

PART I: WRITTEN RECEPTION (70 points)
(ACCESS TO INFORMATION FROM WRITTEN TEXTS)

الفصل الأول: فهم المقروء (70 درجة)
أمامكم قطعتان: القطعة 1 والقطعة 2.
اقرأوا القطعة 1 التي أمامكم،
وأجيبوا عن الأسئلة 1-4 التي تليها.

פרק ראשון: הבנת הנקרא (70 נקודות)
לפניכם שני קטעים: קטע 1 וקטע 2.
קראו את קטע 1 שלפניכם,
וענו על שאלות 1-4 שאחריו.

Below are two texts: Text 1 and Text 2.

Read Text 1 and then answer questions 1-4.

Text 1

TOO MUCH TRAFFIC

I In many cities in the world today, heavy traffic on the roads is a serious problem. There are too many cars on the roads, especially in the morning. As a result, many people are late for work and children come late to school.

5 **II** One morning, Dr. Gupta from India was driving to work, when he suddenly had to stop. Traffic was even worse than usual because there were heavy rains the day before. As a result, there was a lot of water on the roads. He was very worried because he knew that there were many sick
10 people waiting for him at the hospital. They needed his help.

III Dr. Gupta found an original way to get to work on time. He decided to leave his car at the side of the road. Then he ran three kilometers to the hospital. Luckily, he managed to arrive on time to help his patients.



A road with heavy traffic

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קראו את קטע 2 שלפניכם, וקנו על שאלות 5-9 שאחריו.
אקראו הקטעה 2 אלי אמאמקם, ואקבווא ען האסעלה 5-9 אלי תליהא.

Read Text 2 below and then answer questions 5-9.

Text 2

TEACHING CHILDREN TO COOK

I Today, there are cooking classes in some schools. In cooking classes, pupils learn fun ways to use healthy foods, especially fruits and vegetables. The children like to eat the healthy things they cook. Experts say that parents should also teach their children to cook at home.

II But not all parents think that teaching children to cook is a good idea. Dan worries about his children. "Sometimes cooking is dangerous for children," he says. "For example, children must boil water to cook pasta." His wife Nancy agrees with him about the danger. She also says, "When children cook at home, I have to clean the kitchen after they finish cooking."

III It is true that there may be more work for the parents when children cook in the kitchen. But there will also be happy memories when parents and children cook together. Also, children enjoy making things, like a vegetable pie, for their family and friends. This makes them feel proud of themselves.

