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Time : 45min

My name is -----

group -----


COMPREHENSION

A. Answer the questions from the text: (3PNTS)

1. What was Tim's important idea?

2. Why did he love computers?

3. What's "www"?



Tim Berners-Lee looks very ordinary. He's about fifty years old and has brown hair. He was born in England but now lives in Massachusetts in the USA. But in 1989 Tim had a very important idea. He invented the world wide web (www).

Tim went to school in London. Both his parents worked with computers so it isn't surprising that he loved computers from an early age. When he was eighteen, he left school and went to Oxford University where he studied physics. At Oxford, he became more and more interested in computers, and he made his first computer from an old television. He graduated in 1976 and got a job with a computer company in Dorset, England. In 1989, he went to work in Switzerland where he first had the idea of an international information network linked by computer. He decided to call it the world wide web, and he also decided to make his ideas free to everyone – that is why today we do not pay to use the Internet.

In 1994 he went to live in the United States where he now works. In 1995 he wrote an article in the New York Times where he said, 'The web is a universe of information and it is for everyone.' Today his idea of a web, where people from all over the world can exchange information, is real.

B. Find in the text two sentences about Tim's life now and two sentences about his life in the past: (2PNTS)

1- His life now:

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2- His life in the past:

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LANGUAGE

C. Write the comparative or the superlative of the adjectives in brackets : (2PNTS)

1. Simon is -----than Marks (**old**)
2. I think Messi is ----- football player in the world (**amazing**)

D. Choose the correct word to fill in the blanks: (2PNTS)

1. She hasn't got -----friends. **many- much –a little**
2. I did ----- homework before the exam. **a lot of- many- much**

E. Put the verbs in the present simple or the present continuous: (2PNTS)

1. She ----- (leave) the office every day at 6 in the afternoon.
2. Where ----- (you, go) now?

F. Complete the sentences with the correct words from the item lists: (4PNTS)

1. Where ----- a pizza? (**did you last eat / you last eat / did you last eating**)
2. Could you ----- me please? (**helping / helped / help**)
3. I can see everything ----- the window (**across / through / past**)
4. My mum doesn't let me ----- to the beach (**go / going / went**)

G. Fill the blanks with: should, must, or mustn't: (3PNTS)

1. This is my advice: "you ----- take care of yourself."
2. We ----- drive without driving license; it's prohibited.
3. My mum said " you ----- brush your teeth before sleeping."

H. Choose the correct word to fill in the blanks: (2PNTS)

Papaya / hat / mountain / ice-cream

1. Can you see that man putting a -----on his head
2. ----- is a tropical fruit
3. It's very hot; I need an -----
4. I have a foot sore; I can't climb this -----

Good Luck

