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Le sujet comporte 4 pages numérotées de 1 sur 4 à 4 sur 4

I. READING COMPREHENSION

A. The text

❶ When schools, theaters, amusement parks and libraries around the country closed due to Coronavirus, kids were left with few activities to keep them busy. So, Kelly Passek, a school librarian in Virginia, came up with a creative way to ensure that kids in her community still have books to keep them occupied: she's delivering **them** by drone. "As a school librarian, it's extremely important to me to have connections with my students so that I can make sure they've got access to the resources that will allow them to be successful – not just academically, but also in life," she said.

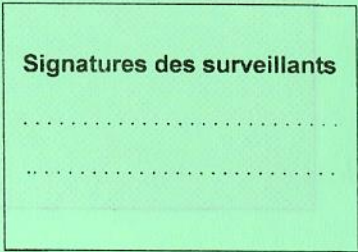
❷ Passek said when remote learning began in the school district, it became difficult for her to make these connections. "How was I going to keep that connection with my students without actually being in the same physical space with them?" she asked herself. Then she was struck with an idea. Her family often uses Wing, a drone service from Google's parent company Alphabet, to get essentials delivered straight to **their** door. Passek thought maybe she could use the technology to fulfill library book requests from students. She said she asked the superintendent, Mark Mear, who was "immediately on board".

❸ "We're thrilled for this opportunity to have a really unique way to deliver resources to our students," Passek said. Students can request to take out library books using an online form. Passek fulfills the requests, packs the books up in special delivery boxes, and then drops them off at Wing, which handles the drone deliveries. The service started last week on a limited trial basis, according to Wing. Now, students can choose from the library's more than 150,000 titles, and have their books delivered right to their front yard.

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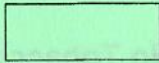
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B. COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (12 marks)

1. Tick (✓) the most appropriate alternative. (1 mark)

Kelly Passek uses the drone technology to

- a. get essentials for her family during lockdown
- b. help students cope with Covid-19 pandemic
- c. provide library resources to kids stuck at home

2. For each of the following statements, pick out one detail from the text showing that it is FALSE. (2 marks)

- a. During stay-home period children were entirely inactive. (paragraph 1)

- b. Passek's way to connect with students is carefully thought out in advance. (paragraph 2)

3. Focus on paragraph 3 and complete the following table with information about the book delivery process. (2 marks)

Who/What	Task(s)
Students
Kelly Passek	packs the books up and drops them off at Wing
Wing

4. Tick (✓) the right option. (2 marks)

i. "on board" (paragraph 2) nearly means:

- a. willing to participate
- b. reluctant to get involved
- c. hesitant to join in

ii. "thrilled" (paragraph 3) nearly means:

- a. concerned and afraid
- b. pleased and excited
- c. confused and upset

5. Circle the two adjectives that best describe Passek. (2 marks)

- a. reluctant
- b. innovative
- c. indifferent
- d. caring

6. Who / What do the underlined words in the text refer to? (2 marks)

- a. them (paragraph 1) refers to
- b. their (paragraph 2) refers to

7. Give a personal and justified answer to the following question. (1 mark)

Do you think Passek's use of the drone technology could be valid even in the post-COVID-19 period? Why? Why not?

I think because

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II. WRITING (12 marks)

1. Use the notes in the table below to write a 4-line paragraph about the World No Tobacco Day. (4 marks)

Creation year	1987
Celebration day	every year / May 31
Organiser	World Health Organization (WHO)
Aims	- raise awareness / risks of tobacco - make / world tobacco free

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2. You have recently read the following statement on a Facebook discussion page:
"Travelling alone can be quite stressful; therefore, getting in touch with a travel agency and choosing from one of its package tours might be a good solution to enjoy a thoroughly pleasant trip." Do you agree, or disagree?

Write a 12-line post to express your opinion about the issue, supporting it with 3 sound arguments at least. (8 marks)

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 III. LANGUAGE (6 marks)

1. Fill in the blanks with 6 words from the box below. (3 marks)

committed / from / expertise / firmly / of / inspiration / remain / knowing

John Salinas, 91, is embracing ICT. Each week he drives to his computing class and has progressed rapidly from not even how to plug in his laptop to using digital photography. John is an in the learning group of over-60s participants by being an example of someone to learn, and not letting age or knowledge be a barrier to 'getting digital'. For John, the weekly classes have given him a new zest for life. "I want to active in myself for my own health but also access all the information that is on computers, to benefit community opportunities and to meet other people who are in the same boat as me," he says. "I see my computer learning as now part of my life and can share what I learn with my family and show them what I can do.

2. Circle the right option. (3 marks)

Few would disagree that one of our most basic human responsibilities is to ensure children have enough to eat. Every day, we see the **(impact / importance / solution)** of hunger and malnutrition in our work as paediatricians. It is not unusual for us to care **(of / after / for)** children who don't have enough to eat or who don't have access to a substantial meal outside of what is **(denied / provided / applied)** in school. Good nutrition is at the heart of health, wellbeing and development for children and young people. Without it, children's health outcomes worsen and, with that, so do their life **(hardships / issues / chances)**. More than 4 million children in the UK live in poverty and around one-third of those are reliant on free school meals. The pandemic has aggravated this reality; families who **(have been / will be / were)** managing before are now struggling to make ends meet. It is not good enough to send them into the holiday period hoping for the best, **(unless / while / whereas)** knowing that many will simply go hungry.