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Question One:

(10 points)

Choose the correct answer from a, b, or c:

1- Mr President the French President last night.						
a) chairs b) is chairing c) chaired						
2- The Arab representatives with the Syrian officials now.						
a) is consulting b) are consulting c) were consulting						
3- The Arab League Council every year.						
a) meets b) is meeting c) has met						
4- Writing every element in the news story refers to						
a) accuracy b) conflict c) impact						
5 opens itself with a brief, sharp statement of the story's essential facts.						
a) News lead b) proximity c) Relevance						
6- News stories are often written in the traditional pyramid style.						
a) inverted b) relative c) feature						
7- A good news headline is expected to the reader's attention.						
a) continue b) agree c) attract						
8- The decision At midnight last night.						
a) is made b) was manufactured c) was made						
9 reflects recency of events.						
a) Impact b) unusualness c) Timeliness						
10 is an active disagreement between prominent personalities.						
a) Relevance b) Conflict c) Prominence						

Question Two:

(10 points)

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Decide if the following sentences are true () or false ():

- 1-The feature story keeps audiences informed of breaking news. ()
- 2- Preparation for the news interview is necessary. (
- 3- The introduction of the internet has brought about changes in media. ()
- 4- Direct quotation means the words are exactly those of the source. ()

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- 5- Prominence refers to the fame gained by members of a society. ()
- 6- News has paramount impact on public opinion formation. ()

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- 7- The Qatari News Agency (QANA). (
- 8- The Egyptian News Agency (ENA). ()
- 9- Associated Press (AP). (
- 10- Jordan News Agency (Petra). ()

Question Three:

(10 points)

	A	В	
1	New media	Being near in space or time	
2	Prominence	A journalistic method of gathering information on	
		newsworthy events.	
3	News	Names of persons, animals, or things	
4	News interview	Sheds light on interviewee's life	
5	Press release	The concise, accurate report of an event	
6	Symposium interview	widely reputable figures in society	
7	Nouns	A news handout passed to news media from public	
		institutions on a forthcoming event	
8	Person interview	The words are exactly those of the source	
9	Proximity	Are marked by numerous interactive features	
10	Direct quotation means	Sheds light on views of different persons	
		Attracts the reader's attention	

Match a line in A with a sentence in B:

Question Four:

(10 points)

Read the passage and answer the questions:

Public relations (PR) is defined as the management of an organization's communications with internal and external publics. Government, businesses, and non-profit organizations draw on a range of media to communicate with <u>their</u> publics as part of their image-building efforts. Public relations practitioners are expected to handle a range of jobs that include communication with external and internal publics, working with news media to get information about the organization, helping produce public functions and events planning, research and communication process. PRs work involves a great deal of communicate at every level. The wide range of communication forms generated from a typical public relations department requires that a PR practitioner be skilled in writing for different media. Whether you work for a major public relations <u>firm</u>, a particular company, a government agency, a hospital, a university, or another institution, if you work in public relations the chances are quite good that you will have to write. The overwhelming majority of jobs in the field of public relations are writing jobs.

A: Choose the correct answers in each of the following sentences:

- 1) Public relations practitioners are expected to master the skill. a-listening b- writing c- reading
- 2) Their in the third line refers to:
- a- governmental and non-profit organizationsb- writingc- communication3) Public relations practitioners are expected to deal with
- a- external publics b- internal publics c- both of them

4) the underlined word <u>firm</u> means:					
a- strong b- jobs c- company					
5) PRs work involves a great deal of and in today's business.					
a- chances b- communication c- happiness					
6) Public relations work is a well job.					
a-planned b-institutional c-passed					
7) Public relations practitioners deal with news media to					
a- get money b- discuss issues c- get information about the organization					
B: Answer the following questions:					
8) Does a PR company have to communicate with others at every level?					
9) What is Public Relations?					
10) what is the function of public relations?					

Question Five:

(10 points)

Choose from the box to fill in the gaps:

[communication, Multimedia , individuals, patterns, messages, video, internet, limitless, differ, conventional, examples]

The introduction of the in the early 1990s has brought about a new set of practices that drastically from media functions. technologies have made it possible for interactive communication between and groups on an instant or online basis. New of communication have detected adoption of new approaches to the development of media and techniques. The use of a combination of text, images, sounds, and other visual forms in a single attractive platform calls for the development of a writing style that addresses the diverse needs of new technology users on a global scale. For journalists, the internet is a medium of communication through which they can reach audiences beyond their national frontiers.

(10 points)

A: Re-write the following sentences correctly:

1- Over the past sixty years, English has become truly a <u>national</u> language.
2- Ann example of print media is <u>radio</u>.
3- "When a dog bites a man, that <u>is</u> news."
4- Internet-based news sources <u>are not</u> characterized immediacy and interactivity.
5- The news agency is a <u>new</u> form of media.
6- A news story <u>is</u> just a compilation of information.

B: Do as shown between brackets ():

7- The President is gi	ving a speech now.	(Use not	t)		
8- Iraqis killed two A	merican soldiers in H	Baghdad.	(Make passive voice)		
9- There are ten reporters in the room. (Make question)					
10- It's 5:00 p.m.	(Write the time in le	etters)			

End of Questions Good Luck