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Part One :

A- / Comprehension

Read the text carefully then do the activities.

Corruption is the use and abuse of power for private purposes. These purposes are generally for personal enrichment or for the benefit of others. It is an illegal practice. It can affect anyone with a power, whether a politician, an official, an arbitrator or a sportsman, among other examples.

Bribery is to offer money or service to anyone who holds power in exchange for an undue advantage. Corruption is to accept that money. A classic example is that of a politician who receives money in his personal capacity or his party. This politician could be accused of passive corruption.

No country is entirely free of corruption. But when corruption takes such proportions that it could hinder economic growth and undermine efforts to establish good governance, it led to the general degeneration of the social fabric. Obstacle to sustainable development, corruption can potentially aggravate economic disparities and encourage organized crime. In fact, if corruption is growing unhindered, democracy can hardly flourish.

In recent years, there are big efforts at the international level to fight corruption. As a result, important victories have been won. Canada strongly supports the international fight against corruption because it is both an obstacle to good governance, a problem of crime, and also represents an obstacle to the economic, social and political development.

1-What type of discourse is the text?

a- Narrative

b- Prescriptive

c- Expository

2- Are the following sentences true or false?

a- corruption can lead to personal enrichment.

b- Everyone can be subject to corruption.

c- Corruption can help democracy to flourish.

3-Answer the following questions according to the text :

a-Is corruption lawful?

b- List from the text three drawbacks of corruption?

c- Where can corruption be found?

4- In which paragraph it is mentioned that all the countries of the world are affected by corruption?

5- What or Who do the underlined words in the text refer to?

It=.....

his =.....

Text Exploration :

1-Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following:

Ability =

wholly =

2-Find in the text words that are opposites to the following:

Public ≠

drawback ≠

3- Complete the following table:

verb	noun	adjective
-----	Corruption	-----
-----	-----	Grown
develop	-----	-----

4. Rewrite sentence "b" so that it means the same as sentence "a".

1.a) No country is entirely free of corruption.

b) I wish our country

2.a) We'll fight corruption if we respect laws.

b) Provided that

3.a) Important victories have been won.

b) They

5. Imagine what "A" says and complete the dialogue:

A:?

Yes, America is one of the corrupt countries in the world.

A:?

I think that the American president government should push more energy in fighting corruption.

A:?

No, I don't think\$ we can put an end to corruption soon.

6. Classify the following words according to the stressed syllable.

Conspiracy – politics- power- recognize

1 st syllable	2 nd syllable	3 rd syllable

PART TWO: Written Expression

Choose ONE of the following topics.

Topic One: Use the following notes to write a paragraph of about 120 to 150 words on the following topic:

You are elected president. Give promises to the population that will fight corruption and suggest measures you take.

- Stringent sanctions against corrupted people.
- Improve the living conditions of the civil servants.
- Participating in anti-corruption campaigns.
- Inciting people to denounce corruption.

Topic 2:

Ethics is important in life and business. Give some ethical values.

Good luck.

Subject One

Part one: Comprehension

1) c) Expository.

2) T - F - F

3) a) NO

b) obstacle to good governance - problem of crime

obstacle to the economic, social and political development

4) § 03.

5) It → Corruption

his → Politician

Text Exploration:

1) Ability = Capacity

wholly → entirely

2) Public ≠ Private

drawback ≠ benefit

3	To Corrupt To grow to develop	Corruption growth development	Corrupted / Corruptive Corruptible / Corrupting. grown. developed developing
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4) a) I wish our country would be free of corruption

b) Provided that we respect law, we will fight corruption

c) They have won important victories.

5)

a) Is America one of the corrupt countries?

b) How can they solve this problem?

c) Do you think we can put an end to this phenomenon?

6)

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Politics Recognize power	Conspiracy