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## FORM 3 Information and Communication Technology TIME: 1h 30min

Name: $\qquad$ Class: $\qquad$

## 1. This question is about Basic Concepts.

a) LAN, WLAN and WAN are three types of networks.

What do the abbreviations stand for?
i) LAN
ii) WLAN
iii) WAN $\qquad$
b) The following description is about networks and internet. Fill in the blanks with the following words:

Dial-up, LAN, mbps, WAN, broadband, kbps


Sports Ltd has 5 offices in a building in Fgura. Each office has its own computers and peripherals linked via a $\qquad$ The owner of Sports Ltd decides that as from year 2011, his 5 offices will be linked to another store in Mosta over a $\qquad$ .

A few years ago Sports Ltd upgraded its internet connection from a slow
$\qquad$ connection to a $\qquad$ connection. The company
has benefited in better transfer rate, from 5 $\qquad$ to a faster 2
$\qquad$ -.
c) i) Arrange the following storage capacity measurements from the largest to the smallest:

GB, byte, TB, bit, MB, KB
$\qquad$ , $\qquad$ , $\qquad$ , $\qquad$ , $\qquad$ , $\qquad$
ii) CDs are an example of storage media. Mention 3 other types of media.

A $\qquad$ B
C $\qquad$
iii) The computer has two types of memory: the RAM and the ROM.

RAM stands for $\qquad$
ROM stands for $\qquad$
The $\qquad$ is the main working memory of the computer.
d) Karen, a 29 year old mother of two young children, has reached an agreement with her employer. They agreed that for twice a week, Karen can stay at home. Her manager will forward the paperwork through her e-mail address. Karen would work on the received work, at her own pace, and resend the finished work to her manager.

i) The way Karen works is referred to $\qquad$ .
ii) e-mail stands for $\qquad$ -mail.
iii) Two advantages of this type of work are

A $\qquad$
B $\qquad$
iv) Two disadvantages of this type of work include:

A $\qquad$
B $\qquad$
v) Internet services are becoming more common in everyday life. Give the name of the service for the following.

| Description | Name of service |
| :--- | :--- |
| Accessing your bank accounts from <br> your home |  |
| Paying online your tax arrears on the <br> government website |  |
| Paying with your debit card for a <br> computer game |  |

2 This question is about using the computer and managing files.
a)


On May 2010, Owen was looking fo a file. All he knows is

1. that it starts with "gloss" but cannot remember the rest of the file name.
2. that it is a .doc file.
3. that it is located in hard disk C
4. that it's size is 1800 bytes
5. that the file was modified in April 2010

Fill in the search form to help Owen find his file.
b) Look at the following picture.


Indicate, by writing the label number, which is the

iv) Spreadsheet file
v) Video file
vi) Portable document format file

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c) Using numbers from 1 to 4 , arrange the following to explain the steps used to rename a file.

|  | Select Rename from the drop down menu |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | Delete the old file name |
|  | Type the new file name |
|  | Right Click on the file |

3 This question is about Microsoft Word.
Match the phrases in List 1 with those in List 2 by putting the correct letter in the blank column.
a)

|  | LIST 1 |
| :--- | :--- |
| A | It is better to insert a page break |
| B | Special characters like © and ® |
| C | Dates and page number <br> information |
| D | The shading of cells in a table |
| E | The tool button 『I can |


|  | LIST 2 |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | hide/display spaces and paragraph <br> marks. |
|  | is selected from Borders and <br> Shading under the Format menu. |
|  | are also referred to as Symbols. |
|  | can both be inserted in headers and <br> footers. |
|  | than using the Return key. |

b) Julia created a table but has to modify the borders and shading as shown in the picture.

i) Which day of the week would be affected if Julia applied a shadow boro
ii) Write the label number to show where Julia should click:

- to set a shadowed border for the table
- to change the shading of the cell background $\square$
- to change the border of the cell to dotted
- to set the border of the cell to blue


## 4 This question is about Spreadsheets.

a) Raphel is in charge of donations. He uses the Excel to create a table as shown in the picture below.

