

A thank you note

Dear beloved teachers,

One of my special memories was my first day at elementary school. I was so excited to meet my new friends and teachers.

Mrs Riley taught me English and one of the most important things in life: how to care for others. Mrs Evans taught me how to read and write, and encouraged **me** to write short stories and poems. I loved writing, and my dream was to become a famous writer someday.

Before I left elementary school, Mrs Evans told me, "Keep writing, Rosemary. Never give up your dream." Mr Bradshaw taught me maths. I really liked doing maths projects. He also taught me to be self-confident and always believe in myself.

The most sincere and heart-felt "Thank you" to Mrs Riley, Mrs Evans and Mr Bradshaw **who** provided me all with support, guidance and precious life lessons. I will always keep you in my heart! I'll never forget you.

I'm not sure how I'm going to live without your lessons and your words of wisdom. But I know that I can now go into the real world and be confident and a caring kind of person. For all of this, thanks to my wonderful teachers!

As you provided me with all the knowledge and moral support I need to be able to face my future, you will always be my best teachers!

Yours,
Rosemary

Read the text carefully and do the following activities.

Part One: (14 pts)

A/ Reading Comprehension: (07 pts)

Activity1: Read the text then I Circle the correct answer. (2pts)

1/The text is: a- a poem b- a conversation c- a thank you note.

2/Rosemary is the: a- receiver b- sender c- playwright

Activity2: Read the following statements and write "True", "False" or "Not mentioned". (02pts)

1/Rosemary is talking about her schoolteachers at primary school

2/she has learnt to be perseverant from her teacher of English

3/Rosemary is a sociable person.....

Activity3: Answer the following questions. (03pts)

1/Why will Rosemary's teachers be the best ones?

2/ Did they teach her how to be perseverant? Justify?
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3/who or what do the words written in bold type in the text refer to?
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Lexis (2pts)

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

Perseverant = Help =

2- Find in the text words or expressions that are opposite in meaning to:

Remember =/= Since =/=

B/ Mastery of Language: (07pts)

Activity1: Supply the punctuation and capital letters where necessary. (02pts)

rosemary loved doing maths projects as a result she used to get good grades

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Activity2: I compare using “asas” or “not asas”: (2pts)

1/Rosemary was more attentive than her classmates at Elementary school.

Rosemary’s

Mrs Riley was thirty five when she taught herMrs Evans had nearly the same age.

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Activity3: I turn into the passive voice.(2pts)

1/ Mrs Riley taught me English and one of the most important things in life

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2/Rosemary wrote her teachers a thank you note to.

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3/She appreciated maths projects.

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Task four: Pick out from the text four words and complete the table according to the pronunciation of their final “ed”. (02pts)

/t/	/d/	/id/
1.....	1.....	1.....
	2.....	

II- PART TWO: Situation of integration. (6pts)

In an international blog for childhood memories. Members of the group posted snapshots from their elementary school memories and their life styles in the past.

You want to participate.

Write about your memories to be published in the blog.

You can write about

Your elementary best teacher /friend.

Your childhood dream.

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