

ENGLISH – 4e

1/ VOCABULARY

3 PTS

Odd word out - Entoure l'intrus.

- a) hardworking – patient – talkative – polite. **C'est le seul défaut de la liste**
- b) clean the board – surf on the internet -- write the lesson – listen to the teacher.
c'est le seul qui n'est pas lié à l'école
- c) get dressed – go skating – have a shower – have breakfast. **Pas une routine**

2/ CULTURE

5 PTS

Tick the correct answer - *Coche la bonne réponse pour chaque question. Une seule bonne réponse possible à chaque question !*

1. Which city is NOT the capital of a country?

- ☐ London ☒ **New York** ☐ Edinburgh ☐ Dublin

2. The Beatles come from ☐ Manchester ☒ **Liverpool** ☐ Oxford ☐ London

3. Niagara Falls are on the border between ☐ The USA and Mexico

- ☐ England and Scotland ☐ India and Pakistan ☒ **Canada and the USA**

4. The Union Jack is another name for the ☐ uniform of an American soldier

- ☐ uniform of an English soldier ☒ **flag of the United Kingdom** ☐ flag of the USA

5. In a London shop you can buy a chocolate bar that costs 70p. What does "p" mean? ☐ Pounds ☒ **Pence** ☐ Price ☐ Prize

6. Scotland is in theof Britain

- ☒ **North** ☐ South ☐ East ☐ West

7. Which American public holiday is on the 4th July?

- ☐ Thanksgiving ☐ New Year's Day ☐ Christmas Day ☒ **Independence Day**

8. Oxford and Cambridge have got famous

- ☐ bridges ☐ palaces ☒ **universities** ☐ castles

9. is not on the west coast of the USA

- ☐ San Francisco ☐ Seattle ☐ Los Angeles ☒ **New York**

10. The is the national flower of England ☒ **rose** ☐ tulip ☐ lilac ☐ violet

About the USA... Answer these questions – Réponds aux questions par une phrase complète **6 PTS**

What country is directly north of the USA? [Canada is directly north of the USA...](#)

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Can you give the names of 3 American states? Here are some examples: [Florida, California, Illinois, but there are many others !](#)

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Where does the American President live? [The American President lives in the White House \(Washington DC\)](#)

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3/ PRONUNCIATION : the letter « i »

3 PTS

Classe dans le tableau ci-dessous les verbes suivants selon que le i se prononce comme celui de « big » ou comme celui de « like » :

live-- write – think – drink – drive – die -

big	like
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4/ GRAMMAR

A/ Compare these items – Compare les éléments suivants

4 PTS





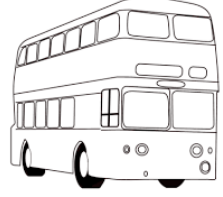



- a) Superman / the Joker (strong) → [Superman is stronger than the Joker.](#)
- b) Italian food / British food (good) → [Italian food is better than British food.](#)
- c) Vegetables / ice-creams (healthy) → [Vegetables are healthier than ice-creams.](#)
- d) Barack Obama / Joe Biden (famous) → [B. Obama is more famous than J. Biden.](#)

B/ Superlatives – Mettre l'adjectif entre parenthèses au superlatif

4 PTS

- a) Jupiter is [the largest](#) (large) planet in our system.
- b) Hermione is [the most intelligent](#) (intelligent) student in Harry Potter's class .
- c) Singapore is [the most expensive](#) (expensive) city to live in.
- d) Rowan Atkinson is [the funniest](#) (funny) British actor.

C/ SIMPLE PRESENT - Le tableau ci-dessous résume les activités hebdomadaires de Steve. Lis-le et écris des phrases exprimant la fréquence de ses activités. **6 PTS**

 <p>eat cereals in the morning</p>  <p>(toujours)</p>	 <p>be late for school</p>  <p>(jamais)</p>	 <p>go to school by bus</p>  <p>(parfois)</p>	 <p>play basketball after school</p>  <p>(souvent)</p>
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Steve **always** eats cereals in the morning.

He **is never** late for school.

He **sometimes** goes to school by bus.

He **often** plays basketball after school.....

