

Second Lecture

المحاضرة الثانية

Reading 2: The People of Malawi Were Kind to Her Son

النص الثاني: شعب ملاوي كانوا لطفاء مع ابنها

المفردات	
WORD الكلمة	MEANING معناها
accomplish (v.)	أنجز - أتم - أنهى
needy (adj.)	محتاج - فقير
gratify (v.)	يكافئ - يرضى
postage (n.)	أجرة البريد . طوابع بريدية
Heroine (n.)	بطلة، مؤنث بجميع معانيها
Respected (adj.)	محترم، متمم باحترام شديد

Peace Corps: is a volunteer organization created by U.S.president John F.kennedy .Peace Corps volunteers go to developing countries to do volunteer work in the fields of education, heath, agriculture, and technology.

فيلق السلام: هي عبارة عن منظمة تطوعية أنشأها الرئيس الأمريكي جون كنيدي. يذهب متطوعو فيلق السلام إلى الدول النامية للقيام بأعمال تطوعيه في مجالات التعليم والصحة والزراعة والتكنولوجيا.

READING PASSAGE

قطعة القراءة

One of the most respected persons in the Beacon Hill community of Boston is Dorothy. She was born on December 3, 1908, in Providence, Rhode Island, and moved to the old West End in 1941, then to Beacon Hill in 1953. By then; Dorothy had a husband and three sons.

أحد أكثر الأشخاص احتراماً في مجتمع بيكون هيل في بوسطن هي دورثي. لقد ولدت في ٣ ديسمبر ١٩٠٨م في مقاطعة رود آيلند، وانتقلت إلى الغرب في ١٩٤١م، ثم إلى بيكون هيل في ١٩٥٣م. آن ذاك دورثي كان لديها زوجا وثلاثة أبناء.

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كل عام ترسل دورثي من ٣٨ إلى ٤٠ طرداً مليئاً بالملابس إلى بلد صغير بإفريقيا تُسمى ملاوي؛ لقد بدا الأمر منذ ٢٣ عاماً مضت عندما كان اصغر أبنائها جوردن في ملاوي ضمن فيلق السلام. وهناك التقى جوردن عائلة أصبحت تعرف بوالديه.

Dorothy had been renting out some of her rooms in her house. A man left a suitcase there and she write him about it. After waiting a year for a reply from him, she opened it and decided that those clothes could be used by some of the needy people in Malawi .So she sent them to her sons "{...} parents "that was just the beginning.

كانت دورثي تؤجر بعض الغرف في منزلها عندما ترك رجلٌ حقيبة هناك وكتبت له بشأنها. بعد انتظار رده لسنة كاملة فتحتها وقررت أن هذه الملابس يمكن أن يستفيد منها بعض المحتاجين في ملاوي. لذا أرسلتها إلى والدي ابنها وكانت هذه مجرد البداية.

Dorothy spends about \$2,000 a year on postage and sends away clothes collected from neighbors and family. The number of families she is providing for has grown to 70. In a small book, Dorothy keeps track of all 70 families. She sorts the clothing according to size and packs them based on each family's needs. Dorothy brings the package to the post office and off it goes.

تنفق دورثي حوالي ٢٠٠٠ دولار سنوياً على أجرة البريد، وتقوم بإرسال الملابس التي تجمعها من الجيران والأسرة. وقد ازداد عدد الأسر التي تقدم لهم الملابس إلى ٧٠، وفي كتيب صغير تسجل وتتابع هذه الأسر السبعون، تقسم الملابس تبعاً للمقاس وتغلفها بناءً على احتياجات كل عائلة. دورثي تحضر الطرد إلى مكتب البريد ومنه يتم الإرسال.

One of the high points of her project was for her to send 76 boxes the year she turned 76. she accomplished this task, and it shows just how much difference one person can make.

أحد تحديات مشروعها كان بالنسبة لها أن ترسل ٧٦ صندوقاً في السنة التي تبلغ فيها ٧٦ من العمر. لقد أنجزت هذه المهمة، وهذا يظهر كم من الفرق يمكن أن يصنعه شخصاً واحداً.

