

Complexe Scolaire Succès Aéroport**Full names:**..... **Date**...../...../2014**Class:** 4^{ème} S.....**Grade:**...../20**Observation:****Composition d'Anglais****The mother of all evils**

In Niger, all start with ignorance and all must end with literacy. Ignorance mothers this bizarre country. Rich of everything needed from a country to be developed from oil to uranium and poor of wise brain to exploit it.

The rate of literacy is reported of 28% of the population. How can 28 persons work and support 72 persons? The reality is that a barren brain can just develop his own ignorance.

Here a crime is seen as a blessing. Being poor and fathering many pains is seen as blessing. A criminal that is how I see a poor man who brings 7.3 mouths to feed, when his single mouth is enough big for him to be feed.

Don't you see here runs monsters that must be hunted and killed? Here runs the mother of all evils: ignorance. Do you have an arrow for it? With this monster down, Niger will be Nigeria without its -ia's evils. In other words a powerful country, powerful of everything and of you as well.

Glossary: **rate:** taux, **barren:** pauvre, **feed:** nourir; **exploit:** exploiter; **blessing:** benediction, **evil:** demon; **pain:** douleur; **brain:** cerveau; **hunt:** chasser, **arrow:** fleche; **run:** courir; **wise:** sage

I. Text comprehension

1) **What is the mother of Niger's poverty?** Choose the right answer.

- a) Education b) Ignorance c) Education and ignorance

2) **What is among the following solutions, the best one to end poverty in Niger?**

- a) To reduce and control the nativity rate, why not limiting it to 2 children per woman b) To put time between births
c) To educate people in not having too many kids

3) **How do people see having lot of children? (Answer through dotes: répondez dans les pointillés)**

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4) **What is the nativity rate in Niger?**

- a) 7.3 children per woman b) 2 per woman c) 20 per woman

5) **What is the right French translation of the following sentence?:** " With this monster down, Niger will be Nigeria without its -ia's evils." a) Le Nigeria c'est le Niger au quel on ajoute le suffixe -ia

b) Avec ce monstre abattu, le Niger sera le Nigeria sans ses -ia démons

c) Le Niger est un beau pays. Nous sommes tous d'accord, n'es pas ?

II. Grammar

