

**ANGLAIS****Corrigé**LV1 (STI-SMS-STL) & STT(CG-IG)  
Langue renforcée STT (ACC-ACA)**I - GENERAL COMPREHENSION****Compréhension = 24 points****A- Complete the following summary with words from the text: (4 points = 8 x 0.5pt)**

The main character whose name is *Dominick D'Angelo* migrated from *Sicily* to New York when he was *fourteen*. After working hard, he became a *shoemaker /shoerepairer*. Every *Sunday* after *church* he went shopping and one day a girl *noticed* him.

**B- Tick the correct answer:**1- The scene is set (**1 pt**)☐ in the mid-nineteenth century.☒ *in the early twentieth century.*☐ in the mid-twentieth century.☐ nowadays.2- When he arrived (**1 pt ou 0**)☐ he hoped his family would join him.☐ he hoped to go back to his mother country.☒ *he knew he would never go back home.*☐ he planned to go back home for a holiday.,

Justify : (line 3/4)

*a mother he would never see again***II - DETAILED COMPREHENSION****A) Right or wrong? Justify all your answers with brief quotations. (6x1pt)**

1- The main character had no family in New York City.

Right **Wrong**(line. 3.). *he had the address of an uncle*

2- He didn't feel very comfortable at the beginning of his American life.

**Right** Wrong(line 11) *he lived near starvation* or ( line 1 ) *a frightened immigrant*

3- He was unable to make any physical effort.

Right Wrong

(line 11) *working at any job that required a strong back* or (line 12) *he could lift and carry*

4- He did not spend much.

**Right** Wrong(line 13) *he saved every single dollar*

5- He lived far away from his shop. .

Right **Wrong**(line19). *the small apartment at the back of his shop*

6- He enjoyed hearing his native language.

**Right** Wrong(line.29) *closer to the men who spoke Italian* (1 ou 0) or (line 30) *sounds of home*

**B) Circle the four adjectives which best apply to the main character: (4x 0.5 = 5 pts)**

aggressive / **timid** / lazy / extravagant  
**honest** / **religious** / talkative / **hardworking**

**C) Pick out sentences showing that:**

- 1- Once in America he did not want to be helped.  
(line 6) **he would take no charity**
- 2- He didn't often buy meat.  
(line 22) **he rarely bought anything but vegetables. .**
- 3- He enjoyed going to the market.  
(line 23) **Dom D'Angelo liked to wander about, just looking..**
- 4- Angela was not indifferent to him (2 sentences).  
(line.36) **she was aware of him or she remembered him from week to week.**  
(line.37) **she had noticed him**

**D) In the text find equivalents of the following words or expressions: (5 x 1 pt = 5 pts)**

- 1- educate: **raise** (line 10)
- 2- famine: **starvation** (line 11)
- 3- too big: **off-size** (line 24)
- 4- got nearer: **edged closer** (line 29). (2 words) (**1pt ou 0**)
- 5- conscious: **aware** (line 37)

### **III – EXPRESSION 16 pts**

Choose **one** of the following subjects and indicate the number of words.

- a) The following Sunday the main character decided to speak to Angela. Write their conversation (200 words).
- b) Why do people leave their native countries? Give examples (200 words).

### **Marking guidelines**

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| A- Respect de la consigne, nombre de mots                                     | 2 pts |
| B- Cohérence des idées (y a-t-il une progression? Un développement organisé?) | 6 pts |
| C- Correction lexicale et grammaticale  | 5 pts |
| D- richesse lexicale et grammaticale  | 3 pts |