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FIRST TERM EXAM IN PHONETICS
 Full Name (in Arabic)..... Group..... Date: 17/01/2023

Question 01 : Circle the odd word. Focus on words' stress pattern (02 pts)

01	alphabet	remember	cinema	furniture
02	adjective	computer	example	reception
03	afternoon	Seventeen	understand	Twenty-one
04	Sunday	thirty	Morning	Explain

Question 02 : Circle the transcription which indicates the type of word provided in the shaded colon (03 pts)

	Words	Transcription 01	Transcription 02	Word type
01	object	ɒbdʒɪkt	əbdʒekt	noun
02	present	prezənt	prizent	verb
03	permit	pɜ:mit	pəmit	noun
04	record	rikɔ:d	rekɔ:d	noun
05	rebel	ribel	rebəl	verb
06	desert	dezət	dizɜ:t	Verb

Question 02 : Classify the 20 words below according to the number of syllables (05 pts)

university, definitely, excercise,intelligent, nationality , furniture, consonant, vocabulary, alphabet,, pronunciation, interview, atmospheric, security telecommunication ,climatology, astronomy, publicity, telegraphic, reformulation, investigation

	3 syllables	4 syllables	5 syllables	More than 5 syllables
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				



Question 04 : Rewrite the phonetic transcription. (10 pts)/ (one wrong letter = wrong word)

	Phonetic transcription			Phonetic transcription	
01	məʊzæmbi:k		11	njuərɒlədʒi	
02	əkəʊntənt		12	fɪzɪlədʒi	
03	laɪbreəriən		13	dʒɪɒgrəfi	
04	æzəbaɪdʒɑ:n		14	vetərɪneəriən	
05	lɪksəmbɜ:g		15	endʒɪniər	
06	mædægæskə		16	fɑ:məsɪst	
07	pɒmɡrænt		17	mədʒɪfən	
08	æspærægəs		18	dantɪfən	
09	səʊsɪlədʒi		19	ɑ:tɪfəʊk	
10	kəlɪmbɪə		20	tænzəni:ə	

JUST FOR FUN (+02pts)

NOTE : all words should be correct in each line

ai θɔ:t ə'baʊt ðə 'pi:pl
hu: lʌvd ænd 'nɜ:ʃəd mi:
ænd wen ai 'stɑ:trɪd 'θɪŋkɪŋ
ðɪs sɒŋ ɪz 'dedɪkətɪd
tu: 'ti:ʃəz 'evrɪweə
θæŋk ju: drɪə 'ti:ʃə, fɔ:r ɔ:l ðæt ju: du:
ai ki:p sɪks 'ɒnɪst 'sɜ:vɪŋ-men
ðeə neɪmz ɑ: wɒt ænd waɪ ænd wen
ænd haʊ ænd weər ænd hu: