

# HALICHE HOUCINE MIDDLE SCHOOL

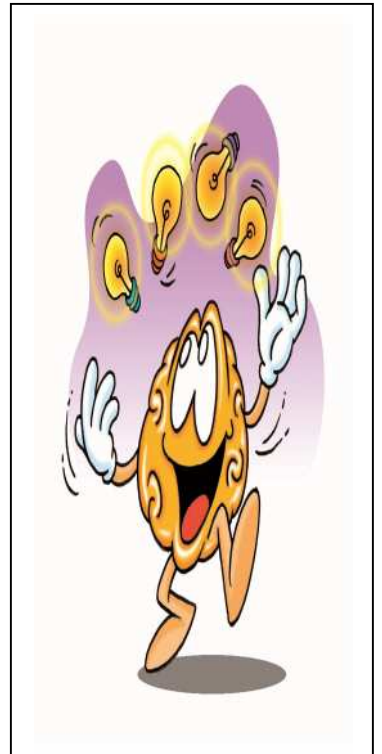
Level: 4MS

## First English Exam

Today, people can do many things they couldn't do years ago. For example, people can drive cars, take photographs, forecast the weather and do many other exceptional things. They can even fly across the ocean and go to the moon in spaceships without any difficulty.

However, Man's present ability to fly is the result of past achievements by exceptional pilots like the Wright Brothers who were able to fly the first plane in 1903 and Charles Lindberg who was able to make the first solo nonstop flight in 1927.

In the near future, man will certainly be able to go to space by a new type of spaceship in which the future astronauts will be a new generation of robots. These robots may go on missions of exploration to the different planets which won't be a secret!



### Reading comprehension 7pts

#### A. Choose a,b,c,d and complete the sentence: (3pts )

1. People can go to the moon a) easily b) hardly c) early d) carefully.
2. Wright Brothers were able to fly the first plane a) 55 years ago b) 100 years ago c) 110 years ago d) 113 years ago
3. In the future, man will be able to explore a) oceans b) space c) mountains d) continents

#### B. What or who do the underlined words refer to? (2pts)

1. they →..... / 2. which →.....

#### C. Match the words in column A with their opposites in column B: (2pts)

**A**

1. first
2. difficulty
3. near
4. new
5. different

**B**

- a. old
- b. far
- c. same
- d. last

**Mastery of language (7pts)**

**A) Spot the mistakes and correct them : (3pts)**

1. The new generation robots can speaks.
2. Robots mayn't become the rivals of man.
3. Robots are capable of doing many jobs difficult.

**B) Put in : may - were able to -will be able to - Can : (2pts)**

1. In 1987, astronauts.....to pilot a robot to take pictures of Mars.
2. Who knows ? scientists.....invent robot students to do your homework.
3. You .....see robots working in factories, in mines and nuclear plants.
4. Some day soon, scientiste.....to invent robot cooks.

**C) Words and sounds : (2pts)**

**Add prefixes to form opposites of the following words :**

1. ....possible.
2. ....like.
3. ....able.
4. ....lucky.

**PART TWO : (6pts)**

**Written expression :**

The robot is the most amazing invention that man has ever made.... It can do many things.

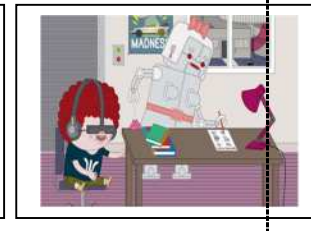
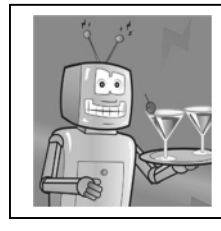
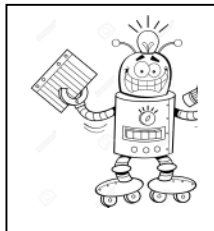
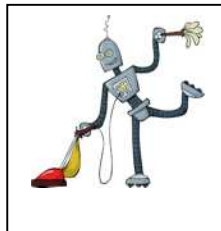
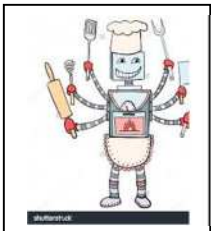
Will there be new generation robot which will be able to make man's life easier ?

Is it possible that robots become the rival of man in the future ?

Write a short essay talking about what life will be like in the future ?

Use : can, may, be able to.... Pay attention to capital letters and punctuation.

The following illustration may help you finding ideas...



***BELIEVE in yourself,***  
***you Can do***