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General Certificate of Secondary Education

Biblical Hebrew

A202

Literature

Specimen Paper

Time: 2 hours

Additional materials: Answer booklet (8 Pages)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Write your name, your Centre Number and Candidate Number on the front of your answer booklet.
- Use only black ink to write your answers
- Read each question carefully and make sure you know what you have to do before starting your answer.
- Answer four questions.

INFORMATION FOR CANDIDATES

- The number of marks for each question is given in brackets [] at the end of each question or part question.
- The total number of marks for this paper is 100
- Quality of written communication is assessed in questions, 1(d), 2(b), 3(g), 4(d), 5(f), 6(h).
- You will find that the four letter Divine name is printed as

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Read the following passage, and answer in English the questions that follow.

line number

- ַן יאמֶר לָהֶן רֹאֶה אָנֹכִי אָת פְּנֵי אֲבִיכֶן כִּי אֵינֶנּוּ אֵלַי כִּתְמֹל שְׁלְשֹׁם וֵא-לֹהֵי אָבִי הָיָה עִמָּדִי:
- 2 אָתַנָה יְדַעָּתֶּן כִּי בְּכָל כּחִי עָבַדְתִּי אֶת אֲבִיכֶן וַאֲבִיכֶן הַתֶּל בִּי וְהֶחֱלִף אֶת־מַשְּׁכֵּרְתִּי צְשֶׁרֶת
 - 3 מֹנִים וְלֹא נְתָנוֹ אֱ-לֹהִים לְהָרַעֹּ עָמָּדִיְ: אָם־כֹּה יֹאמַר נְקַדִּים יִהְיֶה שְּׁכָרֶךְ וְיָלְדוּ כָל הַצֹּאן
 - נקדים ואם כה יאמר צקדים יהנה שכנד ונלדו כל הצאן צקדים:

בראשית פרק ל"א: ה' - ח'

Genesis, Chapter 31, verses 5 - 8.

- 5 ַנִיּאמֶר אֵלַי מַלְאַךְ הָאֶ-לֹהִים בַּחֲלוֹם יַצֶקֹב וָאמֵר הָנֵּנִי: וַיֹּאמֶר שָּׂא נָא צֵינֶיךְ וּרְאֵה כָּל
- ּהַצֶּתָּדִים הָעִלִּים עַל הַצֹּאו עֲקָדִּים נְקָדִּים וּבְרָדִים כִּי רָאִיתִי אֵת כָּל אֲשֶׁר לָבָן עֹשֶׂה לָּךְּי הַ
 - אָנֹכִי הָאֵ-ל בֵּית אֵל אֲשֶׁר מָשַׁחְתָּ שָׁם מַצֵּבָה אֲשֶׁר נָדַרְתָּ לִּי שָׁם נֶדֶר עַתָּה קוּם צֵא מִן
 - 8 הָאָרֶץ הַזֹּאת וְשׁוּב אֶל אֶרֶץ מוְלַדְתֶּךְ: וַתַּצַן רָחֵל וְלֵאָה וַתֹּאמַרְנָה לוֹ הַעוֹד לָנוּ חַלֶּק
 - 9 וְנַחֲלָה בְּבֵית אָבִינוּ. הֲלוֹא נָכְרִיּוֹת נֶחְשֵׁבְנוּ לוֹ כִּי מְכָרָנוּ וַיֹּאכַל גַּם אָכוֹל אֶת כַּסְבֵּנוּ
- 10 פִּי כָל הָעשֶׁר אֲשֶׁר הָצִיל אֱ-לֹהִים מֵאָבִינוּ לָנוּ הוּא וּלְבָנֵינוּ וְעַתָּה כֹּל אֲשֶׁר אָמֵר אֱ-לֹהִים
 - 11 אַלֶּיך עֲשֵׂה. וַיָּקָם יַצֶקֹב וַיִּשָּׂא אֶת בָּנָיו וְאֶת נָשָׁיו עַל הַגְּמַלִּים. וַיִּנְהַג אֶת כָּל מִקְנֵהוּ
- 12 ןאֶת כָּל רְכָשׁוֹ אֲשֶׁר רָכָשׁ מִקְנָה קִנְיָנוֹ אֲשֶׁר רָכַשׁ בְּפַדַן אֲרָם לָבוֹא אֶל יִצְחָק אָבִיו אַרְצָה
- 13 כְּנָצֵן: וְלָבֶן הָלַךְ לְגְזֹז אֶת צֹאנוֹ וַתִּגְנֹב רָחֵל אֶת הַתְּרָפִּים אֲשֶׁר לְאָבִיהָּ וַיִּגְנֹב יַצֵקֹב אֶת
 - 14 לֵב לָבָן הָאֲרָמִי עַל בִּלִי הָגִיד לוֹ כִּי בֹרֶחַ הוְא. וַיִּבְרַח הוּא וְכָל אֲשֶׁר לוֹ וַיָּקֶם וַיֵּצְבֹר
 - בּ: אֶת הַנָּהָר וַיָּשֶׂם אֶת פָּנִיו הַר הַגִּלְעָד: וַיֻּגַּד לְלָבָן בַּיּוֹם הַשְּׁלִישִׁי כִּי בָרַח יַצְקֹב:

בראשית פרק ל"א: י"א - כ"ב

Genesis, Chapter 31, verses 11 – 22.

Question 1 (continued)

(a)	ַנְיּאֹמֶּר (line 1): Who is speaking?	[1]
(b)	אֲשֶׁר נָדַרְתְּ לִּי שֶׁם נֶדֶר (line 7): What was the vow?	[2]
(c)	וַתַּצְן רָחֵל וְלֵאָה וַתּאמֵרְנָה לּוֹ (line 8): (i) What difficulties are there in this phrase? (ii) Mention any two complaints that Jacob / Ya'akov makes to Rachel and Leah. (lines 1 – 4)	[1] [2]
(d)	Translate from וַתַּעַן רָחֵל (line 8) until עַשֵּה (line 11)	[6]
(e)	What does Jacob / Yaakov do in lines 11 – 12? Mention two points.	[2]
(f)	What is meant by מְקְנֵה קְנְיָנוֹ (line 12)?	[2]
(g)	What are תְּרָפִים (line 13)?	[1]
(h)	When Jacob / Yaakov fled (line 10), what was his route? Mention two points.	[2]
(i)	Give an example of an introductory מ from this passage.	[1]
(j)	The verbs דְּנִיך (line 14) and וְנֵּנְ (line 15) have the same root. Show a difference between the two forms.	[2]
(k)	Using examples from these paragraphs, show how Jacob / Yaakov and his wives view their relationship with Laban / Lavan. Mention three points.	[3]

[Total: 25 marks]

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line number וַתַּצֶבר הַמִּנְחָה צַל פָּנָיו וְהוּא לָן בַּלֹיֵלָה הַהוּא בַּמַחֲנֶה. וַיֶּקָם בַּלַיְלָה הוּא וַיִּקַח אֶת שִׁתִּי נָשִׁיו וְאֶת 1 שָׁתֵּי שִׁפְחֹתָיו וְאֶת אַחַד עָשָּׂר יְלָדָיו וַיֵּצֶבר אֵת מַצֶבַר יַבּק. וַיִּקְחֵם וַיַּצֶברם אֶת הַנָּחַל וַיַּצְבר אֶת אֲשֶׁר 2 לוֹ: וַיַּוַתַר יַצַקב לְבַדוֹ וַיַּאָבֵק אִישׁ עָמוֹ עַד עַלוֹת הַשַּחַר. וַיַּרא כִּי לֹא יַכל לוֹ וַיַּגַע בִּכַף יָרֵכוֹ וַתַּקְע 3 בַּף יֵרֶךְ יַצֵקבׁב בָּהֵאָבָקוֹ עָמוֹ: וַיֹּאמֶר שַׁלְּחֵנִי כִּי עַלַה הַשַּׁחַר וַיֹּאמֵר לֹא אֲשַׁלַחַךְ כִּי אָם־בַּרַכְתַנִי: וַיֹּאמֵר אָלָיו מַה־שָּׁמֵך וַיֹּאמֵר יַצַקב: וַיֹּאמֵר לֹא יַצַקב וַאָּמֵר עוֹד שָׁמָך כִּי אָם יִשִּׂרָאֵל כִּי שָּׂרִיתָ עִם 5 אֶ-לֹהִים וִעָּם אַנָשִים וַתּוּכֶל. וַיִּשָאַל יַעַקב וַיֹּאמֵר הַגִּידָה נָּא שָמֶךּ וַיֹּאמֵר לָמָה וֵה תִּשְאַל לִשְׁמִי וַיְבֶּרֶךְ 6 אתוֹ שֶׁם: וַיִּקְרָא יַצֵקב שֵׁם הַמָּקוֹם פָּנִיאֵל כִּי רָאִיתִי אֵ-לֹהִים פָּנִים אֵל פָּנִים וַתִּנָצֵל נַפְשִׁי: וַיַּזַרַח לוֹ הַשָּמֵשׁ כַּאֲשֵׁר עָבַר אָת פָּנוּאֵל וָהוֹא צֹלֵעַ עַל־יִרֶכוֹּ. עַל כֵּן לֹא יִאֹכְלוּ בְנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת גִּיד הַנָּשֶׁה 8 אַשֶּר עַל כַּף הַיָּרֶךְ עַד הַיּוֹם הַוֶּה כִּי נָגַע בָּכַף יֶרֶךְ יַעַקֹב בָּגִיד הַנָּשֵה. וַיִּשָּא יַעַקב עִינָיו וַיִּרָא וְהִנֵּה 9 צַשַּוֹ בָּא וִעָּמוֹ אַרָבַּע מֵאוֹת אָישׁ וַיַּחַץ אֵת הַיִּלָּדִים עַל לֵאָה וִעַל רָחֵל וְעַל שְׁתֵּי הַשְּׁפָּחוֹת. 10 בראשית פרק ל"ב: כ"ב - ל"ג. / פרק ל"ג: א' Genesis, Chapter 32, verses 22 – 33. / Chapter 33, verse 1

