

BAC II TECHNIQUE 2013
COMMISSION D'ANGLAIS

SERIES G

ANSWER KEY (CORRIGE-TYPE)

Section One: COMPREHENSION

Text: Chambers of Commerce

A- QUESTIONS: The right answers. (4marks)

1 = c 1

2 = b 1

3 = a 1

4 = c 1

B- VOCABULARY (3marks)

B1- Synonyms (1mark)

1 = area 0,25

2 = (the) former 0,25

3 = transport 0,25

4 = trade 0,25

B2- Opposites (1mark)

5 # urban 0,25

6 # same 0,25

7 # modern 0,25

8 # day 0,25

B3- English equivalents (1mark)

9 = the latter 0,25

10 = warehousing 0,25

11 = trade fairs 0,25

12 = to prevent/to hinder/to deter
to avoid/to impede, stop. 0,25

Section Two: LINGUISTIC COMPETENCE (8marks)

A- Into Plural (2marks)

1- Hunters killed mice. 0,5

(2- Do our (my) mothers sell corn? 0,5

3- Their (His) brothers work here. 0,5

4- These women are beautiful 0,5

B- Passive or Active Voice. (2marks)

5- Our teacher is going to give us homework. 0,5

6- Some watches were sold by your son. 0,5

7- Our maid will sweep the bedroom. 0,5

8- The children have been sent off to the airport by our neighbour. /Our neighbour's children have been sent off to the airport by (our neighbor) himself. /His children have been sent off..... 0,5

C- The correct word. (2marks)

9- b (such a) 0,5

10- a (fatter) 0,5

11- c (whatever) 0,5

12- b (met) 0,5

D- Direct or Indirect Speech. (2marks)

13- Ali said (that) his children had left for school. 0,5

14- The nurse said: "I received many patients yesterday." / "I received many patients yesterday.", the nurse said. 0,5

15- Some candidates said (that) they would pass their final exam. 0,5

16- Kwami asked Mary if (whether) she had seen the accident. 0,5

Section Three: INFORMAL LETTER WRITING (3marks)

B.P: 27

Lome

Togo

July 4, 2013/4th July 2013

Dear Dalia,

- Allusion to the source of information.
- Expression of regret for not having been in the delegation to the hospital.
- Reason of the absence.
- Expression of sympathy.
- Conclusion.

Sample

I was informed by the class prefect that you were sick and hospitalized at Sylvanus Olympio University Teaching Hospital. However, I was not part of the class delegation that paid you a visit last Wednesday afternoon.

I write you this letter to tell (that) I am very sorry. My absence was due to some circumstances beyond my control. In fact, I was about to leave the house when my grandfather had a terrible heart attack. I was the only person at home to care for him. Now, he is feeling better. I pray the Almighty God to grant (give) quick recovery. I promise to come and see you next Sunday at home, since you are no longer in the hospital.

I count on your understanding.

Yours sincerely,

Mola

Section Four: TRANSLATION (2marks)

1- Into French. (1mark)

Le chiffre d'affaires de notre société est plus élevé (important/substantiel/consistant/considérable/consequent) que le capital utilisé pour sa création.

2- Into English. (1mark)

I neither want to be accountant, secretary nor sales agent (commercial agent/commercial traveler).
/ I don't want to be accountant, secretary or sales agent (commercial agent/commercial traveler).