## АГГNIKA - ANSWER KEY

PART I: COMPOSITION
(40 MARKS)
Write a composition of about 200-250 words on the following:
Eating habits are affected by culture, health and fashion. Discuss.

## PART II: READING COMPREHENSION

(30 MARKS)
A. Choose the best alternative $\mathbf{a}, \mathrm{b}, \mathrm{c}$ or d according to the text.
(5 x $3=15$ marks)

1. At the end of the summer, the author felt
b. generally not very well.
2. The author was not going away on holiday because he .. $\qquad$
a. didn't have enough money.
3. The writer describes the weather as $\qquad$
b. rather dull and calm.
4. Before he left his rooms the writer was $\qquad$
c. day dreaming with a book in his hand.
5. Why was the writer thankful for his father's efforts? Because he ...
c. had had an easy start to his career.
B. Answer the following questions.
( $3 \times 3=9$ marks)
6. How often did the author visit his mother?

Twice a week.
2. Why did the author's father pay a lot of money to insure himself? Because he was anxious about those who were dependent on him.
3. Find evidence in the passage which shows that the author's mother and sister had no financial worries even before their father's death. "Thanks to his care my mother and sister were left, after his death, as independent of the world as they had been during his lifetime."
C. Find single words in the passage which mean the following:
( $6 \times 1$ = 6 marks)

1. sums of money $=$ funds
2. important $=$ necessary
3. only $=$ sole
4. regard $=$ consider
5. job $=$ profession
6. in front of $=$ before

## PART III: USE OF ENGLISH

(30 MARKS)
A. Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the word in bold and other words to complete each sentence. Do not change the words given.
(5 x 2 = 10 marks)

1. ...must have passed...
2. ...are frightened by..
3. ...whether they wanted...
4. ...if it wasn't / weren't...
5. ...didn't let him / Tom go...
B. Choose the correct alternative $A, B, C$ or $D$ in each case.
(5 x 1 = 5 marks)
6. I wish I could have a cream cake, but unfortunately I am ..... .
B. slimming
7. I can never tell the difference ..... American and Canadian accents.
C. between
8. George said, 'It ..... for forty days. I wish it would stop.'
D. has been raining
9. ..... you searched everywhere?
C. Have
10. I took a lot of ..... when I went abroad.
A. luggage
C. Fill in the gaps in the following text with the correct form of the words given in brackets.
(10 x $1=10$ marks)
Why do people learn languages?
11. majority
12. choice
13. knowledge
14. possibility
15. professional
16. particularly
17. communication
18. decision
19. temporarily
20. pleasure
D. Fill in the gaps in the following text with only ONE word.
( $5 \times 1=5$ marks)
Music to my ears
21. to
22. who
23. of
24. in
25. as
