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**ΟΔΗΓΙΕΣ**

1. Στο εξώφυλλο του τετραδίου απαντήσεων να συμπληρώσετε όλα τα κενά με τα στοιχεία που ζητούνται.
2. **Να απαντήσετε ΟΛΑ τα ερωτήματα.**
3. **Να μην αντιγράψετε τα θέματα** στο τετράδιο απαντήσεων.
4. Να μη γράψετε πουθενά στις απαντήσεις σας το όνομά σας.
5. Να απαντήσετε στο τετράδιό σας σε όλα τα θέματα **μόνο με μπλε ή μόνο με μαύρη πένα ανεξίτηλης μελάνης**. Μολύβι επιτρέπεται, μόνο αν το ζητάει η εκφώνηση, και μόνο για πίνακες, διαγράμματα κλπ.
6. Απαγορεύεται η χρήση διορθωτικού υγρού και διορθωτικής ταινίας.

**ΣΑΣ ΕΥΧΟΜΑΣΤΕ ΚΑΛΗ ΕΠΙΤΥΧΙΑ**

**PART II: WRITING SKILLS**

**(30 MARKS)**

**A friend is coming to Cyprus for a six-day holiday. Write an email to your friend to give him/her some information about:**

- the place (town/village) that you think is best to stay
- the activities to do there
- the most interesting sights to visit

*Write about 100 words.*



**PART III: READING SKILLS**

**(30 MARKS)**

**Read the passage below and answer ALL the questions that follow.**

**The first light after dark**

By Bas van Oort

***The dark period***



Every winter from mid November, the Svalbard archipelago, located halfway between northern Norway and the North Pole, is covered in **total** darkness.

On the biggest and only inhabited island, Spitsbergen, people don't see the sun for four months. During this challenging time, residents wait longingly for March, when the sun finally rises above the horizon again.

***Living here by choice***

The population of Spitsbergen is constantly **shifting**, with most people moving here just for a few years to work in tourism, in coal mines or as researchers. Due to the isolation,

women are not allowed to give birth on the island, and people must leave when they hit retirement age. What's left is a mostly young, healthy and vibrant society.

### ***Two winters***

There's a saying that Svalbard has five seasons: spring, summer, autumn and then two winters, the dark and the light winter. The dark winter, or polar night, when the sun doesn't **rise** at all, is followed by a period of twilight in February and early March. This second winter is the favourite for many people on the island. The colours of the sky and landscape can change by the hour and it feels like the sun could rise above the horizon at any minute. But it doesn't. It's a tease that lasts for weeks.

### ***Earn your reward***

Those who want to see the sun earlier must climb the highest mountains around the end of February. The closest **peak** to Longyearbyen is Trollsteinen (850m), which takes about two-and-a-half to three hours to hike up – although the unpredictable weather conditions mean a sun sighting is never guaranteed.

Chasing the first sunlight only happens for a week or two every year but is one of the most special experiences you can have on the island, especially after a long winter without months of sunlight.

### ***Kissed by the sun***

“Seeing the sun for the first time in months is **emotional**. The brightness, the warmth you feel on your face. You start to extremely appreciate basic aspects of nature you never really thought about before.”

*Adapted from: <http://www.bbc.com/travel/story/20170130-the-first-light-after-months-of-dark>*

**A. Choose the best answer a, b or c according to the passage. (5x2=10 marks)**

**1. It is absolutely \_\_\_ in Spitsbergen for a four-month period.**

- a. dark
- b. cloudy
- c. bright

**2. Women have their children born \_\_\_.**

- a. on the island of Spitsbergen
- b. in a place other than Spitsbergen
- c. on an island of Norway

3. During the light winter, seeing the sunrise at any moment for weeks is \_\_\_\_ phenomenon.

- a. a real
- b. a factual
- c. an unreal

4. Those who climb the highest mountains to see the sun, they \_\_\_\_ see it.

- a. will
- b. may
- c. should

5. Seeing the sun after a very long time, people \_\_\_\_ .

- a. may better understand what nature offers to us
- b. appreciate all aspects of life
- c. misunderstand some aspects of nature

**B. Write whether the following sentences are True (T) or False (F). (5x2=10 marks)**

1. On the island of Spitsbergen, the sunrise occurs in Spring.
2. People who retire from their jobs can stay on Spitsbergen island.
3. The dark winter is also called polar night.
4. The colours of the sky and landscape are always the same during the light winter.
5. Looking for the first sunlight is exciting for the people of Spitsbergen.

**C. Match the words in Column A with their meanings in Column B. (5x1=5 marks)**

Column A	Column B
1. total	a. go up
2. shifting	b. complete
3. rise	c. exciting
4. peak	d. changing
5. emotional	e. top

**D. Answer the following questions according to the passage. (5 marks)**

1. What three jobs do most of the people who move to Spitsbergen for some weeks do? (3 marks)
2. Name two things that make the sight of the sun emotional. (2 marks)

**PART IV: LANGUAGE USAGE (20 MARKS)**

**A. Choose the correct option a, b or c so that the second sentence has a similar meaning to the first sentence. (5x2=10 marks)**

1. The sun produces solar energy.

Solar energy \_\_\_\_\_ by the sun.

- a. is produced                      b. was produced                      c. has been produced

2. Emma joined the art club two years ago.

Emma \_\_\_\_\_ a member of the art club for two years.

- a. was                                      b. became                                      c. has been

3. The chocolate cake is more delicious than the strawberry cake.

The strawberry cake is not \_\_\_\_\_ the chocolate cake.

- a. as delicious as                      b. less delicious than                      c. the most delicious of



C. Complete the following passage by using the correct form of the word in brackets. (10x0.5=5 marks)

### GOING CAMPING



Nowadays more and more people who want to have a break from their daily routine, to take their mind off work and other stressors, and to be 1. \_\_\_\_ (**ADVENTURE**), choose to go camping.

Going camping is an environmentally friendly type of holiday that can become a 2. \_\_\_\_ (**BENEFIT**) experience.

Living in nature promotes an 3. \_\_\_\_ (**ECOLOGY**) sense of thinking, which is about understanding ourselves as part of nature. Camping gives people a sense of 4. \_\_\_\_ (**FREE**), since they decide where to put up their tents, and it brings people together. Campers may work together to collect firewood and cook food, and such activities, which awaken in people an instinctive side of themselves that focuses on 5. \_\_\_\_ (**SURVIVE**), create a sense of community that can direct to a unique collaborative experience. Furthermore, going camping offers an escape from the cities, and time away from the noise and 6. \_\_\_\_ (**POLLUTE**) in them, and engaging in physical activities can have a positive impact on people's mental health and mood.

Being close to nature for a few days, people may not have the opportunity to visit places which are typical tourist 7. \_\_\_\_ (**ATTRACT**), and they may not sit back and enjoy themselves without 8. \_\_\_\_ (**WORRY**) about anything, but they develop life skills, which help to build their self-confidence. Putting up a tent and building a fire are 9. \_\_\_\_ (**TIRE**) activities, but once they are completed, people feel more self-confident, and self-confident people are more likely to be 10. \_\_\_\_ (**SUCCEED**) in the future.

### ΤΕΛΟΣ ΓΡΑΠΤΗΣ ΑΞΙΟΛΟΓΗΣΗΣ