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African emigration

In recent years a combination of factors, including the bad economic situation of most African countries, permanent conflicts, and environmental degradation, have provoked a new movement of Africans going out of the continent. The difficult socioeconomic environment has brought many skilled workers to leave the continent. This migration has been to Europe, North America (United States and Canada), and the Gulf states. This phenomenon has come to be known as the *brain drain*. Thousands of highly skilled migrants, including doctors, nurses, teachers, engineers, scientists, technologists, and other professionals, have moved from a number of African countries to the destination states attracted by relatively higher salaries and better working and living conditions. This is in addition to movements from poorer to relatively richer regions of the continent. Also, many students in various disciplines did not return to their home countries from these richer countries at the end of their studies.

Clandestine migration, an old phenomenon, has reached new proportions as young migrants are adopting more sophisticated and courageous methods to enter the countries of the North—even if these destination states continue to increase their border controls. Many clandestine migrants enter the host states as tourists or students and later work and live there without officially changing their status. Others travel via intermediary countries, where they obtain false documentation for some money. Another phenomenon is autonomous female migration, which is also a response to poverty in the subregion. With several families forced to adopt migration as a solution, the migration is becoming increasingly feminized. A significant proportion of females now migrate independently. Higher education level among females has also increased their mobility and their desire to migrate both locally and internationally.

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I- **COMPREHENSION** (2pts)

Choose and write down on your answer sheet the letter a,b,c or d that is in front of the correct answer. (exp: 1-a; 2-b; ...)

- 1- The brain drain is:
 - a) When there is poverty in a country
 - b) When experimented persons migrate
 - c) When everybody migrate
- 2- People migrate because:
 - a) They are rich
 - b) They are sick
 - c) They are poor
- 3- Clandestine migration is:
 - a) Illegal
 - b) Normal
 - c) Legal
- 4- One reason of emigration is:
 - a) War
 - b) Accident
 - c) Tsunami

A- Read the text and write “T” if the sentence is True and “F” if the sentence is False. (2pts)

- 1- Migrants go to France.
- 2- Many students come back to their countries after their studies.
- 3- Migrants leave their countries because they have lower salaries.
- 4- People migrate towards the countries of the North.

B- Read the text and answer these questions (4pts)

- 1- According to the text, what are the causes of emigration? (2pts)
- 2- In the text, who are the migrants? (2pts)

I- **VOCABULARY** (2pts)

- 1- Find in the text two verbs conjugated into the simple present
- 2- Give the verbs coming from these nouns:
A response; a movement

II- GRAMMAR (6pts)

A- Complete with the correct form (1pt)

- 1- My brother prevents me from ... my homework. (to do, doing, does)
- 2- Last week, our teacher ... a present. (receives, received, has received)

B- Complete with the correct tense (1pt)

- 1- If my brother was a businessman, he (to be) very rich.
- 2- My parents will buy this big house if they (to save) a lot of money.

C- Turn the following sentences into the simple future (1pt)

- 1- The farmers can face a big crisis.
- 2- I must not cut this tree.

D- Turn these sentences into the past perfect progressive (1pt)

- 1- The pupils copy the lesson in their copybook.
- 2- I don't drive my car.

E- Complete the following sentences with the tag questions (1pt)

- 1- The ministry will not help the farmers,
- 2- Don't go home,

F- Turn these sentences into the active voice (1pt)

- 1- Isaac is said by all the teachers to be a good pupil.
- 2- A letter must be sent by Mounira.

III- ESSAY WRITING (4pts)

In your opinion, give two solutions to stop emigration?