It is so gratifying to me when a neighbor comes by with an armful of clothes .I would rather have that than a thousand dollars. These are words of an 88-year-old woman; a heroine .she is a woman who places importance on doing for others, even those she never met. The people of Malawi were kind to her son when he was in the Peace Corps, and she has returned the favor many times more.

انني امتن لجار يأتي بملء ذراعيه ملابس وأنا أفضل ذلك على ألف دولار، هذه هي كلمات المرأة ذات ال ٨٨ عاماً. انها بطلة؛ انها امرأة تولي الاهتمام للعمل من اجل الاخرين، حتى أولئك الذين لم تقابلهم بتاتاً. شعب ملاوي كانوا لطفاء مع ابنها عندما كان في فيلق السلام، وهي قد ردت الجميل مراراً وتكراراً.

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS?

أسئلة المناقشة

1-How did Dorothy begin sending packages to Malawi?

1-كيف بدأت دورثي بإرسال الطرود الى ملاوي؟

- Dorothy had been renting out some of her rooms in her house. A man left a suitcase there and she write him about it. After waiting a year for a reply from him, she opened it and decided that, those clothes could be used by some of the needy people in Malawi.

- كانت دورثي تؤجر بعض الغرف في منزلها عندما ترك رجلٌ حقيبة هناك وكتبت له بشأنها. بعد انتظار رده لسنة كاملة فتحتها وقررت أن هذه الملابس يمكن أن يستفيد منها بعض المحتاجين في ملاوي.

2- What is the greatest number of packages Dorothy has ever sent to Malawi?

٢- ما هو أكبر عدد للطرود التي أرسلتها دورثي الى ملاوي؟

أكبر عدد أرسلته ٧٦ صندوق - It was 76 boxes

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المحاضرة التاسعة

READING 9: RULES OF THE GAME

النص التاسع: قوانين اللعبة

المفردات	
WORD الكلمة	MEANING معناها
Admirer (n.)	معجب - عاشق
Avoid (v.)	تجنب - تفادي
Benevolently (adv.)	باحسان - بلطف
bind bound bound (v)	ربط - قيد
Defeat (v)	يهزم
Desperately (adv.)= hopelessly	بيأس
Detour (v)	أنعطف - ألتف - اجتاز
Diminish (v)	يقلل - ينقص
Distract (v)	يلهي . يُصرف الانتباه - يشتت
Etiquette (n.)	الإيتيقيت - اداب المعاشرة
Graciously (adv.)	بلطف - بخفة
Grin (v)	يبتسم
Hiss (v)	همس
Humility (n.)	تواضع
well-tended (adj.)	وافي بالغرض
Vanity (n.)	غرور - تكبر
Leap (n.)	قفزة - وثبة
Lest (conj.)	كي لا - خشية أن
Hurl (v)	رمي - ألقى
Murmur (v)	تدمر
Tournament (n.)	مسابقة
Tablet (n.)	لوح - لوحة
Slit (n.)	قطع - شرط - نبح
Rustle (n.)	حفيف . خشخشة
Retort (v, n.)	رد حاسم
Opponent (n)	خصم - معارض
Observe (v.)	يراقب
Jade (n.)	يشب (حجر كريم)

VOCABULARY DEFINITIONS

تعريف المصطلحات

WORD الكلمة	MEANING معناها
Diminish	make or become less
يقلل	يجعل شيء ما أقل
Slit	Cut
يقطع	يقطع
Humility	low view of one's importance
تواضع	يقلل من أهمية شخص ما

To bite back one's tongue يعض على لسانه	to keep quiet بصمت
Observe يراقب	To watch or listen to someone. لتشاهد أو تستمع لشخص ما
Distract يشتت	Prevent someone from concentrating on something. منع شخص من التركيز على شيء ما
Vincent فينسنت	The narrator's brother. شقيق الراوية
Life savers منقذي الحياة	a kind of candy نوع من الحلوى

Synonyms

المترادفات

الكلمة	مرادفها
Vanity غرور	Pride فخر
Opponent خصم	Challenger or Rival منافس أو متحدي
Humility تواضع	Modesty حياء - احتشام