ַנִיאמר אַלִיו אַדני ידע כּי הַיַּלְדִים רַכּים וָהַצֹאן וָהַבַּקר עַלוֹת עַלַי וּדְפַּקוּם יוֹם אָחָד וַמֶּתוּ כָּל הַצַאן 11 יַעַבַר נַא אַדני לִפַנִי עַבַדוֹ וַאָני אָתנַהַלָּה לְאָטָי לְרֵגַל הַמּלַאכָה אָשֶׁר לְפַנֵי וּלְרֵגַל הַיַּלָדִים עַד אֲשֶׁר 12 אָבֹא אֶל אֲדֹנִי שֵעִירָה. וַיֹּאמֶר צַשָּוֹ אַצִּיגָה נָא עִמְּך מִן הָעָם אֲשֶׁר אִתִּי וַיֹּאמֶר לָמָה זֶה אֶמִצָּא חֵן 13 בּצִינֵי אַדנִי. וַיַּשַב בַּיּוֹם הַהוּא צַשַּוֹ לְדַרָכּוֹ שֶׁצִירָה. וַיֹּאמֶר צַשָּוֹ אַצִינָה נָּא צִמָּך מוְ הָצָם אֲשֶׁר אִתִּי 14 וַיֹּאמֶר לַמָּה זֶה אָמָצָא חֶן בָּצִינֵי אַדֹנִי. וַיָּשָׁב בַּיוֹם הַהוּא צִשָּוֹ לְדַרִכּוֹ שֵׁעִירָה. וְיַצְקֹב נָסַע סָכּתָה 15 וַיָּבֵן לוֹ בָּיָת וּלְמִקְנַהוּ עָשָה סִכּת עַל כֵּן קָרָא שֵם הַמָּקוֹם סִכּוֹת. וַיָּבא יַצַקב שָׁלֵם עִיר שָׁכֶם אֲשֶׁר 16 בְּאֶרֶץ כְּנַעַן בְּבֹאוֹ מִפַּדַן אֲרָם וַיִּחַן אֶת־פְּנֵי הָעִיר. וַיִּקֶן אֶת חֶלְקַת הַשָּׂדֶה אֲשֶׁר נָטָה שָׁם אָהַלוֹ מִיַּד 17 בָּנֵי חֲמוֹר אֲבִי שָׁכֶם בִּמֵאָה קְשִּיטָה. וַיַּצֵב שָׁם מִזְבֵּח וַיִּקְרָא לוֹ אֵ-ל אֵ-לֹהֵי יִשִּׁרָאֵלּ 18 בראשית פרק ל"ג: י"ג - כ'

Genesis, Chapter 33, verses 13 - 20.

Question 2 (continued)

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(a)	Who is referred to in line 1?	[1]
(b)	Translate from נְּיָנְתֵּר (line 3) until נְתּוּכְּלְ (line 6)	[6]
(c)	וַיֵּאָבֵק אִישׁ עָמוֹ (line 3): Who is this man?	[1]
(d)	פְּנִיאֵל (line 7): (i) Why does this place receive such a name?	[2]
	(ii) How do you account for the change in name from פְּנִיאֵל (line 7) to פְּנִיאֵל (line 8)? Give any two possibilities.	[2]
(e)	(i) What is the גִּיד הַנְּשֶׁה (line 8)? (ii) What prohibition is connected with it? (iii) To whom does this prohibition apply?	[1] [1] [1]
(f)	What is Jacob / Yaakov's request (<i>lines 11 – 13</i>)? Mention two points.	[2]
(g)	From these passages, find two examples, using different roots, of verbs whose last root letter is a π (Lamed-He).	[2]
(h)	Where is פַּדַן אֲרָם (line 17) in relation to Canaan? You may draw a sketch map.	[1]
(i)	וַתְּצְבֹר (line 1) and וַיִּצְבְרֵם (line 2) are from the same root. Show a difference between the two forms.	[2]
(j)	What unit of currency is used in Shechem at this time? (line 18).	[1]
(k)	From these passages, what strategies does Jacob / Yaakov use to deal with Esau / Esav? Give two examples.	[2]

