

ANSWER KEY

I. COMPREHENSION

(8 marks)

A. Complete the table below with information from the text. (3 marks)

1. clickbait headlines 2. fabricated stories. 3 reduce trust in the media.
4. weaken democratic institutions / contribute to social unrest.
5. being skeptical of sensationalist headlines
6. fact checking information before sharing it.

B. The following statements are false. Justify them with specific passages from the text. (2 marks)

7. "The rise of fake news on social media has become a growing concern for individuals"
8. "social media platforms have taken actions to address the problem". / "Facebook for example, has applied measures in order to flag and reduce the visibility of fake news stories"

C. Give the paragraph number corresponding to the following ideas.

(1.5 marks)

9 = Parag.4 10 = Parag.1 11= Parag.3

D. Choose the right option. (1.5 marks)

12.misinformation 13. Facebook, Twitter and the YouTube. 14. Information

II. LINGUISTIC AND COMMUNICATIVE COMPETENCE

(6 marks)

E. Choose the right options to fill in the blanks

(0.5× 4= 2 marks)

15. arrested 16. Who 17.isn't 18.be

F. Match the statements with the notions in the box below.

(0.5× 4= 2 marks)

19. Possibility 20. Purpose 21.Cause 22.Comparison

G.Fill in the gaps with the right prepositions in the box below (0.5× 4= 2 marks)

23.in 24. on 25.for 26.of

III- WRITING

(6 marks)

Topic Understanding: 1 Coherence and cohesion: 2 – Organization: 1 –Language accuracy: 1 – Originality: 1