

Section II — Reading and Responding

Part A – 20 marks

Attempt Questions 7–8

Read the texts on pages 9–10 of the question paper, then answer the corresponding questions in ENGLISH in the spaces provided.

Question 7 (8 marks)

Marks

- (a) To what does 'איך אפשר שלא לאהוב אותה?' refer?

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to spring, "how can one not love her?" refers to the spring with its warm weather and flowers.

- (b) How did Hagar's mother try to solve her problem?

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By not allowing any animals in the house, by buying a better hoover to clear all the dust from the floor. Would take away the main cause of allergies. By writing to the doctor to get more advice and a second opinion

- (c) How does the mother use language to persuade the doctor to assist her?

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By using words such as "אני", "אני" and "אני" the mother expresses a very desperate and sad nature. She pleads for help and says that "אני" making it seem as though the doctor is her last option. She says "אני" asking very politely and desperately for help showing the doctor that she is desperate for help. Finally she says "אני" showing that she is willing to pay for the advice hence giving an initiative for the doctor to help her out and think of alternative solutions,

and shows her daughter's suffering

Question 8 (12 marks)

(a) Why is it worth visiting Ein Yahav?

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(A) You can buy cheese there.

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(B) You can ride on the camels.

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(C) It is an interesting city.

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(D) You can taste the milk.

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(b) What do we know about the biography of Professor Yagil?

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Ben-gurion
The name of the professor is Benven Yagil. He is 64, a professor of physiology and attained his degree in the university of medicine in Beer-Sheva, which is in the negev. He lives in a small moshav in Ein Yahav and there studies the effects of camel milk on the body as a medicine, face cream and healthy food. He visited Africa and from there realised the true potential of camel milk.

(c) What are the advantages of 'חלב גמלים'?

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The advantage of camel milk is that it can be used as a medicine against several diseases and amongst them allergies. It is also used as a face and hand cream and can therefore be used as a beauty treatment. It is also healthy, accessible to the poor and cheap. For starving nations or third world countries normal milk from cans as a medicine may be too expensive and therefore camel milk can have many advantages.

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Question 8 (continued)

- (d) Why is Professor Yagil the right person for the writer of the letter in Question 7 to turn to? 3

Camel's milk has a very positive effect on curing allergy problems. The allergic girl's mother should have asked the physiologist for information about camel's milk and check its effects on her daughter. Though Camel's milk is not widely used to cure allergy, it is

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a natural form of medicine which may be able to cure the daughter.