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[Turn over

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line number וַיְהִי אַחֲבִי מוֹת מֹשֶׁה עֶבֶד יי וַיֹּאמֶר יי אֶל יְהוֹשָׁעַ בִּן נוּן מִשָּׁבֵת מֹשֶׁה לֵאמֹר. מֹשֶׁה עַבְדִּי מֵת וְעַתְּה 1 קוּם צֶבר אֶת־הַיַּרַדֵּן הַוֹּה אַתָּה וָכָל הָעָם הַוֹּה אֵל הָאָרֵץ אֲשֵׁר אָנֹכִי נֹחֵן לָהֵם לִבְנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵלּּ כָּל מָקוֹם 2 אָשֶׁר תִּדְרֹךְ כַּף רַגְּלְכֶם בּוֹ לָכֵם נְתַתִּיו כַּאֲשֵׁר דִּבַּרְתִּי אֵל־מֹשֵׁה. מֵהַמִּדְבָּר וְהַלְּבָנוֹן הַזֵּה וְעַד הַנְּהָר הַגַּדוֹל נָהַר פָּרָת כֹּל אֵרֵץ הַחָתִּים וָעַד הַיָּם הַגָּדוֹל מְבוֹא הַשָּׁמֵשׁ יָהְיֵה גְּבוּלְכֶם: לֹא יִתְיַצֵּב אִישׁ לְפָנֵיךְ כֹּל יָמֵי חַיֵּיךְ כַּאֲשֵׁר הָיִיתִי עִם משֶׁה אָהְיֵה עִמַּךְ לֹא אַרְפַּךְ וִלֹא אֵעֶזְבֵּךָ: חַזַק וַאָמֶץ כִּי אַתָּה 5 תַּנָחִיל אָת הַעָם הַוֶּה אָת הַאָרֵץ אָשֶׁר נשבַעתִּי לַאָבוֹתָם לַתָּת לַהַם: רַק חַזַק וֵאָמַץ מאד לְשָׁמֹר לַצְשׁוֹת כִּכָל הַתּוֹרָה אֲשֶׁר צִּוֹךְ מֹשֶׁה עַבִּדִּי אַל תָּסוּר מִמֵּנוּ יָמִין וּשְּׁמֹאוֹל לְמַעַן תַּשְּׂכִּיל בִּכל אֲשֶׁר תַּלֵך: לֹא יָמוֹשׁ סֵפֶר הַתּוֹרָה חַזֵּה מִפִּיך וָהָגִיתָ בּוֹ יוֹמָם וָלֵילָה לְמַצַן תִשְׁמֹר לַצַשׁוֹת כִּכָל הַכָּתוֹב 8 בּוֹ כִּי אָז תַּצִלִיחַ אֶת דִּרָכֶךְ וָאָז תַשְּׁכִּילּ. הַלוֹא צְוִיתִיךְ חַזַק וֵאָמַץ אַל תַעַרץ וָאַל תַחַת כִּי עִמֶּךְ 9 יי אֵ-לֹהֵיךָ בָּכֹל אֲשֶׁר תֵּלֶרָ: וַיָצַו יָהוֹשְׁעַ אַת־שֹּטְרֵי הַעָּם לֵאמֹר. עָבָרוּ בִּקְרֵב הַמַּחֲנָה וְצַוּוּ אֵת הַעָּם 10 לֵאמר הָכִינוֹ לָכֵם צֵידָה כִּי בָּעוֹד שָׁלֹשֶׁת יַמִים אַתֶם עברים אָת הַיַּרְדֶן הַוֶּה לַבוֹא לָרֶשֶׁת אֶת הָאַרֵץ 11 אָשֶׁר יי אֵ-לֹהַיכֶם נֹתֶן לָכֶם לַרְשׁתַּה: וַלָּרְאוּבָנִי וַלְגַדִי וַלָּחַצִי שַׁבָט הַמַנְשָּׁה אָמַר יָהוֹשְׁעַ לָאמר: 12 זָכוֹר אָת הַדַּבַר אָשֶׁר צָוָה אָתָכָם משָה עָבֵד יי לֵאמר יי אַ-לֹהַיכָם מַנִיחַ לָכֶם וְנַתַן לָכֶם אֶת הַאַרֵץ 13 ַהַזֹּאָת. נְשֵׁיכֶם טַפְּכֶם וּמִקְנֵיכֶם יֵשְׁבוּ בָּאָרֵץ אֲשֵׁר נָתַן לָכֵם מֹשֵׁה בִּצַבֵּר הַיַּרְדֵּן וְאַתֶּם תַּצַבְרוּ חֲמָשִׁים 14 ּלִפְנֵי אֲחֵיכֶם כֹּל גִבּוֹרֵי הַחַיִל וַצְּזַרָתֶּם אוֹתָם: צַד אֲשֶׁר יָנִיחַ יי לַאֲחֵיכֶם כָּכֶם וְיָרָשׁוּ גַם הַמָּה 15 אֶת הָאָרֶץ אֲשֶׁר יי אֱ-לֹבִיכֶם נֹתֵן לָהֶם וְשַׁבְּתֶּם לְאָרֵץ יְרָשַׁתָכֶם וְיִרִשִׁתֵּם אוֹתָה אֲשֶׁר נָתַן לָכֶם מֹשֶׁה 16 עֶבֶד יי בְּעֵבֶר הַיַּרְדֵּן מִזְרַח הַשָּׁמֶשׁ. וַיַּעֲנוּ אֶת יְהוֹשָׁעַ לֵאמֹר כֹּל אֲשֶׁר צִוִּיתָנוּ נַעֲשֵה וְאֵל כָּל אֲשֶׁר 17 ּתִשְּלָחֵנוּ נֵלֶךְ: כָּכֹל אֲשֵׁר שָׁמַעְנוּ אֵל משֶׁה כֵּן נִשְׁמַע אָלֵיךְ רַק יָהְיֵה יי אֱ-לֹהֵיךְ עִמְּךְ כַּאֲשֵׁר הָיָה 18 עם משה כָּל אִישׁ אַשֵּׁר יַמְרָה אֵת פִּיך וְלֹא יִשְׁמַע אֵת דִּבָרֵיך לְכֹל אֲשֵׁר תִצַוָנוּ יוּמָת רַק חֲזַק וְאֵמָץ: 19

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Question 3 (continued)

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(a)	How is Yehoshua / Joshua described? (line 1)	[1]
(b)	בְּן (line 1): Suggest a reason for the unusual pronunciation of this word.	[1]
(c)	In what direction to the land of Israel is the Great Sea? (line 4)	[1]
(d)	Where are the following places / areas in relation to the Land of Canaan? You may draw a sketch map. (i) הַמְּדְבָּר (line 1) (ii) אֶּבֶץ הַחְתִּים (line 1)	[1] [1]
(e)	What promise does G-d make? (lines 4 – 5) Mention any two points.	[2]
(f)	What condition does G-d impose? (lines 6 – 7)	[2]
(g)	Translate from לֹא־יָמוּשׁ (line 8) until אֶת־הַיַּרְדֵּן הַזֶּה (line 11)	[6]
(h)	What arrangement had Moshe / Moses made with these three tribes? (lines 12 – 17) Mention three details.	[3]
(i)	How do the three tribes respond to Yehoshua / Joshua? (lines 17 – 18) Mention two points.	[2]
(j)	Give three different examples of <i>Hifil</i> verbs from this passage.	[3]
(k)	The phrase חַזַק (line 19) is repeated several times in this passage. Suggest a reason for this.	[2]

[Total: 25 marks]

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Read the following passage, and answer in English the questions that follow.

	line number
וַיִּשְׁלַח יְהוֹשֻׁעַ בִּן נוּן מָן הַשִּׁטִּים שְׁנַיִם אֲנָשִׁים מְרַגְּלִים חֶרֶשׁ לֵאמֹר לְכוּ רְאוּ אֶת הָאָרֶץ וְאֶת יְרִיחוֹ	1
וַיֵּלְכוּ וַיָּבֹאוּ בֵּית אִשָּׁה זוֹנָה וּשְׁמָה רָחָב וַיִּשְׁכְּבוּ שָׁמָה וְיֵבִאָּמֵר לְמֶלֶךְ יְרִיחוֹ לֵאמֹר הִנֵּה אֲנָשִׁים בָּאוּ	2
הַנָּה הַלַּיְלָה מִבְּנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל לַחְפַּרְ אֶת הָאָרֶץ. וַיִּשְׁלַח מֶלֶךְ יְרִיחוֹ אֶל־רָחָב לֵאמֹר הוֹצִיאִי הָאֲנָשִׁים	3
הַבָּאִים אֵלַיִךְ אֲשֶׁר בָּאוּ לְבֵיתֵךְ כִּי לַחְפּר אֶת כָּל הָאָרֶץ בָּאוּ וַתִּקַח הָאָשֶׁה אֶת שְׁנֵי הָאֲנָשִׁים	4
ַוְתָּצְפְּנוֹ וַתֹּאמֶר כֵּן בָּאוּ אֵלַי הָאֲנָשִׁים וְלֹא יָדַעְתִּי מֵאַיָן הֵמָּה: וַיְהִי הַשַּׁעַר לִסְגוֹר בַּחשֶׁךְ וְהָאֲנָשִׁים	5
יָצָאוּ לֹא יָדַעְתִּי אָנָה הָלְכוּ הָאֲנָשִׁים רִרְפוּ מַהֵר אַחֲרֵיהֶם כִּי תַשִּׂיגוְם: וְהִיא הֶעֱלָתַם הַגָּגָה	6
וַתִּטְמְנֵם בְּפִשְׁתֵּי הָצֵץ הָצֶרָכוֹת לָהּ צַל הַגָּג: וְהָאֲנָשִׁים רָדְפוּ אַחֲרֵיהֶם דֶּרֶךְ הַיַּרְדֵן צַל הַמַּצְבְּרוֹת	7
וְהַשַּׁעַר סָגָרוּ אַחֲרֵי כַּאֲשֶׁר יָצְאוּ הָרֹדְפִים אַחֲרֵיהֶם: וְהֵמָּה טֶרֶם יִשְׁכָּבוּן וְהִיא עָלְתָה עֲלֵיהֶם	8
עַל הַגָּג. וַתֹּאמֶר אֶל הָאֲנָשִׁים יָדַעְתִּי כִּי נָתַן יי לָכֶם אֶת הָאָרֶץ וְכִי נָפְלָה אֵימַתְכֶם עָלֵינוּ וְכִי	9
נָמֹגוּ כָּל יִשְׁבֵי הָאָרֶץ מִפְּנֵיכֶם. כִּי שָׁמַעְנוּ אֵת אֲשֶׁר הוֹבִישׁ יי אֶת מֵי יַם סוּף מִפְּנֵיכֶם בְּצֵאתְכֶם	10
ָמִמְצְרָיִם וַאֲשֶׁר עֲשִׂיתֶם לִשְׁנֵי מַלְכֵי הָאֱמֹרִי אֲשֶׁר בְּעֵבֶר הַיַּרְדֵּן לְסִיחֹן וּלְעוֹג אֲשֶׁר הָחֶרַמְתֶּם אוֹתָם	11
וַנִּשְׁמַע וַיִּמֵּס לְבָבֵנוּ וְלֹא קֶמָה עוֹד רוּחַ בְּאִישׁ מִפְּנֵיכֶם כִּי יי אֱ-לֹהֵיכֶם הוּא אֱ-לֹהִים בַּשָּׁמַיִם	12
מִמַּצַל וְצַל הָאָרֶץ מִתְּחַת. וְצַתָּה הִשָּׁבְעוּ נָא לִי בַּיִי כִּי צָשִׂיתִי צִמָּכֶם חָסֶד וַצֲשִׂיתֶם גַּם אַתֶּם	13
עם בֵּית אָבִי חֶסֶד וּנְתַתֶּם לִּי אוֹת אֱמֶת. וְהַחֲיִתֶם אֶת אָבִי וְאֶת אִמִּי וְאֶת אַחִי וְאֶת אַחִיוֹתֵי וְאֵת	14
כָּל אֲשֶׁר לָהֶם וְהִצַּלְהָם אֶת נַפְשֹׁתֵינוּ מִפְּוֵת. וַיֹּאמְרוּ לָהּ הָאֲנָשִׁים נַפְשֵׁנוּ תַחְתֵּיכֶם לָמוּת אָם לֹא	15
ַתַּגִּידוּ אֶת דְּבָרֵנוּ זֶה וְהָיָה בְּתַת יי לָנוּ אֶת הָאָרֶץ וְעָשִׂינוּ עִמֶּךְ חֶסֶר וֶאֱמֶת	16

