



DEEPENING UNDERSTANDING ANSWER SHEET

TREPIDATION IN THE CITY OF ALEPPO READING COMPREHENSION – VOCAB Qs

Question One (2 Marks)

1 mark with reference to it striking/ occurring repeatedly

E.g. they came with force.

They repeatedly entered Aleppo.

2 marks with reference to it striking and occurring repeatedly

E.g. the airstrikes repeatedly entered with force into Aleppo.

Question Two (2 Marks)

1 mark for defining supernatural or sensational in context

E.g. the views were unnaturally or extraordinarily great.

The views caused great public interest and excitement.

2 marks for defining both supernatural and sensational in context

E.g. the views caused great public interest as the views were extraordinarily great.

Question Three (1 Mark)

1 mark for a relevant definition of peculiar

E.g. it is different to what is normal or expected/strange.

Question Four (1 Mark)

1 mark for a relevant definition of swarm in context

E.g. there was a large number of planes flying around in Aleppo.



Question Five (1 Mark)

1 mark for circling the correct response

ambled

Question Six (2 Marks)

1 mark for recognising what the phrase suggests

E.g. she felt a sudden moment of distress/panic

2 marks for a correct explanation and an explanation of why Qamar felt this way

E.g. she suddenly felt distressed because she was calling her husband's name and he wasn't responding, which made her fear the worst.

Question Seven (1 Mark)

1 mark for identifying the correct word

raging

Question Eight (1 Mark)

1 mark for correctly matching all four definitions

Fled – run away from a place or situation of danger

Perilous – full of danger or risk

Barbaric – savagely cruel

Sought – attempt to find something

