

I A. Mark the following statements as true or false according to the reading passage: (15 marks)

- X 1. The effects of t.v. on our lives are always negative.
- ✓ 2. T.v. affects the human brain.
- X 3. The lives of people who watch a lot of t.v. seem very exciting.
- ✓ 4. The violence on t.v. influences people.
- ✓ 5. Some people need to watch t.v. ; they don't feel good without it.

B. Circle the letter of the one main idea of the reading. (5 marks)

- a. T.v. teaches us about science, medicine and the arts.
- (b) T.v. has several negative effects on people.
- c. T.v. causes people to be violent.
- d. Many people are addicted to t.v.

C. In the reading passage, there is a letter next to each paragraph, match each paragraph with its topic. Write the correct letter on the line. (10 marks)

- 1. C The effects of t.v. on the brain.
- 2. E The influence of t.v. violence on people.
- 3. B The amount of time some people watch t.v.
- 4. A The positive effects of t.v.
- 5. D The comparison of t.v. programs to real life.

D. Circle the letters of ALL THE CORRECT PHRASES for each of the following blanks, according to the reading passage. (16 marks)

1. T.v. -----

- (a) can teach us about many subjects
- (b) helps ESL students to learn English
- c. is better for children than for very old people
- d. increases our powers of concentration

2. Many people who watch a lot of t.v. -----

- a. can't usually relax
- (b) become dissatisfied with the reality of their own lives
- c. can solve their problems more quickly
- d. take scissors and cut the t.v. wire.