

Diagnostic Assessment

Level: 1<sup>st</sup> year

Teacher: ZOULAOUI /S

Task 01: Turn the following sentences into the negative form. An example is given below

Eg: Crocodiles live in Europe → Crocodiles don't live in Europe. They live in Africa

- An airplane flies very slowly.
- Bananas come from England.
- The temperature rises at night.
- The French won the World Cup in 2006.
- Brazilians speak English.

Task 02: Complete the following table

Adjective	Comparative	Superlative
Good		
Beautiful		
Long		
Bad		

Task 03: Match the words and phrases in column A with their opposites in column B

A	B
clean	late
early	to be wrong
to travel	to tell the truth
	dirty
to be right	to stay at home
to tell lie	

Task 04: Complete

Stem	Past simple	Past participle
Ask		
Be		
Begin		
Borrow		
Buy		
Come		
Drink		
Eat		

Task 05: Put *yet* or *already* in these sentences.

1- I have spoken with my teacher about my project.  
.....

2- We haven't finished the exercise.  
.....

3- I am planning to fly to Oran next week but I haven't bought the plan ticket.  
.....

4- Have you done your homework?  
.....

5- No, I haven't done it.  
.....

Task 06: Classify the following words according to their final "s"

*Finds - rises - speaks - watches*

/ s /	/ z /	/ Iz /
.....	.....	.....

Task07: Reorder the following words to get coherent sentences

➤ not/ Omar/ at/ is/ home./

➤ can/ Arabic./ He/ speak/

Task08: Complete the following dialogue

A. ....?

B. My name is Hanan.

A. ....?

B. Yes, I 'm pupil. I study in secondary school.

A. ....?

B. No, I do not go to school by bicycle. I go to school on foot

**Good Luck**

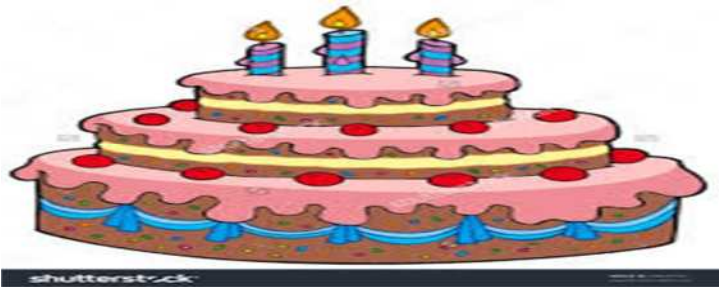


## First Term Test n°1

05<sup>th</sup> November, 2016

Dear Jane,

I am celebrating my birthday on 7<sup>th</sup> November and this time I am planning to celebrate it at home. There is going to be a small tea party in the evening after 7 p.m. Also, there will be a dance and a music programme. I am going to invite all my friends and relatives. It wouldn't be extraordinary without your presence, so please be there



with love

Kate

**1 - Circle the letter which best completes the sentence:**

The text is:

- a- a letter of enquiry      b- an informal letter of invitation      c- a formal refusal of invitation

**2-Say whether the following statements are True or False.**

- a- Kate's birthday will be on 5<sup>th</sup> November.  
 b- Kate will invite her friends only.  
 c- Kate will celebrate her birthday in a restaurant.

**3 - Answer the following questions according to the text.**

- a - Who is the sender?  
 b - Who is the recipient?  
 c - What is the time and the date of the birthday?

**4. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text?**

(I) → .....

(Your) → .....

**B/Text Exploration:****1- Find in the text the opposite of the following words:**

Absence ≠ .....      big ≠ .....

**2- Re- order the following words to get meaningful sentences.**

1/always/Peter/sport/practises.

2/visits/rarely/her/relatives/she

3/extremely/in/winter/Alaska/is/cold/it

4/children/often/are/afraid/darkness/of.

**3-Fill in the blanks with “so as to”, “to”, ”in order to” or their negatives.**

A-She always wakes up early.....miss the bus school.

b- I asked about her address.....visit her.

c-He went to Egland.....study in oxford university.

