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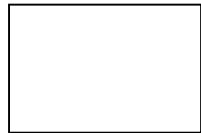
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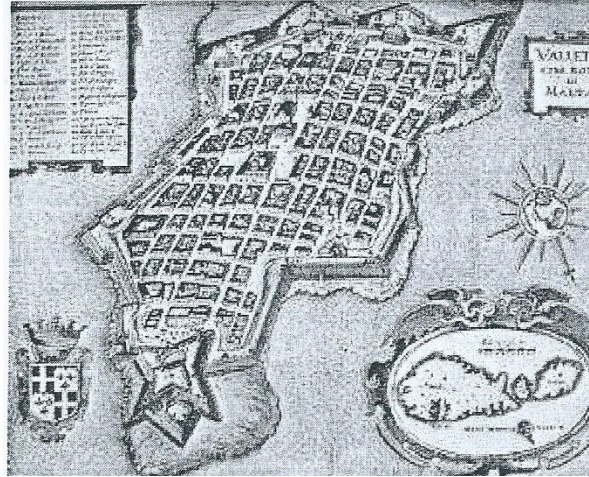
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Total Marks

A: Building The New City

A.1 Fill in.

(10 marki)



1. After the Great Siege, the _____ wanted to build a new city.
2. They chose Mount _____ to build the city.
3. At the far end of this mount there was already _____.
4. Pope Pius V sent his personal architect _____ to draw up the _____ of the new city.
5. Grand Master _____ lay the foundation stone of the new city in the year _____.
6. The Maltese architect _____ continued with the building of the new city.
7. He drew up the plans of the most important buildings like _____ and _____.

A.2 Read carefully and then choose the correct answer

(3 marks)

In Valletta, one can find many important buildings that were built by the Knights. The Auberges are among these buildings. We can still see some of the Auberges, while others were severely damaged by bombs during the war.

1. What kind of building was an Auberge?

A	A tower surrounded by a deep ditch	
B	A fortress with high bastions	
C	A large palace	
D	A house in the country	

2. Who drew up the plans of the Auberges?

A	Francesco Lapparelli	
B	Ġlormu Cassar	
C	Grand Master De Valette	
D	The Knights	

3. Who lived in the Auberges?

A	Francesco Lapparelli	
B	Ġlormu Cassar	
C	Grand Master La Vallette	
D	The Knights	

A.3 Answer these questions.

(12 marks)

This picture of the Conventual Church for the Knights of Saint John can help you.



Underline the correct answer in questions 1 & 2

1. This church's plan has the shape of a (circle, cross, square.)
(1 mark)
2. The façade of this church is (decorated with gold, plain, sculptured).
(1 mark)
3. Why is the interior of this church described as an Art Gallery?

(2 marks)

A.4 This is a picture of a very important building in Valletta.



1. What is the name of this building?

(1 mark)

2. How did the Knights use this building?

(1mark)

3. Why was it important for the Knights to have this building?

(2 marks)

A.5 This picture show a beautiful, large building in Valletta.



1. What is it called?

_____ (1mark)

2. Who lived in the building?

_____ (1mark)

3. Name 1 feature about the construction of this building?

_____ (1mark)

4. Name an important hall in the building.

_____ (1mark)

B: The Attack on Our Ancestors

B.1 Here is a list of people who played a part in the Great Siege.

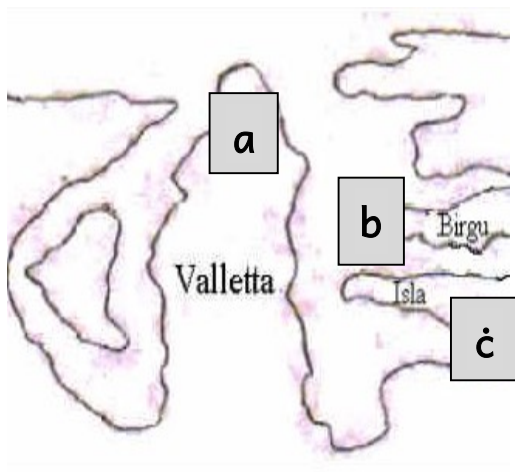
Match to show who they were. (6 marks)