Antonyms / Opposites

الأضداد

ضدها	الكلمة	ضدها	الكلمة
Defeat هزيمة	Victory نصر	Murmur يتمتم	Shout يصرخ
Humility تواضع	Pride كبرياء	Diminish يقلل	Increase يتوسع
Avoid يتجنب	Confront مواجهة	Grin ابتسامة	Frown عبوس

On a cold spring afternoon, while walking home from school, I detoured through the playground at the end of our alley. I saw a group of old men, two seated across a folding table playing a game of chess, other smoking pipes, eating peanuts, and watching. I ran home and grabbed Vincent's chess set, which was bound in a cardboard box with rubber bands. I also carefully selected two prized rolls of Life Savers. I came back to the park and approached a man who was observing the game.

"Want to play?" I asked him. His face widened with surprise and he grinned as he looked at the box under my arm.

"Little sister, been a long time since I play with dolls," he said, smiling benevolently. I quickly put the box down next to him on the bench and displayed my retort.

Lau Po, as he allowed me to call him, turned out to be a much better player than my brother's. I lost many games and many life Savers. But over the weeks, with each diminishing roll of candies, I added new secrets. Lau Po gave me the names. The Double Attack from the East and the West Shores. Throwing stones on the Drowning Man. The sudden Meeting of the Clan. The surprise from the Sleeping Guard. The Humble Servant Who kills the King. Sand in the Eyes of Advancing Forces. A Double killing Without Blood.

There were also the fine points of chess etiquette. Keep captured men in near rows, as well-tended prisoners. Never announce "check" with vanity, lest someone with an unseen sword slit your throat. Never hurl pieces into the sandbox after you have lost a game,

في عصر يوم ربيعي بارد، وأثناء عودته الى المنزل من المدرسة. انعطفت عبر الملعب الموجود في آخر حينا. ورأيت مجموعة من المسنين جلس اثنين منهم حول طاولة لعب مفتوحة يلعبون الشطرنج. بينما الآخرين يدخنون الغليون ويأكلون الفول السوداني بينما يشاهدون. أسرعت الى المنزل وأخذت مجموعة الشطرنج الخاصة بنفسنت التي كانت مجموعة بأربطة مطاطية في كرتون ورقمي واخترت اثنين من لفائف حلوى "منقذي الحياة" الثمينة وعدت الى الحديقة واقتربت من رجل كان يتابع المباراة.

سألته "هل تريد اللعب؟" ظهرت الدهشة على وجهه وابتسم وهو ينظر الى الصندوق أسفل ذراعي.

قال وهو يبتسم بإحسان "صغيرتي مضى وقت طويل منذ أن لعبت بالدمى" وضعت الصندوق بسرعة بجانبه على مقعد الحديقة وأريته جوابي.

لاو بو، كما أخبرني ان أناديه، ظهر أنه لاعب أمهر بكثير من اخوتي، خسرت الكثير من المباريات و من حلوى " منقذي الحياة" ولكن عبر الأسابيع مع كل لفافة من الحلوى تنقص تعلمت سرا جديدا. ولاو بو علمني الأسماء. الهجوم المزدوج من الطرفين الشرقي والغربي، رمي الحجار على الرجل الغارق، مقابلة الجماعة المفاجئة، مفاجئة الحارس النائم، الخادم المتواضع الذي قتل الملك، ذر الرماد في عيون القوات المتقدمة. القتل المزدوج بدون دماء (كلها أسماء تكتيكات شطرنج).

هناك أيضا القواعد الخمسة للشطرنج، أبقى القطع المأسورة في صف منتظم، كمساجين معتنى بهم جيدا. لا تعلن نصرك "مات الشاه" بغرور كي لا تقطع رقبتك بسيف خفي. لا ترمي بقطع الشطرنج في صندوق الرمال "اللي يلعب فيه الأطفال" بعد خسارتك لمباراة لأنه عندها عليك أن تجدها مجددا

because then you must find them again, by yourself, after apologizing to all around you. By the end of the summer, Lau Po had taught me all he knew, and I had become a better chess player.

A small weekend crowd of Chinese people and tourists would gather as I played and defeated my opponents one by one. My mother would join crowds during these outdoor exhibition games. She sat proudly on the bench telling my admirers with proper Chinese humility, "Is luck."