**4-Fill in the blanks with the appropriate reflexive pronoun**

a-I'm not going to do that for you. You can do it .....

B- Lisa and I walked to the store by.....

c- We enjoyed.....in Kate’s party.

**5-classify the following words according to their stressed syllable.**

China- connect-remove-Sunday-printer-repair

Stress on the 1 <sup>st</sup> syllable	Stress on the 2 <sup>nd</sup> syllable

Read the text then do the activities

A) Comprehension

November 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 2016
<p>Dear aunt Julia,</p> <p>I have received your invitation but I'll have to go to hospital next week for a medical check up. Therefore, I'm sorry to tell you that I can't come to the party that you'll celebrate. When you visited me last week, I was a bit depressed. I talked to my doctor who advised me to take some rest.</p> <p>Honey, I'll pay you a visit later.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">With my best wishes</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Sandy</p>

- 1- The message above is : (0.5)
  - An informal acceptance of invitation
  - A formal refusal of invitation
  - An informal note of apology
  - An informal refusal of invitation
  
- 2- Say whether these statements are true or false? (1.5)
  - a- Julia is Sandy's friend.
  - b- Sandy does not want to go to the part.
  - c- She will visit her aunt next time.
  
- 3- Answer the following questions according to the text : (3pts)
  - a- Who is the sender of the message and who is the recipient?
  - b- When will the party take place?
  - c- Why is it impossible for Sandy to be present at the party?
  
- 4- What does the expression "I'll pay you a visit" exactly mean? Does it mean : (1pt)
  - I'll give you money after the party?
  - I'll visit you after the party?
  - I'll buy you a ticket to go on a trip?

B) Text exploration

- 1- Find: synonym to: have fun (1pt)  
Find opposite of: sent
  
- 2- Punctuate and capitalize the following: (1pt)  
 a computer is a machine that handles information very quickly it is composed of different parts such as the monitor the keyboard the mouse and the central unit or console Computers use numbers to solve problems

3- **Complete the following table**

(1pt)

Verbs	Nouns
.....	Apology
To accept	.....
To refuse	.....
.....	discussion

4- **Ask the questions that the underlined words answer :**

(3pts)

- a- She usually takes an orange juice for breakfast.  
.....?
- b- Sally went to Paris last week.  
.....?
- c- Father always uses my phone.  
.....?

5- **Write the verbs between brackets in the appropriate tense :**

(1pt)

Arnold (not accept).....his best friend's invitation for a football match because he ( pass ) .....an exam. Later, he promises that he will try to play with his team.

6- **Classify these words according to their stressed syllable :**

(1pt)

Apply - Ireland - escape - window -

1 <sup>st</sup> syllable	2 <sup>nd</sup> syllable

**Part two**

**Written expression**

**Write a formal acceptance of a visit to the local zoo:**

(5pts)

## The first test of English \*\*\*

\* **School:** Bouzid Dardar Secondary school . \* **School year:** 2017/2018.

\* **Level:** First years.

\* **Streams:** Literary Streams.

\* **Duration :** 1 H .

- **Read the following screenshot carefully and do the following activities.**

The screenshot shows an email client interface. The left sidebar contains folders: Brouillons, Envoyé, Messages supprimés, Gestion des dossiers, Aujourd'hui, Courrier, Contacts, and Calendrier. The main area displays an email with the following details:

From: Melindagriffefth@hotmail.com  
To: samibenrabeh@Yahoo.Fr  
Object: Friendship by correspondence.

The email body contains the following text:

Dear Sami ,

I found your name and address in a list at [www.makingfriends.org](http://www.makingfriends.org), so I quickly began to type you these few words.

My name is Melinda Griffefth. I am a Polish girl. I am 18 years old. I am a pupil at the secondary school. I am tall with long hair and blue eyes.

In Poland, school usually begins at 08 o'clock except Saturdays and Sundays because everybody is on weekend. My friends and I often practise tennis and go to the cinema on weekends, but I never forget my school duties. I always make sure that my homeworks are done before leaving home.

