

## QUESTIONS

**1. State in your own words what the text means by (paragraph 2) ( 2 marks):**

"The desire to be part of a group, to be accepted by one's friends, can have a great influence on what a person does".

**2. Decide whether the following statements are true or false, according to the text. Write T or F. If the answer is not mentioned in the text, mark it false. (2 marks; -0.5 for each wrong answer)**

- a) Many young people get a tattoo to imitate their friends.
- b) If you wear a tattoo, it is because you belong to a gang.
- c) Some people wear tattoos similar to those that fashion models wear.
- d) In the media, tattoos are associated with prosperity.

**3. These words and expressions are found in the text: SHARP, GROUP, MEDIA, BELONG, LINK, SUCCESS, RESULT, MIXTURE. Choose the ones that mean the same as the following. (2 marks)**

- a) are part of
- b) connect
- c) cutting
- d) triumph

**4. Choose the best option (a, b or c), according to the text. Only one answer is correct. (2 marks)**

- 1. Angela thought her friend was ...
  - a) old-fashioned.
  - b) courageous.
  - c) cowardly.
  
- 2. Angela ...
  - a) wanted to lay for thirty minutes.
  - b) wanted a tattoo.
  - c) was feeling strange.
  
- 3. Some people get tattoos because ...
  - a) they think they will wash off in the bath.
  - b) they like pain.
  - c) they think it is fashionable.
  
- 4. Angela wanted to get a tattoo because ...
  - a) she wanted to express herself.
  - b) she was influenced by her friend and the media.
  - c) both a) and b).

**5. Answer the questions using your own words. (25 to 50 words) (2 marks; -0.2 for each question if too many or not enough words)**

- 1. Do you like tattoos? Why? Why not?
- 2. What do tattoos reveal about an individual's personality?