



III. WRITING

(10 POINTS)

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TASK ONE: Complete the following paragraph about how you prepare for your exams. (4 pts)

I prepare for my exams in different ways. First, I go over the lessons that are meant to be in the exams, and at the same time I take some notes to better understand these lessons and memorise what is needed to be learned by heart. Second, and after having revised my lessons, I work on exercises in order to know to what extent I have understood them. Finally, I sometimes prepare for exams with my classmates. In this way, we all benefit from each others' knowledge and abilities.

TASK TWO: Violence in schools has become a serious problem in Morocco. Write an article explaining the causes of this phenomenon. (6 pts)

One of the serious problems that Moroccan educational system faces is violence in schools. This phenomenon is due to many reasons.

First of all, some students are, unfortunately, not well-educated and are irresponsible. They easily get angry and start acting violently towards the teacher or their classmates. Another reason is lack of sensitisation. This means that many students do not know that school is a place to acquire knowledge and build one's personality properly. They rather look at it as a place to show off, which often leads them to commit violent actions within the school. Moreover, students are not the only ones to blame. That is to say, some teachers are not that qualified for the job of teaching; they lack patience and having control over the class. Finally, the easy access to the Internet and video games leads young people to imitate and do what they watch on the Internet, which usually results in more violence within the schools.

To conclude, it goes without saying then that the authorities must take action and make more efforts to stop this phenomenon.