My family and I live in Warsaw. It is the capital city of Poland. Dad is a carpenter and my mother is a midwife. She likes her job very much and she is very good at it. I have two brothers. Ted is 14 years old. He is a pupil too. Patrick is 04 years old. He does not go to school yet. My mother always takes him to the nursery before she goes to work.

Finally, this is all I can tell you now. I will tell you more about Poland in my next e-mail. Please tell me about yourself, your family and life in Algeria.

Sincerely yours'  
Melinda.

① **Activity One:** Choose the best answer that completes each statement.  
(03 pts)

- 1) The text is:
  - a) a postal letter
  - b) a short story
  - c) an e -mail
- 2) “Melindagriffefth@hotmail.com” is:
  - a) an electronic address
  - b) a book title
  - c) an e-book.
- 3) The e-mail is about:
  - a) an apology
  - b) an invitation for friendship.
  - c) a rejection of friendship.

② **Activity two:** Read the text again and answer the following questions.  
(03 pts)

- a) Is Melinda's father a director? What is he?
- b) What is Melinda's nationality?
- c) How often does her mother take Ted to the nursery?

**Activity three:** /Link each part with the suitable function :

Parts	Functions
1/The memory	A/ Produce the desired information
2/The screen	B/Serves to manipulate the computer
3/The keys	C/Stores information
4/The keyboard	D/Used for showing information

**Activity four :** Write correct sentences using the words given below.  
(06 pts)

- 1) / e-mails / Sami / . / his friends / usually / sends / to /  
.....
- 2) /Melinda / often/ her keypals / chat / chats / . / with  
.....
- 3) / ? / you / rarely / do / why / go / the cybercafé / to  
.....
- 4) Sometimes /arrives /school/late/she / to .  
.....

**Activity five:(4pts)** Classify the following words according to the number of syllables :

Computer /keyboard /memory /floppy /disk /  
ROM/ printer/e-mail

1syllab	2syllab	3syllab



**Boushaba Ahmed Secondary School**

**Level: 1<sup>st</sup> Year scientific stream.**

**Name.....**

**First Term Test**

**Read the text then do the following activities**

**Dear John**

**November 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2016**

Hello John, how you are doing. **I** have received your invitation for the birthday party of your wife yesterday. Thank you very much for your invitation. I am writing to apologize for not being able to come to the party. I am very sorry because I have already decided to travel to Finland. As **you** know I am a student who study far from his home and each weekend, I have to visit my family. Please accept my sincere apology. I will pay you a visit once I come back from **my** home. I wish you would have a good day with your wife.

**Jack**

**A) Text Comprehension**

**1-The text is:** a) a letter of apology b) an letter of enquiry c) a formal invitation

**2- Say whether the following statements are true or false?**

a-John organized a party for his birthday.

b- Jack can't come to the party because he decided to travel to Finland.

c- jack didn't apologize to his friend john

**3- Answer the following questions according to the text**

1-Who is the sender of the letter and who is the recipient?

.....

2-When did jack receive the invitation to the party.

.....

3- Why jack can not come to the party?

.....

**4- What do the underlined pronouns refer to in the text?**

**I...** .....

**You**.....

**My**.....

**5- The expression ' I will pay you a visit' means:**

a- He will pay a trip for his friend

b- He will visit his friend soon.

c- He will give him a present.

## **Text exploration:**

### **1- Find the text words that are opposites to:**

Near  $\neq$  ..... Refuse  $\neq$  ..... bad  $\neq$  .....

### **2-Rewrite the following sentences putting the adverbs in the correct position.**

1- I am late for my work. (often)

.....

2- My friend work on weekends. (rarely)

.....

3- The exercise was difficult. (very)

.....

4. My friend is handsome (extremely)

.....

### **3-Complete the following sentences with the articles 'a' 'an' 'the' or zero article**

1-Yesterday,I saw.....men next to our secondary school.....men was stopped by..... .Police officer

2- My friend bought.....new car.....car was very expensive.

3-John send .... letter and.....email to his friend when he was abroad.

4- .....Freedom is won, never given.

### **4-Underline the mistake in the following sentences and correct it?**

1-John introduced herself.....

