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School : Collège Privé Pierre Simon
School Year : 2026-2027

DATE : ..... *(in English)*
FULL NAME : .....

Teacher : Mr Kocou	***/ 20***	**LEVEL :** (3ème) **DURATION :** 2 hours

PART ONE: READING *(10 points)*

Read the text below and do all the activities that follow it.

International Women's Day is a global holiday celebrated annually on March 8th. Based on United Nations resolution, it **recognizes** the contribution of Women in the development of the world. That day brings also attention to **issues** such as violence, gender equality and abuse against women. Women are the **cornerstones** of families and makers of nations because they **give birth**. I think a housewife is as important as a teacher or a secretary. She is the one who does the domestic **chores** while her husband is at work. For instance, women in the village carry heavy **bundles** of firewood on their heads, and can walk several kilometers to join their homes. It's worth mentioning that governments' efforts to help some vulnerable women to have access to the best healthcare should be encouraged; women also should be encouraged to have qualifications in order to expect a good professional career.

A/ VOCABULARY CHECK *(5 points)*

The words in column A are from the text. Match them with their **synonyms** in column B.
Write your answers like in the example. Example: 7- E

Column A	Column B	Answers
1- recognizes *(L2)*	A- problems	1-.....
2- issues *(L3)*	B – tasks, works, jobs	2-.....
3- cornerstones *(L4)*	C- packets, collections	3-.....
4- give birth *(L5)*	D- produce a baby from a body	4-.....
5- chores *(L6)*	E- manage, conduct	5-.....
6- bundles *(L7)*	F- bases, foundations, fundaments	6-.....
7- run *(L8)*	G- validates, admits, accepts	7- E

B/ COMPREHENSION CHECK *(5 points)*

Read the text again and give short answers to the questions below.

1- When are women honoured?

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2- The text is about violence, abuse done by women. ==> True ☐ False ☐

3- Quote three activities done by women in the text.

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4- Do governments encourage women to be more vulnerable?

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5- In the text... what is asked to be encouraged about vulnerable women?

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PART TWO: LANGUAGE IN USE *(05 points)*

Match these pieces of sentences in **column A** with those in **column B** to get meaningful sentences. Example: 7- E

Column A	Column B	Answers
1) If you work hard at school,	a) you will put your school year in danger.	1-.....
2) If you took your medicine earlier,	b) you would be attacked.	2-.....
3) If you cheat at school,	c) you would get better marks in your tests.	3-.....
4) If you hurt the dog,	d) you will get a good job one day.	4-.....
5) If you don't brush your teeth,	e) you would feel well.	5-.....
6) If you were in Paris,	f) you will get cavities.	6- C
7) If you studied harder,	g) you would see the tower Eiffel.	7-.....

PART THREE : Writing *(05 points)*

For the Women Celebration Day, the chairman of the English Club of LMBAD asks the students of 3ème to prepare and give a presentation on the activities of village women in order to honour them on this special day. As a student of this level,

1- define "rural women" and talk about what activities they can do;
2- mention what they can't do;
3- quote some activities governments should do to help them.
4- produce eight or nine lines.

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Mr Kocou : « When we work well, we become free. »