A man who watched me play in the park suggested that my mother allow me to play in local chess tournaments. My mother smiled graciously, an answer that meant nothing. I desperately wanted to go, but I bit back my tongue. I knew she would not let me play among strangers. So as we walked home I said in a small voice that I didn't want to play in the local tournament. They would have American rules. If I lost, I would bring shame on my family.

"Is shame you fall down nobody push you," said my mother.

During my first tournament, my mother sat with me in the front row as I waited for my turn. I frequently bounced my legs to unstick them from the cold metal seat of the folding chair. When my name was called, I leapt up. My mother unwrapped something in her lap. It was her chang, a small tablet of red jade, which held the sun's fire. "Is luck," she whispered, and tucked it into my dress pocket. I turned to my opponent, a fifteen-year-old boy from Oakland. He looked at me, wrinkling his nose.

As I began to play, the boy disappeared, the color ran out of the room, and I saw only my white pieces and his black ones

بنفسك بعد أن تعتذر لكل من حولك. وفي نهاية الصيف، كان لاو بو قد علمني كل ما يعرفه وأصبحت لاعبة أفضل في الشطرنج.

في نهاية الأسبوع يتجمع حشد صغير من الصينيين والسائحين حولي بينما ألعب وأهزم منافسي واحد تلو الآخر. كانت أمي تنضم الى معرض الألعاب الخارجي. فتجلس بفخر على مقعد الحديد لتخبر معجبي بتواضع صيني مناسب "انه مجرد حظ".

رجل شاهدي وأنا العب في الحديقة اقترح على أمي أن تسمح لي باللعب في مسابقة الشطرنج الوطنية، ابتسمت امي بلطف وهي إجابة لا تعني شيء. وأردت الذهاب بشدة ولكنني التزمت الصمت. أعلم أن امي لن تسمح لي باللعب مع الغرباء لذا أثناء عودتنا الى المنزل قلت بصوت منخفض أنني لست أريد اللعب في المسابقة الوطنية. لأن القوانين ستكون أمريكية وإذا هزمت سأجلب العار على عائلتي.

قالت أمي "العار هو ان تسقطي بدون أن يدفعك أحد"

في مسابقتي الأولى جلست أمي بجاني في الصف الأول بينما أنتظر دوري. بين الفية والأخرى أرفع ساقي لأبعدهم عنن المقعد الحديدي البارد. عندما نوذي بإسمي، فقفزت من مكاني، فتحت أمي شيء ما في حضنها كان "التشانغ" الخاص بها وهو لوح من اليشم الأحمر وكأنها نار الشمس وهمست "انه مجرد حظ" ووضعتها في جيب ثوبي، التقت الى منافسي فتى بعمر الـ ١٥ من أوكلاند، نظر الي وهو يجعد أنفه.

بمجرد أن بدأت اللعب اختفى الفتى امامي وتلاشى لون الغرفة من حولي ولم أعد أرى الا قطعي

waiting on the other side. A light wind began blowing past my ears. It whispered secrets only I could hear.

"Blow from the South," it murmured. "The wind leaves no trail." I saw a clear path, the traps to avoid. The crowd rustled. "shh! shh!" Said the corners of the room. The wind blew stronger. "Throw sand from the East to distract him." The knight came forward ready for the sacrifice. The wind hissed, louder and louder. "Blow, Blow, Blow. He cannot see. He is blind now. Make him lean away from the wind so he is easier to knock down." "Check," I said, as the wind roared with laughter. The wind died down to little puffs, my own breath.

البيضاء وقطعه السوداء تنتظر على الجهة الأخرى، رياح خفيفة بدأ بالهبوب بجانب أذني وهمست بأسرار لم يسمعها أحد غيري.