1	Sulejman	the leader of the Turk army
2	Mustafa Paxa'	the Grand Master of the Order
3	De Valette	a brave Turk soldier
4	Piali Paxa	a Maltese hero and a good swimmer
5	Toni Bajada	the leader of the Turk fleet
6	Dragut	King of the Turks

B.2 Look carefully at this map

(3 marks)

Write the name of these fortifications



a _____

b _____

c _____

B.3 Match to form sentences.**(11 marks)****The first one is ready.**

1.	De Valette was the Grand Master		Fort Saint Elmo.
2.	The Knights tied a huge chain		to help the Knights in the Siege.
3.	The water wells in Marsa were		is situated in front of the Courts of Justice.
4.	The first place to be attacked was		showed great courage.
5.	De Valette freed many prisoners	1	of the Order of Saint John.
6.	Around 8000 Turks were killed		during a severe attack.
7.	During the Siege, the Maltese people		after the Siege.
8.	Don Garcia De Toledo		the Turks retreated.
9.	Dragut was killed		poisoned with medicinal herbs.
10.	When they found out that aid was coming from Sicily		between Senglea and Vittoriosa
11.	Vittoriosa got its name		was the Vice-King of Sicily
12.	The Great Siege Monument		during the attack on Saint Elmo.

B.4 Fill in.

(5 marks)

Malta's position in the middle of the _____ sea, made it very attractive to the _____. These were determined to take Malta to get revenge on _____ who often attacked their _____. There was also the _____ issue. They wanted to make Islam the European Religion.

B.5 Answer these questions.

(5 marks)

1. Name 2 difficulties that the Turks had to face during the Siege

- _____
- _____

2. Why was it very important that the Maltese and the Knights won the Great Siege?

C: Managing Waste

C.1 Choose the right word for each situation. (6 marks)



Reuse	Reduce	Recycle
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1. I wear the same clothes that belonged to my brother.

2. I buy Energy Saving bulbs. _____
3. I dispose of the washing liquid bottles in the grey bag.

4. I dispose of old batteries in the boxes at school.

5. I keep my coupons in a shoe box. _____
6. I write on both sides of paper. _____

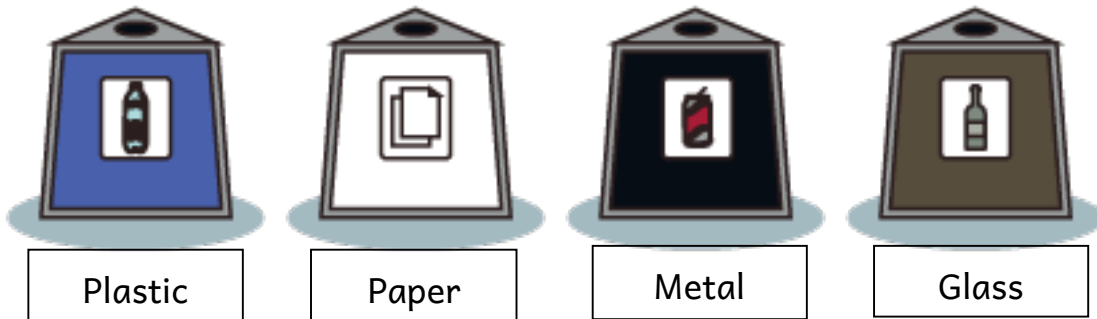
C.2 Match column A with column B.

(4 marks)

	A		B
1	remains of an old bathroom		industrial waste
2	small aluminium pieces		waste from hotels and restaurants
3	family dinner remains		construction waste
4	tourist magazines		domestic waste

C.3 Place the waste in their appropriate containers. (4 marks)

The first one has been done for you.



A used notebook

Paper container

An empty jam jar

An old magazine

An old teaspoon

A broken beach spade

C.4 Here are some everyday situations.

Read carefully and then say how you can help reduce the waste problem. (10 marks)

1. I was playing and I tore my shoes.

2. I had a birthday party at home.

3. I went with my mother to the greengrocer.

4. I do my homework.

5. I prepare my school lunch.

C.5 Write a slogan to encourage your friends to manage waste carefully. (1 mark)