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Joshua, Chapter 2, verses 1 – 14.

Question 4 (continued)

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(a)	How many men does Joshua / Yehoshua send? (line 1)	[1]
(b)	What is their mission? (line 1)	[1]
(c)	How does the behaviour of Rahab / Rachav come into conflict with the king of Jericho / Yericho? Mention any two points.	[2]
(d)	Translate from וַתֹּאמֶר כֵּן (line 5)	703
	until עַל הַגָּג (line 7)	[6]
(e)	What steps did the king of Jericho / Yericho take to capture the two spies? (lines 7 – 8)	
	Mention any two points.	[2]
(f)	What did Rahab / Rachav admit to the two spies? (line 9)	
	Mention any one point.	[1]
(g)	Mention one historical event that Rahab / Rachav recalls. (lines 10 – 11).	[1]
(h)	What do these events lead Rahab / Rachav to conclude? (lines 12 – 13)	[1]
(i)	What is the arrangement between Rahab / Rachav and the spies? (lines 14 - 16)	[2]
(j)	The verb roots מְרַגְּלִים) – line 1) and הפר – ווne 3) are both used in this passage to mean 'to spy'.	
	(i) What is the true meaning of each of these verb roots?	[2]
	(ii) Explain how each of these verb roots can be used to mean 'to spy'.	[2]
(k)	What do we learn about life in the land of Canaan at this time?	P 43
	Mention two points, and give examples from the passage.	[4]

[Total: 25 marks]

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Read the following passage, and answer in English the questions that follow.

	line number
וַיְהִי דְּבַר הָאֱ-לֹהִים אֶל שְׁמַעְיָה אִישׁ הָאֱ-לֹהִים לֵאמֹר. אֱמֹר אֶל רְחַבְעָם בֶּן שְׁלֹמֹה	1
מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה וְאֶל כָּל בֵּית יְהוּדָה וּבִנְיָמִין וְיֶתֶר הָעָם לֵאמֹך: כֹּה אָמַר יי לֹא תַעֲלוּ	2
וְלֹאָ תִלָּחֲמוּן עִם אֲחֵיכֶם בְּגֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל שׁוּבוּ אִישׁ לְבֵיתוֹ כִּי מֵאָתִּי נִהְיָה הַדֶּבָר הַזֶּה	3
וַיִּשְׁמְעוּ אֶת דְּבַר יי וַיִּשָׁבוּ לָלֶכֶת כִּדְבַר יי: וַיִּבֶן יָרָבְעָם אֶת שְׁכֶם בְּהַר אֶפְרַיִם	4
וַיֵּשֶׁב בָּה וַיֵּצֵא מִשָּׁם וַיִּבֶן אֶת־פְּנוּאֵלּ: וַיֹּאמֶר יָרָבְעָם בְּלִבּוֹ עַתָּה תָּשׁוּב הַמַּמְלָכָה	5
לְבֵיִת דָּוָד: אָם־יַצְעֶה הָעָם הַזֶּה לַצְשׁוֹת זְבָחִים בְּבֵית יי בִּירוּשָׁלַם וְשָׁב לֵב הָעָם	6
הַנֶּה אֶל אֲדֹנֵיהֶם אֶל רְחַבְעָם מֶלֶךְ יְהוּרָה וַהֲרָגִנִי וְשָׁבוּ אֶל רְחַבְעָם מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה	7
וַיִּנָעֵץ הַמֶּלֶךְ וַיַּעַשֹּׁ שְׁנֵי עֶגְלֵי זָהָב וַיֹּאמֶר אֲלֵהֶם רַב לָכֶם מֵעֲלוֹת יְרוְשְׁלַם הִנֵּה	8
אֶ-לֹהֶיךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל אֲשֶׁר הָעֱלוּךְ מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרָיֵם: וַיָּשֶׂם אֶת הָאֶחָד בְּבֵית אֵל וְאֶת	9
הָאֶחָד נָתַן בְּדָןְ: וַיְהִי הַדָּבָר הַזֶּה לְחַטָּאת וַיֵּלְכוּ הָעָם לִפְנֵי הָאֶחָד עַד דָן: וַיַּעַשׂ	10
אֶת בֵּית בָּמוֹת וַיַּעַשׁ כֹּהֲנִים מִקְצוֹת הָעָם אֲשֶׁר לוֹא הָיוּ מִבְּנֵי לֵוֹי. וַיַּעַשׁ יָרֶבְעָם	11
ָּחָג בַּחֹדֶשׁ הַשְּׁמִינִי בַּחֲמִשֶּׁה עָשָּׂר יוֹם לַחֹדֶשׁ כֶּחָג אֲשֶׁר בִּיהוּדָה וַיַּעַל עַל הַמִּזְבֵּח	12
בֵּן עָשָהׁ בְּבֵית אֵל לְזַבַּחַ לָעֲגָלִים אֲשֶׁר עָשָהׁ וְהֶעֱמִיד בְּבֵית אֵל אֶת־כּוְהַנֵי הַבָּמוֹת	13
אֲשֶׁר עָשֶׂה וַיַּעַל עַל־הַמִּזְבֵּחַ אֲשֶׁר עָשָּׂה בְּבֵית אֵל בַּחֲמִשָּׁה עָשָׂר יוֹם בַּחֹדֶשׁ הַשְּׁמִינִי	14
ָבַחֹדֶשׁ אֲשֶׁר בָּדָא מִלְבּוֹ וַיַּצִשׁ חָג לְבָנֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל וַיַּצַל צַל הַמִּוְבֵּחַ לְהַקְטִיר:	15

מלכים א' י"ב: כ"ב - ל"ג I Kings, Chapter 12, verses 22 – 33.