هممت الريح "هاجمي من الجنوب" رأيت طريقا سالكا والفخاخ التي يجب على تجنبها أكملت "الرياح لا تترك أثر". ارتفعت همهمات الجمهور وعلا صوت من أركان الغرفة "شش! شش!" "أرمي بالرمال من الشرق لتشتيتيه" وتقدم الفارس مستعدا للتضحية. تعالي صوت الريح أكثر وأكثر "هاجمي، اهاجمي، اهاجمي، انه لا يستطيع أن يرى، انه أعمى الآن ارغميه على الابتعاد عن الرياح لتصبح الإطاحة به أسهل" قلت "مات الشاه" بينما كانت الرياح تزار ضاحكه وخفتت لتتحول الى نفخات صغيره هي انفاسي.

Multiple Choice Question

أسئلة الاختيار من متعدد

1- To **bite back one's tongue** means to

a. talk **b. keep quiet** c. argue d. leave

2- The boy didn't want to play in the local tournament because they have

a. American rules b. Spanish rules c. Asian rules d. Chinese rules

3- The boy played in the park against a man called

a. Vincent **b. Lau Po** c. Stan d. Jack

4- When a person **wins** a game of chess, he or she says :

a. Captured men **b. check** c. lose d. die

5- The opposite of the word **Avoid** is

a. connect b. arrange **c. confront** d. get away

6- The word **Slit** means

a.burn b. **Cut** c. cheat d. fry

7- The synonym of the word **Humility** is

a. Pride b. **Modesty** c. challenge d. Shame

Read the list of words. Then, **circle** the letter of word that means the **opposite**:

إقرأ قائمة الكلمات التالية وضع دائرة على الكلمات التي تعني عكسها:

1-HUMILITY: تواضع

a-**pride** b-shame c-fear

2-MURMUR: همس

a-cry b-whisper c-**shout** يصيح

3-DIMINISH: يقلص- يقلل

a-soften b-**increase** يزيد c-distract

4-GRIN: يبتسم

A-**frown** غاضب – متجهم b-smile c-hiss

5-AVOID: يتجنب

a-connect b-**confront** يواجه c-arrange

Example 1

1 One of the most respected persons in the Beacon Hill community of Boston is Dorothy. She was born on December 3, 1908, in Providence, Rhode Island, and moved to the old West End in 1941, then to Beacon Hill in 1953. By then; Dorothy had a husband and three sons.

2 each year, Dorothy sends from 38 to 40 packages full of clothing to a small country in Africa called Malawi, it all began 23 years ago when her youngest son, Jordan, was in Malawi in the Peace Corps .there Jordan met a family that came to be known as his { ... } parents"

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1- Each year, Dorothy send from packages full of clothing to Malawi.

- a. 36 to 40
- b. 38 to 40**
- c. 40
- d. 38

2- Sending packages began 23 ago.

- a. years**
- b. days
- c. months
- d. weeks

3- Dorothy had been renting some of her In her house.

- a. cars
- b. chairs
- c. rooms**
- d. ankle supporters

4- Each year, Dorothy sends packages of clothing to a small country in Africa called

- a. Nigeria
- b. Malaysia
- c. Malawi**
- d. South Africa

5- Dorothy has a son and his name is

- a. George
- b. James
- c. Jordan**
- d. Paul

6- She uses the clothes to give them to people .

- a. arms
- b. needy**
- c. rich
- d. Famous

a. dresses

7- The number of families she is providing for has grown to

- a. 700
- b. 70**
- c. 170
- d. 7

8- Dorothy keeps track of all 70 families in a

- a. laptop
- b. paper
- c. Small book**
- d. account

9- She sorts the clothes according to

- a. size**
- b. small
- c. need

Example 2

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b. young boys

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d. Stan

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a. table

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c. cardboard

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- a. Spanish rules
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- a. victory
- b. lose
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- d. surrender

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- d. decrease

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- a. friend
- b. colleague
- c. challenger
- d. oppression

15- The meaning of the word *slit* is

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b. burn

c. kill

d. harm

Multiple Choice Questions

Rules of the Game

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The opposite of the word **avoid** is

- a. Connect b. **confront** c. arrange d. shout

The opposite of the word **diminish** is

- a. Distract b. **increase** c. soften d. grin

When you prevent someone from concentrating on something, you him.

