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MARK SCHEME for the May/June 2015 series

0544 ARABIC (FOREIGN LANGUAGE)

0544/22 Paper 2 (Reading), maximum raw mark 45

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Detailed mark scheme

Section 1

Exercise 1 Questions 1-5

1	С	[1]
2	В	[1]
3	В	[1]
4	D	[1]
5	A	[1]

[Total: 5]

Exercise 2 Questions 6-10

6	С	[1]
7	A	[1]
8	D	[1]
9	В	[1]
10	F	[1]

[Total: 5]

Exercise 3 Questions 11-15

11	В	[1]
12	С	[1]
13	В	[1]
14	В	[1]
15	С	[1]

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Section 2

Exercise 1 Questions 16-20

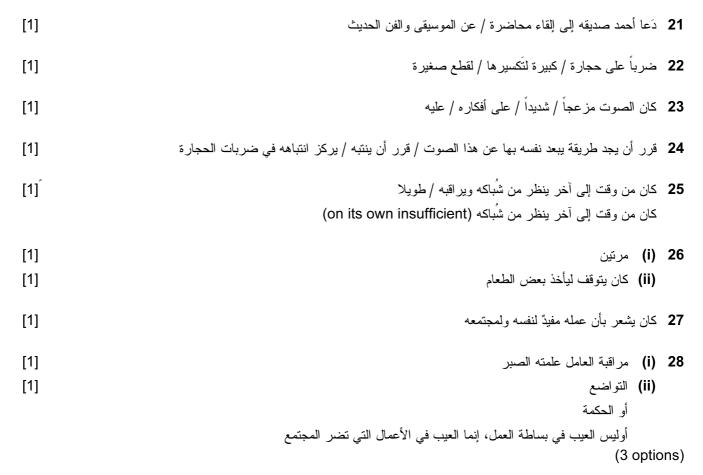
قریب من 16	[1]	
بالسكون 17	[1]	
البستان 18	[1]	
غال 19	[1]	
يفتح 20	[1]	All answers must be from the grid, not from the text.

[Total: 5]

Exercise 2 Questions 21-28

In this exercise, reward the candidate for being able to locate the answer in the passage. Ignore extra material (whether Arabic is accurate or inaccurate).

Accept lifting unless it is specifically refused in the Mark Scheme.



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Section 3

Look for signs of genuine comprehension. Usually, candidates who lift indiscriminately fail to demonstrate comprehension and will not score the mark. However, careful lifting of the details required to answer the question does demonstrate comprehension and should be rewarded.

Exercise 1 Questions 29–33

1	Mark	per	question	for	True	or F	False
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1 Mark for correcting False statement (29, 30, 33)

First award marks for the True/False element and then award marks for the justification of the False statements.

	صح	خطا
29		✓
30		✓
31	✓	
32	✓	
33		✓

ACC	IS TICKED خطأ IS TICKED	
[1]	لم يجد أبو جمال عملاً / متوفراً	29
[1]	كان أبوه يعتني بأطفال اللاعب / بأحفاده	30
[1]	كلُّهم يلعبون كرة القدم	33

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Exercise 2 Questions 34-40

ACC	CEPT:	
[1]	المياه	34
[1]	في الخمسينات	35
[1]	كان مشروع النهر الصناعي الأرخص / تكلُّفة بالنسبة لسائر المشروعات	36
[1]	لم تكن لديها الخبرة الهندسية /أو الفنية اللازمة لتنفيذ المشروع	37
[1]	تحسنت جودة الحياة / بدأ الناس يستعملون المياه في الزراعة	38
[1]	أصبحت دولتنا من الدول الرائدة في العالم في الهندسة الهيدروليكية / ترغب الحكومة في تقليص المساهمة الأجنبية في المشروع / تأمل دولتنا تصدير خبرتها إلى دول أخرى/ بدأت الدولة بتصدير منتجاتها الزراعية إلى الأسواق الأوروبية والعالمية.	39
[1]	لا أحد يعرف إلى متى ستدوم المياه الجوفية	40

[Total: 7]