Question 5 (continued)

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(a)	How is Shemaiah described? (line 1)	[1]
(b)	(i) Who else is present when Shemaiah addresses the king? (lines $1-2$)	[1]
	(ii) Why does Shemaiah address the king in front of a large audience?	[1]
(c)	What does Shemaiah advise his audience? (line 2 – 3)	[2]
(d)	How does Jeroboam / Yaraveam strengthen his kingdom? (line 4 – 5)	[2]
(e)	What is the historical importance of the places mentioned in lines 4 – 5?	[2]
(f)	Translate from אָם־יַצְלֶּה (line 6) until מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרְיֵם (line 9)	[6]
(g)	What is significant about the towns mentioned in lines 9 – 10?	[2]
(h)	The phrase נֵיֵּלְכוּ הָעָם לְפְנֵי הָאֶחָד עַד דָן (line 10) is difficult to translate. Suggest a translation, and justify your translation.	[2]
(i)	What is a בֵּית בָּמוֹת? (line 11)	[1]
(j)	In what way does Jeroboam / Yaraveam ignore Biblical tradition? (line 11)	[1]
(k)	What changes does Jeroboam / Yaraveam bring about in the religious practices of the northern kingdom of Israel?	
	Mention four points.	[4]

[Total: 25 marks]

Read the following passage, and answer in English the questions that follow.

	line number
בִּשְׁנַת עֶשְׂרִים וָשֶׁבַע שָׁנָה לְאָסָא מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה מָלַךְ זִמְרִי שָׁבְעַת יָמִים בְּתִרְצָה וְהָעָם חֹנִים עַל גִּבְּתוֹן	1
אֲשֶׁר לַפְּלִשְׁתִּים: וַיִּשְׁמַע הָעָם הַחֹנִים לֵאמֹר קָשַׁר זִמְרִי וְגַם הִכָּה אֶת הַמֶּלֶךְ וַיַּמְלִכוּ כָל יִשְׂרָאֵל אֶת	2
עָמְרִי שַׂר צָבָא עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל בַּיּוֹם הַהוּא בַּמַּחֲנֶה. וַיַּעֲלֶה עָמְרִי וְכָל יִשְׂרָאֵל עִמּוֹ מִגִּבְּתוֹן וַיָּצֵרוּ עַל	3
תַּרְצָה וַיִּשְׂרֹף צָלָיו אֶת בֵּיִת מֶלֶּךְּ	4
בָּאֵשׁ וַיָּמֹת. עַל חַטֹאתִיו אֲשֶׁר חָטָא לַצְשׁוֹת הָרַע בְּצֵינֵי יי לָלֶכֶת בְּדֶרֶךְ יָרָבְעָם וּבְחַטָּאתוֹ אֲשֶׁר עָשָּׂה	5
לְהַחֲטִיא אֶת יִשְׂרָאֵלּ: וְיֶתֶר דִּבְרֵי זִמְרִי וְקִשְׁרוֹ אֲשֶׁר קַשָּׁר הֲלֹא הֵם כְּתוּבִים עַל סֵפֶּר דִּבְרֵי הַיָּמִים	6
לְמַלְכֵי יִשְׂרָאֵלּ: אָז יֵחָלֵק הָעָם יִשְׂרָאֵל לַחַצִּי חֲצִי הָעָם הָיָה אַחֲרֵי תִּבְנִי כֶן גִּינַת לְהַמְּלִיכוֹ וְהַחֲצִי	7
אַחֲרֵי צָמְרִיְּי וַיֵּחֶזַק הָעָם אֲשֶׁר אַחֲרֵי עָמְרִי אֶת הָעָם אֲשֶׁר אַחֲרֵי תִּבְנִי בֶּן גִּינַת וַיָּמָת תִּבְנִי וַיִּמְלֹךְ	8
עָמְרִיּ: בִּשְׁנַת שָׁלֹשִׁים וְאַחַת שָׁנָה לְאָסָא מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה מָלַךְ עָמְרִי עַל יִשְׂרָאֵל שְׁתֵּים עֶשְׂרֵה שָׁנָה	9
בְּתִרְצָה מָלַךְ שֵׁשׁ שָׁנִים. וַיִּקָן אֶת הָהָר שׁמְרוֹן מֵאֶת שֶׁמֶר בְּכִכְּרַיִם כָּסֶף וַיָּבֶן אֶת הָהָר וַיִּקְרָא אֶת	10
שֵׁם הָעִיר אֲשֶׁר בָּנָה עַל שֶׁם שֶׁמֶר אֲדֹנֵי הָהָר שֹׁמְרוּןן: וַיַּעֲשֶׂה עָמְרִי הָרַע בְּעֵינֵי יי וַיָּרַע מִכּל אֲשֶׁר	11
לְפָנֵיוּ. וַיֵּלֶךְ בְּכָל דֶּרֶךְ יָרָבְעָם בֶּן נְבָט וּבְחַשָּאתוֹ אֲשֶׁר הָחֱטִיא אֶת יִשְׂרָאֵל לְהַכְעִים אֶת יי אֱ-לֹהֵי	12
יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּהַבְלֵיהֶם: וְיֶתֶר דִּבְרֵי צָמְרִי אֲשֶׁר צָשָּׁה וּגְבוִירָתוֹ אֲשֶׁר צָשָּׂה הֲלֹא הֵם כְּתוּבִים עַל סֵפֶּר	13
ּ דִּבְרֵי הַיָּמִים לְמַלְּכֵי יִשְׂרָאֵלִּ. וַיִּשְׁכַּב עָמְרִי עָם אֲבֹתָיו וַיִּקְבֵר בְּשׁוֹמְרוֹן וַיִּמְלֹךְ אַחְאָב בְּנוֹ תַּחְתָּיוּ	14

מלכים א' פרק ט"ז. ט"ז - כ"דו 1 Kings, Chapter 16, verses 15 – 28.

Question 6 (continued)

(a)	Why are the people camped at Gibbethon? (line 1)	[1]
(b)	(i) Why does Zimri choose to rebel at this time?(ii) Whom does he kill? (lines 1 – 2)	[2] [1]
(c)	How does Omri gain power? (lines 2 – 3)	[2]
(d)	What does Omri do once he gains power? (lines 3 – 4)	[2]
(e)	Why is Tirzah (line 4) important?	[1]
(f)	Mention any two points about the source of history used by the writer of I Kings. (lines $6-7$)	[2]
(g)	What specific actions of Jeroboam / Yaroveam are being referred to in lines 5 – 6 and 12 – 13?	[2]
(h)	(i) Translate from אָז יֵחָלֵק (line 7) until וַיִּמְלֹךְ עָמְרִי (lines 8 – 9)	[4]
	(ii) Translate from נֵיֵּלֶךְ (line 12) until בְּהַבְלֵיהֶם (line 13)	[2]
(i)	Explain the importance of Omri's purchase. (lines 10 – 11) Mention two points.	[2]
(j)	Explain the use of the letter ת in: (i) שֶּׁבְעַת (line 1) (ii) בְּרְאוֹת (line 4)	[1] [1]
(k)	Explain the suffixes of the following nouns: (i) בְּכִכְּרַיִם (line 10) (ii) אָדֹנֵי (line 11)	[1] [1]

[Total: 25 marks]

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Specimen Mark Scheme

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	Question 1	
Question Number	Answer	Max Mark
(a)	וַיּאׁמֶר (line 1): Who is speaking?	
	Jacob / Yaakov [1]	[1]
(b)	אֲשֶׁר נָדַרְהָּ לִּי שָׁם נְדֶר (line 7): What was the vow?	
	 When Jacob / Yaakov would return from Laban's house [1] He would offer sacrifices at that place [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(c)	וַתַּצַן רָחֵל וְלֵאָה וַתּאמֵרְנָה לו (line 8):	
(c) <i>(i)</i>	What difficulties are there in this phrase?	
	The first verb is singular; the second is in the plural.	[1]
(c) <i>(ii)</i>	Mention any two complaints that Jacob / Ya'akov makes to Rachel and Leah. (lines 1 – 4)	
	Laban / Lavan was no longer kindly disposed to him [1]	
	Laban / Lavan had cheated him on a number of occasions [1]	
	He had changed his method of payment [1]	
	 If the arrangement was to pay with spotted sheep, Laban / Lavan would then insist on streaked / striped sheep. [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(d)		[6]

Divide the passage into three phrases as follows:

Phrase	Translation	Reject
וַמַּצֵן רָחָל וְלֵאָה וַתֹּאמֵרְנָה לוֹ הַעוֹד לָנוּ חַלֶּק וְנַחֲלָה בְּבֵית אָבִינוּ	Rachel and Leah answered and said, "Have we still a share and inheritance in our father's house?	
הַלוֹא נָכָרִיּוֹת נֶחְשַּׁבְנוּ לוֹ כִּי מְכָרָנוּ וַיֹּאכַל גַּם־אָכוֹל אֶת כַּסְפַּנוּ	Are we not considered by him as strangers? For he has sold us and totally consumed our money.	
כִּי כָל־הָעשֶׁר אֲשֶׁר חָצִּיל אֱ-לֹחִים מֵאָבִינוּ לָנוּ הוּא וּלְבָנֵינוּ וְעַתָּה כֹּל אֲשֶׁר אָמַר אֱ-לֹחִים אֵלִיךּ עֲשֵׂה.	But all the wealth that G-d has taken away from our father belongs to us and our children.	

