

c) There are far more than (600) **six hundred** victims in that ethnic cleansing. (1pt)

B/ Rewrite the sentence: If the military finds any boys aged above 10 years old, they will kill them.

a) They would kill them if the military found any boys aged 10 years old. (2pts)

b) If the military had found any boys aged 10 years old, they would have killed them. (2pts)

C/ Many things were about said the events in Myanmar. Read these phrases and answer the questions.

a) A woman said that when the military saw pretty ladies, they asked for water, then got inside the house and raped them. (4 pts)

b) The Asian Human Rights Watch director said that the alarming new satellite images confirmed that the destruction in Rohingya villages was far greater." (3 pts)

D/ Turn the following sentences to the active voice. (6 pts)

1. Men are also being picked up by the military. **The military is also picking up men.** (2pts)

2. Several women in her village were raped by the regime soldiers. **The regime soldiers raped several women in her village.** (2 pts)

3. Rohingya people are persecuted by the new elected government. **The new elected government persecutes Rohingya people.** (2 pts)

E/ The Myanmar government denied the massive destruction of Rohingya homes. Satellite images showed the world the truth. Read this text about the benefits of satellites and fill in the blanks with the prepositions or coordinating conjunctions: *Since, of, for, in, at, by, from*. Some are used more than once. (10 pts)

(1) By the end of the 1970s, more than 2,000 satellites were launched (2) by the United States, the Soviet Union and other countries. So far, they have yielded scientific and commercial benefits, extending man's understanding of his own planet.

(3) Since 1960s and 1970s satellites have been used (4) for telephone, telegraph and television communications, (5) as well as for military reconnaissance, geography, oceanography, geophysics, atmospheric physics, navigation, air traffic control and surveying natural resources.

The chief advantage (6) of using satellites is that they provide global coverage. (7) From a satellite's vantage point of observation (8) in orbit, vast territories can be surveyed (9) at the same time.

Applications foreseen (10) for the future include prospecting (11) for mineral resources, hydrology, inspection of crops and forests, fish farming, monitoring thermal and chemical pollution of the air and water, control of ground and air traffic and demography.

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Recapitulation of the answers (10 pts)

1- By (Example)

2- by

3- Since

4- for

5- as

6- of

7- From

8- from

9- at

10- for

11- for

PART THREE / WRITING (40 pts)

General instructions

The evaluation will take into account: the pertinence and coherence of ideas, the organisation of the ideas: introduction, development and conclusion; the correctness of the grammar and the use of an adequate vocabulary. Line limit should be respected.

Instructions for Task 1: The candidate clearly states his viewpoint. Pay attention to how the candidate supports his position: organisation, sound arguments, use of connectors, etc.

Instructions for Task 2: It's a friendly letter. Pay attention to the layout (date, addresses...in the right place), the salutation, the opening and closing of the letter. Is there an introduction, a conclusion to his / her letter?