

**ANSWER KEY****I. READING COMPREHENSION: (08 marks)****A. Chart completion: (0.5 X 4 = 2 marks)**

1. Independence Square / the streets / on the tarmac
2. outside the airport / Roads surrounding the airport 3. bicycles / motorbikes 4. Cars

**B. Multiple choice questions: (0.5 X 3 = 1.5 marks)**

5. a. joyful                      6. c. landed                      7. b. football

**C. FALSE statements: (1 X 2 = 2 marks)**

8. "Hundreds of Senegalese supporters flocked to Independence Square, near the presidential palace in the heart of Dakar, to celebrate the victory."
9. "Among them were government officials and opposition politicians, celebrating the country's victory together as one."

**D. Sentence completion: (1 X 1 = 1 mark)**

10. "... a river of supporters as far as the eye could see. "

**E. Contextual references: (0.5 X 3 = 1.5 marks)**

11. the capital Dakar      12. hundreds of people      13. Fans / supporters

**II. LINGUISTIC AND COMMUNICATIVE COMPETENCE: (6 marks)****F. Matching notions/functions with statements: (0.5 X 4 = 2 marks)**

14. Excitement                      15. Perseverance                      16. Pride                      17. Frustration

**G. Word derivation: (0.5 X 4 = 2 marks)**

18. scoring                      19. surprisingly                      20. championship                      21. strengthen

**H. Interview completion: (0.5 X 4 = 2 marks)**

22. pleasure/honor      23. to      24. Criticism/adversity/hostility      25. victory / triumph / win /success or any relevant answer      26. Any coherent and meaningful answer

**III. WRITING: (6 marks)**

- Topic understanding: (1 mark)
- Organisation: (1 mark)
- Coherence: (1 mark)
- Relevance: (1 mark)
- Accuracy: (1 mark)
- Originality: (1 mark)