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(e)	What does Jacob / Yaakov do in lines 11 – 12? Mention two points.	
	He put his family on camels [1]	
	He led away his entire livestock [1]	
	and non-animal movable property [1]	
	 to make his way to his father Isaac who resided in Canaan [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]



(f)	What is meant by מְקְנֵה קְנְיָנוֹ (line 12)?	
	 A reference to male and female servants and / or camels and donkeys [1] bought with the proceeds of the sale of his flocks [1] (Rashi) It refers to the possessions acquired by Jacob's servants [1] who had been his agents to execute deals [1] (R. Zvi Berlin) 1 mark per point, maximum 	[2]
(g)	What are הְּרָפִים (line 13)?	
	Idols used as oracles to tell the future [1]	
	 Immoral images (<i>Zohar</i>) [1] Images having human form (cf. Samuel 19:13), not always used as idols 	
	(Maimonides) [1]	
	À type of voodoo doll used in necromancy [1]	
	An life-size image of husbands made for wives to gaze at in their absence (a similar idea to a photograph) (Managed H. David A. Carrent it id.) [7].	
	similar idea to a photograph) (Metzudath David 1 Samuel ibid.) [1] 1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
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(h)	When Jacob / Yaakov fled (line 10), what was his route? Mention two points	
	He crossed the river [1]	
	And set his direction towards Mount Gilead [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(i)	Give an example of an introductory מ from this passage.	
	• מַצֵּכָה (line 7) [1]	
	• מְקְנֵה (line 12) [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
<i>(</i> :)	The verbs הָגִיד (line 14) and וְיָגֵּד (line 15) have the same root. Show a difference	
(j)	between the two forms.	
	• הַגִּיד 3ms Hiphil perfect; [1] Alternative response: he told [1]	
	• אור וֹיָגַד 3ms Hophal imperfect; [1] Alternative response: it was told [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(k)	Using examples from these paragraphs, show how Jacob / Yaakov and his wives view their relationship with Laban / Lavan. Mention three points.	
	 Notices a change in attitude / envy of both Laban and his sons as result of his success. [1] 	
	Feels cheated by constant changes of employment terms [1]	
	 He was always loyal to Laban; gave his utmost to his work [1] Wives feel treated as strangers by their father – he 'sold them' [1] 	
	 Wives reel treated as strangers by their father – he sold them [1] Rachel disapproved of her father's religious practices [1] 	
	Yaakov was afraid of Laban; he had to flee without Laban knowing. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[3]

[Total: 25]



Question 2		
Question Number	Answer	Max Mark
(a)	Who is referred to in line 1? • Jacob / Yaakov [1]	[1]

(b) Translate from וַיּנָתֵר (line 3) until וַתּוּכְל (line 6)

[6]

Divide the passage into three phrases as follows:

Phrase	Translation	Reject
וַיּנָתֵר יַצְקב לְבַדוּ וַיֵּאָבֵק אִישׁ עִמּוּ עַד עָלוֹת הָשֶּׁחָר: וַיִּרְא כִּי לֹא יָכל לוֹ וַיִּגָע בְּכַף יְרֵכוֹ	Jacob remained alone and a man fought with him until the break of dawn. He saw that he could not prevail over him, so he struck the socket of his hip.	
וַתַּקַע כַּךְּ יֶרֶךְ יַצַקבׁ בְּחַאָבְקוֹ עָמּוּ. וַיֹּאמֶר שַׁלְחַנִּי כִּי עָלָה הַשְּׁחַר וַיֹּאמֶר לֹא אֲשַׁלֵּחַךְ כִּי אָם־בַּרֵכְחָנֵי.	So Jacob's hip was dislocated as he wrestled with him. He said, "Let me go, for dawn has broken," but he said, "I will not let you go unless you bless me."	
וַיאמֶר אֵלָיו מַה־שְּמֶךּ וַיֹּאמֶר יַצְקְבּ. וַיֹּאמֶר לֹא יַצְקֹב יֵאָמֵרעוֹד שִּמְךּ כִּי אָם יִשְׂרָאֵל כִּי שְׁרִיתָ עָם אֵ־ֶלֹהִים וַעָם אֲנָשִׁים וַתּוּכָל.	He said to him, "What is your name?" and he said, "Jacob." He said, "no longer will it be said that your name is Jacob, but Israel, for you have struggled with angels and men and have overcome."	

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(c)	וַיֵּאָבֵק אִישׁ עָמוּ (line 3): Who is this man?	
	The guardian angel of Esau [1] (Rashi)	
	A psychosomatic experience [1] (Redak)	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
(d)	פְּנִיאֵל (line 7):	
(d) <i>(i)</i>	Why does this place receive such a name?	
, , , ,	Jacob had seen divine beings / angels [1]	
	Face to face [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(D (()	How do you account for the change in name from פָּניאָל (line 7) to פָּנוֹאֶל (line 8)?	
(d) <i>(ii)</i>	Give any two possibilities.	
	Jacob called it Peniel; others called it Penuel. [1] (Rabbi Chaim ben Atar)	
	Jacob called it Peniel at this point; later it became known as Penuel [1] (Living)	
	Torah, see 1 Kings 12:25)	
	The letters Yud and Vav are interchangeable [1] (Redak)	
	 Peniel indicates a higher level when Jacob first saw the place. [1] (Rabbeinu Bahya) 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]



(e) <i>(i)</i>	What is the גיד הַנְשֶׁה (line 8)?	
(e) (<i>i)</i>	The sciatic nerve [1] (Living Torah)	
	The sinew of the thigh [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
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(e) <i>(ii)</i>	What prohibition is connected with it?	
	Not to eat that part of an animal [1]	[1]
(e) <i>(iii)</i>	To whom does this prohibition apply?	
	The Israelites [1]	
	Jacob's family [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
(f)	What is Jacob / Yaakov's request (<i>lines 11 – 13</i>)? Mention two points.	
(-7	He suggests that Esau go ahead of Jacob [1]	
	To allow him (Jacob) to follow behind at a slower pace [1]	
	Jacob says he will make his own way to Seir [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
	From these passages, find two examples, using different roots, of verbs whose	
(g)	last root letter is a π (Lamed-He).	
	• עַלָה /עֵלוֹת (line 3) [1]	
	• שַׁרִית (line 8) [1]	
	• רָאִיתִי (line 6) / נַיִּרָא (lines 3 and 8) [1]	
	• וַיִּחַץ (line 9) [1]	
	ייין (line 13) [1] • וַיְּבֵּוְ (line 13) [1]	
	• ຖືກຼາ (line 14) [1]	
	• וְיָקוֹן (line 14) [1]	
	• נְּטָה (line 14) [1]	F21
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(h)	Where is פַּדַן אֲּרָם (line 17) in relation to Canaan? You may draw a sketch map.	
	North-east of Canaan	[1]
<u></u>	(line 1) and וַיּצֵבְרֵם (line 2) are from the same root. Show a difference between	
(i)	the two forms.	
	וַתַּעֲבָבֹר.	
	it passed [1];	
	alternative response: Kal 3fs, imperfect vav consecutive [1]	
	וַיַּצְבָרֵם.	
	 he passed them over / he caused them to pass over [1]; 	
	alternative response: Hiphil 3ms imperfect vav consecutive, [1]	
	 3mp direct object (accusative) suffix [1] 1 mark each for either precise translation or grammatical difference, maximum 	[2]
<i></i>		
(j)	What unit of currency is used in Shechem at this time? (line 18).	
	 Kesitah [1] A unit that measures the value of a young lamb. (Targum) [1] 	
1		[1]



(k) From these passages, what strategies does Jacob / Yaakov use to deal with Esau / Esav? Give two examples.

