



**OLIMPIADĂ LIMBA ENGLEZĂ – ETAPA LOCALĂ**

**Clasa a XII-a, SECȚIUNEA B**  
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**BAREM DE EVALUARE ȘI NOTARE**

**SUBIECTUL A – USE OF ENGLISH (40 points)**

**I. Read the text below and do the tasks that follow.**

**A. Answer the following questions, according to the text. (4x2p=8p)**

**SUGGESTED ANSWERS**

1. Parents and teachers want to inculcate the values of life like honesty, hard work and contentment into children.

2. When children are given too much too soon, they grow up to be adults who have difficulty in coping with the disappointments of life. Such children may develop distorted sense of entitlement that comes in the way of success in the work place and relationships.

3. Today's children want much more partly because there is so much more to want. They crave for something new. They consider even luxurious items as essential commodities.

4. We learn crucial life lessons by waiting, saving and working hard to achieve goals.

**B. Choose the synonym for the words given below, according to their meaning in the text. (3x2p=6p)**

1. **Entitlement:** b. privilege

2. **Thrift:** a. prudence

3. **Affluent:** c. wealthy

**C. Rephrase the following sentences so as to preserve the meaning. (3x2p=6p)**

1. Psychologists, educators and parents think it's time to stop the madness and start teaching kids about what's really important.

It is time **psychologists, educators and parents stopped and started teaching** about what's really important.

2. The struggle to set limits has never been tougher.

Never **before has the struggle to set limits been** tougher.

3. They also have a distorted sense of entitlement that gets in the way of success in the work place and in relationships.

What **gets in the way of success in the work place and in relationships** is their distorted sense of entitlement.

**II. Use the word given in brackets to form a word that fits in each gap. (10 x 1p=10p)**

1. ENTITLED
2. IDENTIFIES
3. OBJECTIVES
4. SPECIFIC
5. UNDERESTIMATE
6. DEADLINES
7. ALLOWANCE
8. ORIGINALLY
9. JUDGEMENT
10. REALISTIC

**III. Correct the mistakes in the following sentences: (10 x 1p = 10p)**

1. ....important **data** .....
2. ....who **he could be** ....
3. ....until **further** ....
4. ....**was** injured .....
5. ....**outdoor** activity .....
6. ....**happen is** beyond .....
7. ...(**in**) **understanding** ....
8. ....**below** sea level.
9. ...**done** business ...
10. ...**addressed the** assembly.

**Subiectul B**

**I. ( 5 x 2p= 10p)**

1. C    2. B    3. D    4. A    5. C

**II. PROPOSAL**

**50 points**