



## Stronger Together

Social and community participation plays an important part in building united and safe societies. It serves as a foundation for building strong social bonds and a sense of belonging among individuals. Community engagement leads to collaborative efforts that address local issues, promote civic responsibility, and drives positive change on a broader scale.

Participating in social and community activities has a profound impact on personal well-being. It can reduce stress, boost self-esteem, and improve overall mental health. When individuals contribute their time and effort to causes they care about, they gain a sense of purpose and satisfaction.

Getting involved in social and community activities begins with a few practical steps; start by finding your interests and passions, attend local meetings, or visit community centers to discover relevant opportunities. Volunteering is often a great entry point, allowing you to contribute your time and skills to causes you care about.

Remember that even small contributions can make a significant difference, so don't underestimate the power of your involvement. Together, we can create spaces where everyone feels valued, included, and connected.

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### Reading comprehension: (07 pts.)

#### Activity One: Read the statements and write "True", "False" or "Not mentioned" (03 pts.)

- 1- Community participation is unimportant for building united societies.
- 2- There are several community centers in Algeria.
- 3- Participating in community activities enhances mental health.

#### Activity Two: Read the text and answer the following questions (02 pts.)

- 1- Does community participation promote civic responsibility?
- 2- What can a small contribution make for the society?

#### Activity three: Match the words in column A with their equivalents in column B (02 pts.)

Column A	Column B
communities	enhance
improve	powerful
strong	chance
opportunity	societies

**Mastery of language: (07pts.)****Activity One: Supply the punctuation and capital letters where necessary (02 pts.)**

donating clothes shoes and money helps the algerian government reduce poverty

**Activity Two: Rewrite the correct form of the verbs in brackets (03 pts.)**

Solidarity ..... (to start) with small acts of love and respect. If we .....  
(not / to care) about each other, our community ..... (not / to grow) in peace.

**Activity Three: Classify the following words in the right box according to the pronunciation of their final “s” (02 Pts.)**

centers - spaces - activities - efforts

/s/ helps	/z/ citizens	/iz/ finishes
1. ....	1. .... 2. ....	1. ....

**Written Expression: (06 pts.)**

You are a member of your school's charity club. Your English teacher has asked you to write a short article for the school magazine about the importance of charity and solidarity in Algerian society.

Write about:

- What is charity?
- Examples of charity in Algeria.
- How can we help poor people?
- Why solidarity is important for community.

**TRY YOUR BEST**