



**Ex4/What or who do the underlined words refer to in the text:**

a-this situation(\$1).      b-which(\$1).      c-this country(\$2).

**Ex5/Re-order the following statements according to their occurrence in the text:**

- a-Good maths qualifications help getting better jobs.
- b-Poor competence in maths costs the UK economy a lot.
- c-UK government will employ some best Shanghai teachers.
- d-Chinese students have a never-say-die attitude.

**B-Text exploration:**

**Ex1/Find in the text words or phrases that are closest in meaning to:**

a-quality(\$1).      b-enormous(\$1).      c-cautioned(\$2).      d-income(\$2).

**Ex2/Classify the following words in the table:**

international - British - returned -unemployment

| Prefix | root | suffix |
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**Ex3/Re-write sentence (b) that means the same as (a):**

- 1-a.Educators feel that the government should improve the standards of maths in British schools  
b.It's high time.....
- 2-a.National Numeracy Challenge is improving maths ability of British students.  
b.Maths ability.....

**Ex4/Underline the silent letters in the following words:**

highest - school - sword - doubt - writing - Christmas

**Ex5/Re-order the following sentences to make a coherent paragraph:**

- a-that the students who were accused of fraud,
- b-Last week, our college knew three cases of cheating.
- c-would fail the assignment or be expelled.
- d-After holding a consultation, the headmaster declared

**Written expression:**

**Choose one of the following topics**

**Topic one:** Using the following notes,write a composition of 100 to 120 words to highlight the problem of declining of maths scores recently among our students:

- \*Maths is fundamental skill in many jobs      \*Teachers are not specialized in maths
- \*large classes size      \*methods & approaches differ      \*lack of motivation & resources
- \*overloaded programmes      \*students lack of knowledge & understanding

**Topic two:** In a composition of 100 to 120 words ,write an expository article for your school magazine analysing the cause & consequences of cheating at exams.

