

LPMAFA-DIATOULA

Composition de la 1ere periode 2025-2026

Epreuve de: Anglais

coeff : 02

Classe : TSE TS.EXP

Durée :2H

TEXT : modern technology and society

In the past people used technology as a tool for making survival an easier endeavor. Nowadays we are witnessing a shift in the role technology is playing in our society and continue play for the generation to come. In the modern day world, technology is no longer a tool for survival but it turned to a means of communication and entertainment. Mass communication technology has made it easier than ever to connect with people. At the same time, this raises the concern of whether technology has a good or bad influence on our society. Is the use of technology destroying face-to-face interaction and communication between people ?

Whenever you in a coffee shop, standing at a bus stop or taking tube you can easily see how people are connected to each other using different sorts of electronic devices. The primary concern regarding this new communication behaviour is whenever it made face-to-face interaction and communication between people non existent. This is true in many aspects as this may lead to living in a virtual word that only include interaction with people with texting and social networks. This leads among other things, to the ability of people to be lonely, as having too many virtual friendships causes the ability to establish meaningful relationships. The young generations in our society are participating in a massive, unintentional social experiment the results of which are not entirely predicable.

Questions(20pts)

I. Reading comprehension questions (5pts)

A. Multiple choice questions : copy the complete sentence containing the correct answer(1pt)

1. technology turned to means of

a. communication b. advertisement c. entertainment d. communication and entertainment.

2. The social use of technology is

a. decreasing b. increasing c. increasing and improving d. decreasing and improving

B. True /False questions : copy down the true sentences and correct the false ones(2pts)

1. technology is a tool for survival in the modern-day world.

2. mass communication technology has made it more difficult than ever to connect with people.

3 . people used technology as a tool for making survival an easier endeavor in the past.

C. Answer the following questions based on the text(2pts)

1. Nowadays, what are people witnessing as far as the role of technology is concerned?

2. How do people connect with each other today?

II. Language (10pts)

A. **Vocabulary**: match each of the following words with its possible definition

Words: witness/ entertainment/behavior/connect

Definition: amusement/ way of conduct/ join/be present and see at the very moment

B. Fanta would like to be married with a policeman but her friend Sitan wants her to get married with a medical doctor. What does Fanta say? What does Sitan say?

Fanta:

Sitan:

C. Turn the following sentences into the passive.

1. Careless drivers cause accidents

2. Alassane is building a big new house.

3. The journalist will ask him a few questions

4. Christine had visited Mali.

D. Translate into French

From « whenever you're in a coffee shop to sorts of electronic devices»

E. Translate into English

Il est interdit se fumer dans la cour de notre école. Nous devons faire de notre mieux pour protéger l'environnement et maintenir la bio diversité partout.

III. Composition: (5pts)

A. Write a ten lines essay telling about the important of technology for the pupils in Mali.

B. Mary Turay 11ème Sc, LNDN. Bamako Mali wants to spend ten days in Sikasso. She sends a postcard to her friend Issata Jakiteh, 75 Babemba avenue, to inform her about her travel. Write Mary's postcard with the appropriate plan.