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مقدمة

ويعد:

الحمد لله وحده وصلاة على من لا نبي بعده

السلام عليكم ورحمة الله وبركاته

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هذا والله اعلم

Answer questions (1-25) from passage 1, and answer questions 26-50 from passage 2:

Passage (1)

1 On a cold spring afternoon , while walking home from school , I detoured through the playground at the end of our alley . I saw a group of old men , tow seated across a folding table playing a game of chess, other smoking pipes , eating peanuts , and watching . I ran home and grabbed Vincent's chess set, which was bound in a cardboard box with rubber bands. I also carefully selected two prized rolls of Life Savers . I came back to the park and approached a man who was observing the game.

2 "want to play?" I asked him . His face widened with surprise and he grinned as he looked at the box under my arm .

3 "little sister , been a long time since I play with dolls," he said, smiling benevolently . I quickly put the box down next to him on the bench and displayed my retort.

4 Lau Po, as he allowed me to call him , turned out to be a much better player than my brother s. I lost many games and many life Savers. But over the weeks , with each diminishing roll of candies , I added new secrets . Lau Po gave me the names . The Humble Servant Who kills the King and more .

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- a. Make less
- b. Increase
- c. cut
- d. avoid

تضاءل العمل يعني

تقديم أقل

2- the synonym of the word **vanity** is.....

- a. modesty
- b. pride
- c. simplicity
- d. humility

مرادف لكلمة الغرور هو

ب- فخر (كبرياء)

3- when you prevent someone from concentrating on something, you.....him.

- a. distract
- b. ask
- c. question
- d. observe

عند منع أي شخص من التركيز على شيء ما، يمكنك.....له

أ- صرف الانتباه

4- the work **observe** means to

- a. watch and listen to someone
- b. question someone
- c. catch someone
- d. leave someone

عمل المراقبة وسيلة ل.....

أ- مشاهدة والاستماع إلى شخص

5- chang is considered a small tablet of

- a. rock
- b. red jade**
- c. medicine
- d. water

يعتبر تشانغ قرص صغير من.....

ب- الحجر الأحمر

6- the opposite of the word humility is.....

- a. Shame
- b. Fear
- c. Laughter
- d. Pride**

على عكس التواضع كلمة.....

د- كبرياء

7- the opposite of the word murmur is

- a. Cry
- b. Talk
- c. Shout**
- d. Hiss

على عكس نفخة كلمة.....

صيحة

8- the opposite of the word grin is.....

- a. Frown**
- b. Smile
- c. Hiss
- d. Laugh

على عكس ابتسامة كلمة.....

عبوس

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- c. Arrange
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على عكس تجنب كلمة.....

مواجهة

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- c. Soften
- d. Grin

على عكس يقلل كلمة.....

تزايد

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والدة الصبي استخدمت تشانغ لمنحه...

الحظ

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فوز

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مرادف لكلمة هزم هو.....

فاز

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- c. Challenger**
- d. Oppression

مرادف لكلمة مواجهة هو.....

منافسة

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معنى كلمة تمزيق هو.....
قطع

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- b. Young boys
- c. Old women
- d. Children

حينما الولد حرفها من خلال ساحة
اللعب في نهاية الحليف . رأى
انقلاب.....
حالة الرجل

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اسم شقيق الراوي هو.....
فنسنت

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الصبي ركض لمنزل للاستيلاء
إخوته.....
مجموعة الشطرنج

19- in the passage the words life savers means: a kind of.....

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- b. Candy
- c. Chess
- d. Doll

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لعب الصبي الشطرنج في الحديقة
ضد رجل يدعى.....
لاو بو

21- when a player takes an opponent`s playing piece is called a:.....

- a. Check
- b. Man
- c. Captured man
- d. Falling man

عندما يأخذ اللاعب ما يسمى
قطعة الخصم يلعب.....
الرجل الذي اعتقل

22- by the end of, lau po taught the boy all he knew.

- a. Winter
- b. Spring
- c. Summer
- d. Autumn

بحلول نهاية لاو بو يدرس
الفتى كل ما يعرفه.
الصيف

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- a. Captured man
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اذا اراد شخص الفوز بلعبة الشطرنج، وقال انه أو انها تقول:
تحقق (كش يا ملك)

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عض اللسان إلى الخلف مرة واحدة يعني ل:
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