2-people must to protect nature.....

3-Yesterday, I do my homework.....

4- The Finland is located in Europe.....

### **5- Complete the following passage with the words from the list below?**

**(In order to- from- received- accepted- because - trip)**

- Yesterday, Tom.....an email.....his friend Jack. When he was at the airport.He asked him to delay his trip....., he wanted to travel with him. Tom.....his request and invited him to make a plan for their.....Both of them agreed to meet.....set the program of the trip.

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**PART ONE:**

A/ **Text Comprehension:** Read the text carefully then answer the following questions

October 20<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Dear Arthur,

How is everyone in Vegas City? Thanks for sending me that picture of you and Dexter in front of the Candy Shop. It was really funny! **You** both look a little different than I thought you would. Was Dexter really eating that giant chocolate bar? Chocolate here in Turkey doesn't come that big! My favorite dessert is sutlaç, which is Turkish rice pudding. You should try it sometime.

After school, my friends and I listen to music or play soccer or basketball. This week my friend Emre and I are practicing for a big chess tournament in our school. Emre is a better player than I am. **He**'ll probably win. Sometimes after school I help out at my dad's grocery store. In Turkish, we call it a bakkal. In the attachment you'll find a picture of me helping **him** out. My sister Asli is trying to help, too.

Next weekend, our dad is planning to take us to visit Istanbul. This will be my second time but it is Asli's first and she is very excited and keeps telling her friends about it. I was really happy when I visited **it** the last spring, it is a charming city.

I guess, that will be all for this time. Please write back soon.

Your friend,

Burak

1. What is the type of the reading passage?

a- A letter

b- a web article.

c- An advert.

2. Are these statements true or false? Write T or F next to the corresponding statement.

a. This is the first letter between the sender and the receiver.....

b. The writer visited Istanbul once.....

c. The writer is the best chess player in his school.....

d. Asli is the writer's sister.....

3. Answer the following questions according to the text.

a. Where was the received picture taken?

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b. What is the writer practicing for?

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c. When did the sender visit Istanbul?

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d. What does the sender's father do?

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**4. Complete the following table from the text.**

The sender?	The receiver?	The sender's Country?	The receiver's Country?

**5. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text?**

**You** (§ 1) -----

**He** (§ 2) -----

**Him** (§ 2) -----

**It** (§ 3) -----

**B. Text Exploration**

**1. Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following**

**a.** Various (§ 1)\_\_\_\_\_ **b.** Glad (§ 3) \_\_\_\_\_ **c.** Aid (§ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ **d.** Photo (§ 1)\_\_\_\_\_

**2. Complete sentences with: don't have to, must, mustn't, needn't**

a-Our train leaves in two minutes. We..... hurry.

b-I'm not working tomorrow, so I .....get up early.

c- The pupils..... cheat at exams.

**3. Fill in the gaps with: so as not to / in order to/ to.**

**a-** She is writing the letter.....introduce herself to Jane.

**b-** Eliza's sister goes to University.....study British literature, but.....study French.

**4. Fill in the blanks with: themselves / them / their / they.**

Arthur and Dexter are from USA. .... live in a small flat. Richards is .....friend. He sometimes spends time with.....on weekends. Arthur and Dexter prepare.....to go to the cinema with Richards.

**5. Order the following words to get coherent sentences.**

1) / E-mails / Sami / . / his friends / usually / sends / to /

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2) /Melinda / often/ her keypals / chats / . / with

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3) My/ our/ a little bit/ friend/ late/. / appointment/ is/ for

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**6. Fill in with the right article: a, an, the, Ø**

My name is.... Ryne. I am ....English and I am 17 years old. I am... secondary school pupil.

I live with my family in.... central part of Manchester. I have two sisters and...brother and I am .....eldest.

My father is.....engineer while my mother is .....teacher.

