

**The text:**

**Homeless Hope Organisation in Manila**

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Here in Manila, our organisation found an area where there were lots of street children. We talked to many of them and gave them food and first aid. Slowly they began to trust us and we persuade them to come to our hostel to eat and sleep. We've also started an education programme this autumn. If kids learn a job, they will know a lot of things and have a chance of finding work more easily. We want them to make something of their lives. (§ 4)

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**PART ONE (14 pts)**

**A) Reading Comprehension (07 pts)**

I read the text carefully and do the following tasks:

**Task One (02 pts): I read and complete with information from the text.**

Volunteer	Mission	Organization
Eduardo Drio		

**Task Two (03 pts): I answer the following questions.**

- 1- Is Eduardo Drio an English teenager?
- 2- Is there a difference between street children and street-working children? Give example.
- 3- What do the underlined words in the text refer to?

It (§ 2) = .....

They (§ 3) = .....

**Task Three (02 pts): I find in the text words that are closest in the meaning to the following:**

no home (§ 2) = .....

created (§ 2) = .....

job (§ 3) = .....

place (§ 4) = .....

## B) Mastery of Language (07 pts)

**Task One (02 pts): I rewrite the following sentences, and supply punctuation and capitalisation where appropriate:**

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.....

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1. Charities (to provide) ..... more help for the poor **if** citizens (to donate) ..... more money.
2. **If** Omar (to have) ..... enough time, he (to join) .....the charity work in his hometown.

**Task Three (02 pts): I circle the silent letters in the following words.**

who – talked – autumn – know

## PART TWO (06 pts): Situation of Integration:

On their blog, your friends are talking about what they could do to make the world a better place. You want to share your ideas with them about this topic. Write a short paragraph to publish it on that blog in which you describe a voluntary work you want to do in your community (hometown), its benefits and why do you want to do it?

**This following hints may help you:**

- **Donate:** money / food / clothes / medicine / books.....etc.
- comfort / support / standby / give a hand / first aid / health care.....etc.
- **Collect:** medicine / money / clothes / books.....etc.

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- 1- Is Eduardo Drio an English teenager? **1- No, he is not.**
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**2- Yes, there is. Street-working children have homes, but street children have no home.**
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