



GRADE FIVE - LISTENING SCRIPT- SEMESTER ONE- FIRST SESSION

(Practice Exam - Unit 3: Let's Explore!) - Prepared by Mohamed Mostafa Al Shorbagy, Regional Supervisor, Wusta Governorate

LISTENING 1

(You will hear five short conversations about space.)

One:

F: *Wow, look at this photo, Hamad!*

M: *It's my cousin. He's an astronaut.*

F: *What is he wearing? It looks very big and heavy.*

M: *It's special clothing. Astronauts wear it when they work outside in space. It keeps them safe and helps them breathe.*

Two:

F: *What are you looking at, Salem?*

M: *A photo from a satellite. You can see our planet.*

F: *It's beautiful! The blue parts are the oceans.*

M: *Yes. From space, you can see the oceans, the land and the clouds. There's no line between countries!*

Three:

M: *What are you doing tonight, Reem?*

F: *I'm going to my grandfather's farm. We will look at the stars.*

M: *With your eyes?*

F: *No! He has a long instrument. You look through it, and the Moon and stars look very big and near. It's amazing!*

Four:

M: *Did you see the sky last night, Amal?*

F: *Yes! There was a bright thing with a long tail. It was moving slowly.*

M: *My father says it comes near us only every seventy years.*

F: *Wow! Then we were lucky to see it. I took a photo with my phone.*

Five:

F: *What are you watching, Ali?*

M: *A film about astronauts. They live and work in a special house in space.*

F: *In space! Do they sleep there too?*

M: *Yes. They stay there for six months. They do science experiments and grow vegetables. Then they come back to Earth in a rocket.*

(224 words) (Target Range: Each Text :40-50 words)

LISTENING 2

(A teacher talking to her class about the Space Explorers Club.)

Teacher: Good morning, class. I have some news about the Space Explorers Club. Tomorrow, we will have a very special meeting. First, we will make a model of the solar system. It will have the Sun and all the planets. Can you name them all? We will meet in the science lab, not in Room 17, because we need the big tables there. Please bring some cardboard and coloured paper. You don't need to bring any food or water. After we finish the models, we will go outside and use the club's new telescope. We hope to see the Moon! The club starts at four o'clock and finishes at five o'clock. Don't be late. It will be a great day. Tell your parents, please, and see you at the lab!

(129 words) (Target Range: 125 - 150 words)