Ici il fallait penser au **S** en terminaison du verbe (3^e personne singulier). Il fallait penser aussi à placer **always, sometimes,.. AVANT** le verbe (sauf quand le verbe est **be**).....

D/ LE PRETERIT : Conjugue les verbes entre parenthèses au prétérit. **12 PTS**

Charles Dickens ...**was**..... (be) born in 1812 in Portsmouth, England. His parents ...**were**..... (be) poor and they **sent**..... (send) him to work ten hours a day in a factory because his father **didn't have** (not have) enough money to pay their bills*. Dickens **started**..... (start) writing and**became**..... (become) famous at the age of 24. He ...**wrote**..... (write) many novels and **didn't forget**.....(not forget) his difficult childhood** in his books. He **married**..... (marry) Catherine Hogarth in 1836. They**had**..... (have) ten children, but they ...**divorced**..... (divorce) in 1858. Charles Dickens ...**died**..... (die) in 1870.

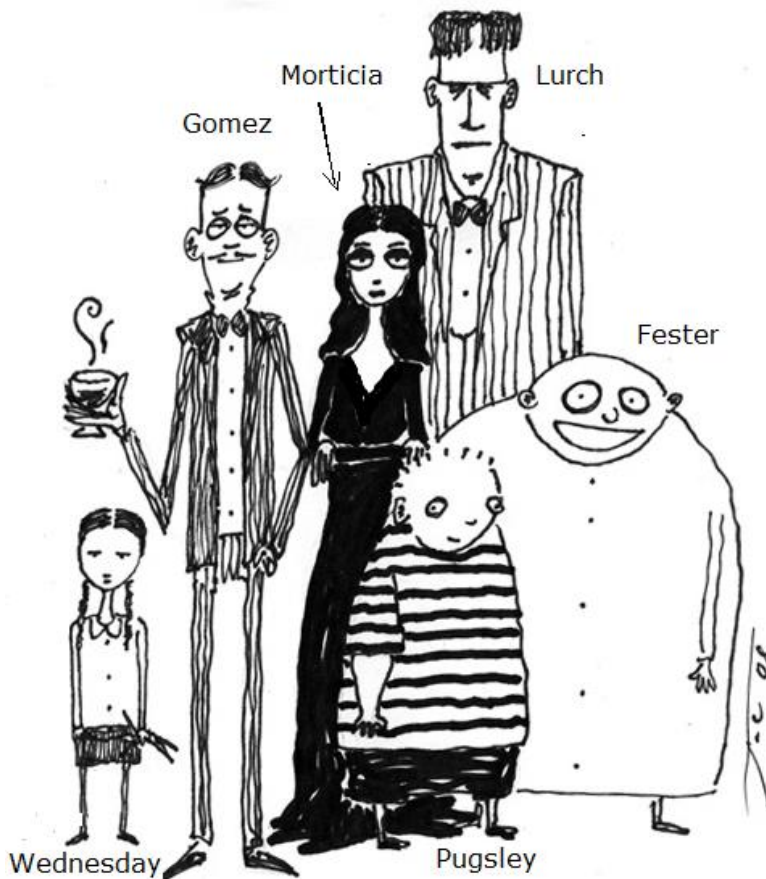
*BILLS: FACTURES

** CHILDHOOD : ENFANCE

5/ WRITING

Describe 4 people in this picture – Décris 4 personnes figurant sur cette photo de famille et écris où ils se trouvent sur l'illustration (devant ? à côté de ?...)

8 PTS



Exemple de correction :

Fester is on the right. He is short and fat, he is bald (=he has no hair), and he is wearing a long white coat. He is standing next to Pugsley.

Pugsley is the boy with the striped t-shirt. He is fat, he has short blond hair and big round eyes.

Wednesday is on the left. She is a little girl with long dark hair / braided pigtails (=des tresses). She is short and slim. In the picture, she is not smiling, she is frowning. She is standing next to Gomez.

Lurch is behind Morticia and Fester. Lurch is really tall and muscular. He is wearing a bow-tie and a striped jacket. Unlike Fester, he is not smiling.

Morticia is between Gomez and Fester. She is tall and slim, she has long dark hair and she is wearing a long black dress.