|  | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Charity Donations for the year 2010 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2 |  |  |  | Apr-Jun | Jul-Sep | Oct-Dec | Average Donation |  |
| 3 | $\omega^{v^{*}}$ |  | Jan-Mar |  |  |  |  | Percentage of OctDec over whole year |
| 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5 | Camilleri | Joseph | $€ 10.00$ | $€ 20.00$ | $€ 14.00$ | $€ 13.00$ | $€ 14.67$ | 22.81\% |
| 6 | Muscat | Paul | $€ 15.00$ | $€ 23.00$ | $€ 13.00$ | $€ 65.00$ | $€ 29.00$ | 56.03\% |
| 7 | Zammit | Alexia | $€ 17.00$ | $€ 30.00$ | $€ 19.00$ | $€ 33.00$ | $€ 24.75$ | 33.33\% |
| 8 | Schembri | Dylan | $€ 5.00$ | $€ 5.00$ | $€ 44.00$ | $€ 91.00$ | $€ 36.25$ | 62.76\% |
| 9 | Azzopardi | Brenda | $€ 25.00$ | $€ 33.00$ | $€ 12.00$ | $€ 50.00$ | $€ 30.00$ | 41.67\% |
| 10 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Total |  | $€ 72.00$ | $€ 111.00$ | $€ 102.00$ | $€ 252.00$ |  |  |

i) Which cell shows text rotated by $45^{\circ}$ ? $\qquad$
ii) The range of cells C5:G9 are formatted to display the currency in
$\qquad$
iii) Which row contains merged cells? $\qquad$
iv) Which cell has text wrapping? $\qquad$
v) Which range of cells is formatted as percentages? $\qquad$

1)     - 

vi) Write down the formula using a suitable function to calculate the result for C11.
vii) Write down the formula using a suitable function for the result of cell G9.
viii) Write down the result Raphel would expect to get if he uses the following formulas:

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\begin{aligned}
& =\text { countblank(E2:E11) } \\
& =\operatorname{count}(\mathrm{E} 2: \mathrm{E} 11) \\
& =\operatorname{counta}(\mathrm{E} 2: \mathrm{E} 11)
\end{aligned}
$$

$\qquad$

5 This question is about PowerPoint Presentations.
a) Jodie is using the toolbars shown below to prepare a slide show presentation.


## Write the number indicating the tool button:

i) to insert another picture $\square$
ii) to flip a picture by $90^{\circ}$ $\square$
iii) to insert a text box in a slide $\square$
iv) to give a shadow style to a picture
v) to draw an oval shape
vi) to insert a rectangular shape
vii) to fill the colour of a drawn shape
viii) To open a drop down menu which features an option to ungroup shapes $\square$
b) Karl is helping Jodie to format the layout of the slides.

Help Karl to choose from the layouts numbered 1 to 9 .
i) Use slide layout number $\qquad$ to choose a slide which has one clipart under the title.
ii) Use slide layout number to choose a blank slide.
iii) Use slide layout number $\qquad$ to choose a slide which shows a video only.
iv) Use slide layout number $\qquad$ to choose a slide which shows a title, bulleted points and a picture on the right hand side.

6 This question is about Information and Communication.
a) Rose has received the following email:

## Bank Error in your favour

St. Nicholas Bank Ltd. [nicholasbank @ yahoo.com]
To: rose.abela@gov.mt
Attachments: 믈oper.zip (218 B)
Dear Sir
We would like to inform you that the bank has given you the sum of $€ 10000000$.
Please open the above attachment to claim your money
Regards
St. Nicholas Bank Ltd.
i) Give one reason why you think that this email might be fraudulent.
ii) The technical word for this type of email is referred to as $\qquad$
iii) The email contains an attachment which possibly hosts some sort of malware. Give three examples of malware:

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1
$$

$\qquad$ 2 $\qquad$ 3 $\qquad$
iv) Give an advice to Rose on how to combat the possibility of malware.
b) The following screenshot was taken from a particular website and shows part of an online survey. Fill in the blanks using the label numbers.

i) Label $\qquad$ represents a text-box.
ii) Label $\qquad$ represents a dropdown menu
iii) Label $\qquad$ represents a check box.
iv) Label $\qquad$ represents a radio button