## The Correction of The First Term Test

### PART ONE: Reading.

(15 points)

#### A. Comprehension

(07 points)

##### 1. What is the type of the reading passage?

(01 point)

The reading Passage is: **An Email.**

##### 2. Are these statements true or false? Write T or F next to the corresponding statement. (0.25 × 4)

- a. This is the first letter between the sender and the receiver. (F)
- b. The writer visited Istanbul once. (T)
- c. The writer is the best chess player in his school. (F)
- d. Asli is the writer's sister. (T)

##### 3. Answer the following questions according to the text. (0.5 × 4)

- a. The received picture taken in front of the candy shop.
- b. The writer is practicing for a big chess tournament.
- c. He visited Istanbul the last spring.
- d. The sender's father works in a grocery.

##### 4. Complete the following table from the text. (0.5 × 4)

The sender?	The receiver?	The sender's Country?	The receiver's Country?
Burak.	Arthur.	Turkey.	USA.

##### 5. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text? (0.25 × 4)

You (**Arthur and Dexter**)   He (**Emre**)   Him (**The sender's father**)   It (**Istanbul**)

#### B. Text Exploration (08 points)

##### 1. Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following: (0.25 × 4)

- a. Various = **Different**
- b. Glad = **Happy**
- c. Aid = **Help**
- d. Photo = **Picture**

##### 2. Complete the following chart as shown in the chart. (0.25 × 4)

	Verb.	Noun.	Adjective.
Example	To write	Writing.	Written.
	To invite.	<i>invitation</i>	<i>Inviting/invited</i>
	<i>To accept.</i>	<i>acceptance.</i>	accepted.



**3. Link the pairs of the sentences using the connectors in brackets. Make the necessary changes.(0.25 × 4)**

- a. Arthur studies very hard **in order to** be a doctor.
- b. Dexter hates **both of** biology **and** physics.
- c. They will visit Istanbul **either** today **or** tomorrow.
- d. Asli can **neither** play on piano **nor** play on violin.

**4. Fill in the blanks with: themselves / them / their / they. (0.25pts×04)**

Arthur and Dexter are from USA. They live in a small flat. Richards is their friend. He sometimes spends time with them in weekends. Arthur and Dexter prepare themselves to go to the cinema with Richards.

**5. Reorder the following words to get coherent sentences. (0. 5pt ×03)**

- 1. / E-mails / Sami /. / his friends / usually / sends / to /  
Sami usually sends e-mails to his friends.
- 2. /Melinda / often/ her keypals / chats /. / with  
Melinda often chats with her keypals.
- 3. /Never /arrives /school/late/she / to.  
She never arrives to school late.

**4. Ask question on the underlined words. (0.25pt × 02)**

- a.**Who** is visiting Istanbul?
- b. **How often** does Dexter play videos games?

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## First Term Test N°01

### **Part One: Reading (15pts)**

Read the following passage carefully then do the activities below.

Dear Yasmine,

I have found your address on the internet this morning, and I am so pleased to correspond with an Algerian keypal. I am eager to know more about you and your country. But I have to introduce myself first. (§1)

My name is Eliza. I am fifteen , going on sixteen. I am a first year student at Nelson Mandela High School. I am quite tall. I look a bit like my father. I have got his fair hair and dark brown eyes, but I have got my mother's personality. (§2)

On weekdays, I always wake up early in the morning. I often take my breakfast at seven. After finishing the breakfast, I dress and go to school. I generally take the bus because it is a little bit far. At school, we practise different sports. I sometimes play handball matches. (§3)

My family is a so small, healthier and mutually supportive family. My father is a shopkeeper and my mother is a nurse. I have one brother who goes to university. His name is Tim. (§4)

I live in Johannesburg, the richest city in South Africa. Johannesburg has about 710,000 inhabitants. The city is well-known for hosting the Earth Summit 2002 and the FIFA World Cup 2010. I am looking forward to hearing from you soon, keep in touch! (§5)

Yours Sincerely,  
Eliza

### **A/ Comprehension:**

#### **1. Choose the item that best completes your answer: (1pt)**

The reading passage is: .....

a) an invitation

b) a letter of enquiry

c) an e-mail

#### **2. Say whether the following statements are true (T) or false (F): (2pts)**

a. Eliza is sixteen years old. ....

b. With her small supportive family, she resides in Johannesburg. ....