- He prepares a present to mollify him. [1]
- When Esau and his men approach, he splits his family so that some may escape if necessary. [1]
- He pretends he needs to travel behind Esau at a slower pace [1]
- He trails off onto a different direction from Esau's resident city [1]

1 mark per point, maximum

[2]

[Total: 25]

Question 3			
Question Number	Answer	Max Mark	
(a)	How is Yehoshua / Joshua described? (line 1)		
	Moshe's attendant / servant [1].	[1]	
(b)	בְּן (line 1): Suggest a reason for the unusual pronunciation of this word.		
	• An alternative construct form for the noun בָּן, several examples elsewhere. (Da'at Mikra) [1]		
	The two 'nun' letters attract, shortening the pronunciation. (See Redak) [1]		
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]	
(c)	In what direction to the land of Israel is the Great Sea? (line 4) • West. [1]	[1]	
(d)	Where are the following places / areas in relation to the Land of Canaan? You may draw a sketch map.		
(d) <i>(i)</i>	(i) הַּמִּרְבָּר (line 1)		
	The desert area bordering the south of the land. [1]	[1]	
(d) <i>(ii)</i>	(ii) אֶרֶץ הַחְתִּים (line 1)		
	 The far north of the country / Syria bordering Turkey. [1] 	[1]	
(e)	What promise does G-d make? (lines 4 – 5) Mention any two points.		
	No one will oppose you [1]		
	All your life [1]		
	I will be with you [1] As I was with Marks 547.		
	As I was with Moshe. [1]	F07	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]	
(f)	What condition does G-d impose? (lines 6 – 7)		
	Be very strong [1]		
	To keep fully everything I commanded Moshe [1]		
	Do not deviate at all. [1]		
;	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]	
(g)	Translate from אֶת־הַיַּרְדֵּן הַזֶּה (line 8) until אֶת־הַיַּרְדֵּן ' אָת (line 11)	[6]	

Divide the passage into three phrases as follows:

Phrase	Translation	Reject
לארינמוּש סַפֶּר הַתּוֹרָה הַזֶּה מִפִּיךְ וְהָגִיתָ בּוֹ יוֹמָם וָלַיְלָה לְמַצַן תִּשְׁמֹר לַצֲשׁוֹת כְּכָל־הַכָּתוּב בּוֹ כִּי־אָז תַּצְלִיחַ אֶת־דְּרָכֶךְ וְאָז תַּשְׂכִיל	This book of the Torah shall not depart from your mouth You should contemplate it day and night. In order that you will carefully observe everything written in it For then you bring success to all your undertakings And then you will act wisely.	
הַלוֹא צִוִּיתִיךְ חֲזַק נֶאֱמָץ אַל־תַּצֵרֹץ וְאַל־תֵּחָת כִּי צַמְּךְ יִי אֱ-לֹחֶיְךְ בְּכֵל אֲשֶׁר תַּלֵךְ: וַיְצֵו יְהוֹשֶׁעַ אֶת־שִׁיְרֵי הָעָם לֵאמֹרְ:	Indeed I command you: be strong and courageous, do not be anxious or fearful, for the Lord your G-d is with you wherever you go. Yehoshua commanded the marshals of the people:	
עַבְרוּ בְּקֶרֶב תַּמְּחֲנֶה וְצֵוּוּ אֶת־הָעֶם לַאמֹר הָכִינוּ לָכֶם צֵידָה כִּי בְּעוֹד שְׁלֹשֶׁת יָמִים אַהֶּם עִבְרִים אֶת־הַיַּרְבֵּן הַזָּה	Go through the camp And instruct the people: Prepare provisions for yourselves, for in another three days you will cross this Jordan.	



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(h)	What arrangement had Moshe / Moses made with these three tribes? (lines 12 – 17) Mention three details.	
	G-d will give you this land (trans-Jordan) [1]	
	Your families may stay here, [1]	
	Whilst you cross the Jordan to fight with the rest of the nation [1]	İ
	When they have received the land promised to them [1]	İ
	You may return to your property here. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[3]
(i)	How do the three tribes respond to Yehoshua / Joshua? (lines 17 – 18) Mention two points.	
	We will do whatever you have commanded [1]	
	We will go wherever you send us [1]	
	We will obey you as we obeyed Moshe. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(j)	Give three different examples of <i>Hifil</i> verbs from this passage.	
	• תְּנְחִיל – line 6. [1]	
	• תַּשְׂבִּיל – line 7. [1]	
	• תַּצְלִיחַ – line 9. [1]	
	1 mark per example, maximum	[3]
(k)	The phrase מֲזֵק (line 19) is repeated several times in this passage.	
	Suggest a reason for this.	
	 The theme of the passage is one of encouraging / exhorting / urging [1] the new leader to fulfil all that is expected of him. [1] 	[2]
		tal: 25]

Question 4		
Question Number	Answer	Max Mark
(a)	How many men does Joshua / Yehoshua send? (line 1)	
	• Two [1]	[1]
(b)	What is their mission? (line 1)	
	To spy the area of Jericho [1]	[1]
(c)	How does the behaviour of Rahab / Rachav come into conflict with the king of Jericho / Yericho? Mention any two points.	
	She purposely hid the two spies [1]	
	Who the king of Jericho / Yericho was anxious to arrest. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(d)		[6]

Divide the passage into three phrases as follows:

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וַתּאֹמֶר כֵּן בָּאוּ אָלֵי הָאֲנָשִּים וְלֹא יָרַצְתִּי מַאַיִן הַמָּה. וַיָּהִי הַשָּׁצַר לִסְגוֹר בַּחשֶׁךְ וְהָאֲנָשִׁים יָצָאוּ	She said, "Indeed the men came to me; I didn't know where they are from. At nightfall, the gate was about to be closed, and the men went out	
לא יָדַעְתִּי אָנָה הָלְכוּ הָאֲנָשִׁים רִדְפוּ מַהַר אַחֲרִיהֶם כִּי תַשִּיגוִם: וְהִיא הָצֵלְתַם הַנָּגָה	I don't know where they went; pursue them quickly so that you will overtake them." But she had taken them up onto the roof	
וַאָּטְמְגַם בְּפִשְׁתֵּי הָצֵץ הָצֵרֶכוֹת לָה צַל הַגַּגּ	And had hidden them in the flax stalks that were lying on the roof.	

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(e)	What steps did the king of Jericho / Yericho take to capture the two spies? (lines 7 – 8) Mention any two points.	
	 Soldiers pursue in the direction of crossing points of River Jordan / Yarden [1] Shut gates of Jericho / Yericho to facilitate the search [1] And prevent escape from city [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(f)	What did Rahab / Rachav admit to the two spies? (line 9) Mention any one point.	
	 I know that G-d has given you this land [1] Your fear has fallen upon us [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]



(g)	 Mention one historical event that Rahab / Rachav recalls. (lines 10 – 11). Splitting of sea [1] Destruction of Emorite kings [1] 	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
(h)	What do these events lead Rahab / Rachav to conclude? (lines 12 – 13)	
(,	The G-d of the Israelites is the only G-d. [1]	[1]
(i)	What is the arrangement between Rahab / Rachav and the spies? (lines 14 – 16)	
	We take responsibility for the lives of your family [1]	
	On condition you don't reveal this arrangement to anyone [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(j)	The verb roots מְרַגְּלִים) – line 1) and בְּחָפּר) חפר – line 3) are both used in this passage to mean 'to spy'.	
(i)	What is the true meaning of each of these verb roots?	
	• רגל – to walk on foot [1]	
	• חפר – to dig [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(ii)	Explain how each of these verb roots can be used to mean 'to spy'.	
	• דגל – to walk on foot = to wander around on foot / people who must only travel on foot; probably to attract less attention than other means of transport, and easier to hide. [1]	
	• חפר – to dig = to uncover secrets or reveal information. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(k)	What do we learn about life in the land of Canaan at this time? Mention two points, and give examples from the passage.	
	People live in fear of imminent Israelite invasion.	
	People lost all confidence of victory against the Israelites	
	 People seem to be watching each other; the visit of strangers is noticed and reported. 	
	 Land seems to have been divided into very many kingdoms; even one town of Jericho had a 'king'. 	
	Award one mark for any point, and one mark for giving a supporting example from the passage. Maximum	[4]
	П	otal: 25

Question 5				
Question Number	Answer	Max Mark		
(a)	How is Shemaiah described? (line 1)			
	Man of G-d / Prophet [1]	[1]		
(b)				
<i>(i)</i>	Who else is present when Shemaiah addresses the king? (lines 1 – 2)			
	People of Judah [1]			
	People of Binyamin [1]			
	The rest of the people [1]			
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]		
(ii)	Why does Shemaiah address the king in front of a large audience?			
	To demonstrate that the king depends on the advice of the prophet in the same way as ordinary citizens. [1]	[1]		
(c)	 What does Shemaiah advise his audience? (line 2 – 3) Do not fight your Israelite brethren [1] Return to your homes [1] This situation is part of G-d's plan. [1] 			
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]		
(d)	 How does Jeroboam / Yaraveam strengthen his kingdom? (line 4 – 5) Built / rebuilt two towns [1] As defence cities [1] Shechem on the west bank of the Jordan / Yarden [1] And Penuel on the east bank. [1] mark per point, maximum 	[2]		
	T mark per point, maximum	[-]		
(e)	What is the historical importance of the places mentioned in lines 4 – 5?			
	 Both places are famous for their connection to the patriarch Yaakov: [1] Shechem is the first place of Yaakov's settlement in the land of Canaan. [1] Penuel is the place of Yaakov's fight with a messenger of G-d. [1] 			
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]		
(f)	Translate from מָאֶרֶץ מִצְרָיֵם (line 6) until מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרָיֵם (line 9)	[6]		
f	Divide the passage into three phrases as follows:			

