

DIPLÔME NATIONAL DU BREVET

SESSION 2004

ANGLAIS

SÉRIES : TOUTES

DURÉE DE L'ÉPREUVE : 1 heure 30 – COEFFICIENT : 1

Le candidat répondra directement sur le sujet.

L'usage de la calculatrice et du dictionnaire n'est pas autorisé.

Dès que ce sujet vous est remis, assurez-vous qu'il est complet.
Ce sujet comporte 5 pages numérotées de 1/5 à 5/5.

Compréhension du texte	6 points
Compétence linguistique	5 points
Rédaction	7 points

L'orthographe et la présentation sont notées sur 2 points.

MY NAME IS BOND !

After 50 years, over 30 books and 20 films, the world and espionage have changed but James Bond is still Bond, the world's most famous secret agent. And millions of fans are very happy.

5 James Bond was created by British author Ian Fleming in 1953 when Western democracies and Communist countries were enemies. The West and the East wanted the best nuclear weapons¹ and spies² to help their countries get information about what the enemy was doing.

Ian Fleming was from a rich family and before World War II worked as a journalist, then as a banker. In 1939, he joined Royal Navy intelligence³ and became a spy. He organised espionage missions. Some of his ideas were crazy while the others were successful. He helped to form the American organisation which became the CIA.

10 Bond was the perfect Cold War spy. How could he survive after the Berlin Wall disappeared in 1989 ? The answer is : "very well, thank you" ! By 1989, Bond was an industry, and one of Britain's best exports.

The recent films are not based on Fleming books, but use their characters and the successful formula of action : humour, beautiful women and terrible villains.

Adapted from Easy Going n°1 2002

(1) bombs, missiles, etc.

(2) persons involved in espionage (singular : spy)

(3) here, the Secret Service

II – COMPETENCE LINGUISTIQUE (5 points)

A - Ecrivez les verbes entre parenthèses au temps qui convient : (2,5 points)

1 - Fleming (write) his first Bond book in 1953. 0,5 point

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2 - James Bond fans (go) to see *Die another day* in November 2002. 0,5 point

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3 - Three authors (continue) the series since Ian Fleming's death. 0,5 point

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4 - Half of the people in the world (already see) a James Bond film. 0,5 point

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5 - Q, the gadget inventor (just buy) a new car ? 0,5 point

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B - Retrouvez les questions qui portent sur les mots soulignés : (1,5 point)

1 - James Bond always wears a tuxedo⁴ 0,5 point

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2 - Fleming worked as a journalist. 0,5 point

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3 - The Cold War ended in 1989. 0,5 point

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C - Faites des phrases en utilisant les adjectifs entre parenthèses au superlatif et en conjuguant le verbe : (1 point)

1 - James Bond / be / spy / in the world. (elegant) 0,5 point

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2 - James Bond / always / drive / cars. (fast) 0,5 point

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III - EXPRESSION ECRITE (50 mots) (7 points)

Une pénalité sera appliquée à moins de 50 mots.

Write a paragraph about your favourite hero (name, age, job, physical description, why you like him / her ...)

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Orthographe et présentation : 2 points.

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