#### **3. What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text: (1pt)**

your (§1) .....

myself (§1) .....

#### **4. Answer the following questions according to the text: 4pts**

a. Who is the sender? To whom?

.....

b. Why does Eliza want to correspond with Yasmine?

.....

c. What is the job of Eliza's brother?

.....  
d. How often does Eliza play handball?  
.....

## **B/ Text Exploration:**

**1. Find in the text words that are closest in meaning to the following: (2pts)**

very happy (§1) = ..... exchange letters and messages (§1) = .....

**2. Join these pairs of sentences with the conjunction between brackets. (2pts)**

a/ I always revise my lessons. I don't want to have bad marks. (in order not to)  
.....

b/ He doesn't use the computer for studies. He doesn't use it for playing games.(neither ... nor)  
.....

**3. Circle the stressed syllable in the following words: 2pts**

Nation - receive - prefer - garden

## **Part Two: Written Expression** (6 pts)

**Reorder the following sentences to get a coherent message.**

- a. I wish her a prompt recovery.
- b. I am sorry to hear that
- c. I hope she is OK, now.
- d. your mother had a medical operation.
- e. Dear Farid,
- f. Your Friend, Walid

..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... .....
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*Take it easy, it will be really easy!*  
*“Good Luck”*

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### The 2<sup>nd</sup> English Test (1st Term)

Read the 4 messages carefully then answer the questions :

<p>Jhon and Lora Smith ,</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Would like to invite you to their daughter's birthday party which will be on Monday, January 20th . from 15 :00 to 17 :00 and looking to enjoy your time. R .S.V.P</p>	<p>Dear sir/madam ;</p> <p>I am writing to apologize for all the noise that my children made last night. I will make sure that they won't repeat the same mistake next time.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">James Jhonson</p>
<p>Dear peter,</p> <p>I have just heard that you have passed your master exam. I congratulate you and i wish you every success in your life.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Yours, Sam Hanson</p>	<p>Dear sarah,</p> <p>Thank you very much for your invitation, I am afraid I can't come to the party because I have to visit my father in the hospital. I hope you will have a good time.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Yours, Jhon</p>

A) Comprehension :

**1) Match each letter with its corresponding name : (2pts)**

- |          |                   |
|----------|-------------------|
| Letter 1 | a- Congratulation |
| Letter 2 | b- Invitation     |
| Letter 3 | c- Apology        |
| Letter 4 | d- Refusal.       |

**2) Are the following statements true or false ? (2pts)**

- a- Smith family organizes their son's birthday. ....
- b- James Jhonson sends the messahe to apologize for his children's mistake  
.....
- c- Peter failed in the master exam. ....
- d- Jhon's father is sick. ....

**3) Answer the following questions according to the texts : (4pts)**

- a- What is the aim of each letter ?  
 Letter 1 : .....  
 Letter 2 : .....  
 Letter 3 : .....  
 Letter 4 : .....
- b- Is the first letter formal or informal ? justify your answer.

**4) Find words that are closest in meaning to : (2pts)**

- a-** fault (letter 2) =..... **b-** hope (letter 3) =.....

**5) Find words that are opposite in meaning to : (2pts)**

- a- Failed (letter 3)#..... b- bad (letter 4)#.....

**6/Join the following pairs of sentences with: (both..and),(either..or),(neither..Nor): (4pts)**

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| 1.a- The computer records information.      | B-the computer stores music.              |
| 2.a -My computer is new.                    | B- my computer is modern.                 |
| 3.a- With the keyboard we can write Arabic. | B-with the keyboard we can write English. |
| 4. a- My computer is not modern.            | B-my computer is not expensive.           |

**7/Fill in the blanks with the right word and form expressing purpose: (1,5pts)**

- a- She has taken the bus .....arrive at school earlier.
- b- I'm writing.....congratulate you for your success.
- c- ..... To repeat the year, students have to learn harder.

**8) Put the following words in the table according to the stressed syllable: (2,5pts)**

Collect – magic – listen – cursor – present .

1 <sup>ST</sup> syllable	2 <sup>nd</sup> syllable