Phrase **Translation** Reject If this nation will go up to offer sacrifices אָם־יַצֻלֶּה הָעָם הַזֶּה לַצְשׁוֹת זְבָחִים בְּבֵית יי in G-d's temple in Jerusalem, the heart of בִּירוּשָּׁלַם וְשָׁב לֵב הָעָם הַוֶּה אֶל אֲדֹנֵיהֶם אֶל this nation will return to their master רְחַבְּעָם מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה Rehaveam king of Judah They will kill me and return to Rehaveam וַהַרָגָנִי וְשָׁבוּ אֶל רְחַבְעָם מֶלֶךְ יְהוּדָה. king of Judah. The king took advice, and וַיִּנָעֵץ הַמֶּלֶךְ וַיַּעַשׁ שְׁנֵי עֶגְלֵי זָהָב made to golden וַיאמֶר אֲלֵהֶם calves, and said to them [the people] It is too far for you to go up to Jerusalem, רָב לָכֶם מֵצֶלוֹת יְרוִשְׁלַם הִנֵּה אֱ-לֹהֶיךְ יִשְׂרָאֵל these are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up from the land of Egypt. אַשֶר הָעֱלוּך מֵאֶרֶץ מִצְרָיִם.

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(g)	What is significant about the towns mentioned in lines 9 – 10?	
	These towns are northern and southern border towns of the northern / Israelite	
	kingdom: [1]	
	Bethel is the southern border, [1] Dan in the months of the southern border. [4]	
	Dan is the northern border. [1] 1 mark par point, maximum.	[2]
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(h)	The phrase וַיֵּלְכוּ הָעָם לִפְנֵי הָאֶחָד עַד דָּן (line 10) is difficult to translate.	
(11)	Suggest a translation, and justify your translation.	
	'The people went as far as the deity in Dan': [1]	
	קֹאֶתְד is a euphemism for a deity / important object. [1]	
	'The people went in front of the leader to Dan': [1]	
	is synonymous with שאס – they went on a pilgrimage with group	
	leaders. [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(i)	What is a בֵּית בָּמוֹת? (line 11)	
	A temple / shrine [1]	
	High platform [1]	
	Area designated for offering sacrifices [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[1]
		"
(j)	In what way does Jeroboam / Yaraveam ignore Biblical tradition? (line 11)	
	By appointing priests from tribes other than Levi. [1]	[1]
(k)	What changes does Jeroboam / Yaraveam bring about in the religious practices	
• •	of the northern kingdom of Israel? Mention four points.	
	Introduced temple shrines in Bethel and Dan [1] Introduced golden self-improve for wordship [4] Introduced golden self-improve f	
	 Introduced golden calf images for worship [1] Selected priests from tribes other than Levi [1] 	
	Festival to replace Tabernacles, on 15 th of eighth month [1]	
	Prevented travel to Temple in Jerusalem [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[4]
	[Tot	al: 25]

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(c) How does Omri gain power? (lines 2 – 3)	
Army faction [1]	
Backed by populace - common assent [1]	
1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(d) What does Omri do once he gains power? (lines 3 – 4)	
Went from Gibbethon [1]	
Besieged Tirzah [1]	
1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(e) Why is Tirzah (line 4) important?	
It was the capital of Israel [1]	
Location of the king's palace [1]	
1 mark per point, maximum	F41
There per point, maximum	[1]
(f) Mention any two points about the source of history used by the w (lines 6 – 7)	riter of I Kings.
 The chronicles of the kings of Israel contained information not read Bible [1] 	ecorded in the
It is no longer extant [1]	
 It is not to be confused with the Biblical book of Chronicles. [1] 	
1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
What specific actions of Jeroboam / Yaroveam are being referred 6 and 12 – 13?	to in lines 5 –
Made golden calves [1]	
 Which were placed in new temples in Dan and Bethel [1] 	
 Inducted priests who were not worthy of their position / who we 	ere not from the
tribe of Levi [1]	
Sacrificed to these idols [1]	
 Shifted the seventh month festival of Succoth / Tabernacles to t 	he eighth
month [1]	
1 mark per point, maximum	[2]



(h) (i) Translate from אָז יֵחָלֵק (line 7) until וַיִּמְלֹךְ עָמְרִיִּ (lines 8 – 9)

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Divide the passage into two phrases as follows:

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אָז יֵחָלֵק הָעָם יִשְּׂרָאֵל לַחַצִּי חֲצִי הָעָם הָיָה אָחֲרֵי תִּבְנִי בָּן־גִּינַת לְהַמְּלִיכוּ וְהַחֲצִי אַחֲרֵי עָמְרִיִּ	Then the people of Israel were divided into two. Half of the people were after Tibni son of Ginath to proclaim him king and half after Omri.	
וַיֶּחֲזַק הָעָם אֲשֶׁר אַחֲרֵי עָמְרִי אֶת־הָעָם אֲשֶׁר אַחֲרֵי תִּבְנִי בֶּן־גִּינַת וַיָּמָת תִּבְנִי וַיִּמְלֹךְ עָמְרִיִּ	The people that followed Omri overpowered those who were after Tibni, son of Ginath. Tibni died and Omri reigned.	

(h) (ii) Translate from וַיֵּלֶךְ (line 12) until בְּהַבְלֵיקֶם (line 13)

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Phrase	Translation -	Reject
וַיֵּלֶךְ בְּכָל־דֶּדֶךְ יָרְבְּעָם בֶּןרְנְכָט וּבְחָטָאתוֹ אֲשֶׁר הָחֲטִיא אֶת־יִשְּׂרָאֵל לְהַכְעִים אֶת־יי אֵ-לֹהֵי יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּהַבְלִיהָם:	Yorovam, son of Nebat and in his sin	

Marks	Transfer of meaning from Biblical Hebrew to English	
0	Very limited transfer of meaning. A substantial number of elements misunderstood or missing. Significant error in grammar, punctuation and spelling in English.	
1	Inconsistent transfer of meaning. Mostly accurate but there are errors and/or missing details. There are instances of error in grammar, punctuation and spelling in English.	
2	Accurate transfer of meaning. Faultless or virtually faultless grammar, punctuation and spelling in English.	

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(i)	 Explain the importance of Omri's purchase. (lines 10 – 11) Mention two points. City on a mountain providing strategic viewpoint [1] 	
	Became new capital [1]	
	1 mark per point, maximum	[2]
(j)	Explain the use of the letter n in:	
(j) <i>(i)</i>	אָבְעַת (line 1) שָׁבְעַת	
=	• Construct form of שָׁבְעָה; a unit of seven consecutive (days) [1]	[1]
(j) <i>(ii)</i>	בָּרְאוֹת (line 4)	
U) ()	• ת replaces last letter root ה [1]	[1]
(k)	Explain the suffixes of the following nouns:	
(k) <i>(i)</i>	בּכפּרֵים (line 10)	
(, (.)	Dual plural [1]	[1]
(k) <i>(ii)</i>	אַד'נֵי (line 11)	
() ()	masculine plural construct [1]	[1]

[Total: 25]



			Paper Two: Lit	terature		
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	(d) 6	(g) 2	(g) 6	(j) 4	(f) 6	(j) 2
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Assessment Objective 1 [10 marks per question]				•		
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Assessment Objective 2 [15 marks per question]	(a) 1	(a) 1	(a) 1	(a) 1	(b) 2	(a) 1
	(b) 2	(c) 1	(c) 1	(b) 1	(c) 2	(b) 3
	(c) ii 2	(d) 4	(d) 2	(c) 2	(d) 2	(c) 2
	(e) 2	(e) 3	(e) 2	(e) 2	(e) 2	(d) 2
	(f) 2	(f) 2	(f) 2	(f) 1	(g) 2	(e) 1
	(g) 1	(h) 1	(h) 3	(g) 1	(j) 1	(f) 2
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