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## The Second term test 2

A memory card, flash card or memory cartridge is an electronic flash memory data storage device used for storing digital information. These are commonly used in portable electronic devices, such as digital cameras, mobile phones, laptop computers, tablets, video games, electronic keyboards, and digital pianos. PC Cards were the first commercial memory card formats to come out, but are now mainly used in industrial applications and to connect devices such as modems. Since 1994, a number of memory card formats smaller than the PC Card arrived. The desire for smaller cards for cell-phones, and compact digital cameras drove a trend that left the previous generation of "compact" cards looking big. In 2001, 50% of the digital camera markets were captured. By 2005 however, as computers and laptops became smaller they managed to make memory cards smaller too.

Since 2010, new products of Sony which used to use only Memory Stick, started making SD memory cards.

### Reading comprehension :

Task one : I read the text and write "true", "false" or "not mentioned". (2pts)

- 1/ memory cards are electronic device .....  
2/ Sony and Compact company make bigger memory cards.....  
3/ In 2025, memory cards will not exist anymore .....

Task two : I read again and fill in the table.(3pts)

Dates	events
1994	.....
2005	.....

Task three : - I find in the text the synonyms of these words. (1pt)

tools =.....

mobiles =.....

- I find in the text the Opposites of these words.(1pt)

bigger ≠.....

old ≠.....

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\* Mastery of language :  
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**Task one :I complete with: used – device – computers - storing ( 2pts)**

A microchip is an electronic .....that is .....for .....data. We can find it in ..... , mobiles and even cameras.

**Task two :I match the person with his invention. (3pts)**

1/ Abderahim Bourouis                           a/ electricity

2/ Alexander Fleming                           b/ a shirt for Alzheimer

3/ Thomas Edison                               c/ Penicillin

**Task three : I classify the following words according to the sounds in the table. (2pts)**

Of – phone – invent - laugh

/f/ life	/v/ seven
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**Situation of integration : I use the information in the table to write a short paragraph about USB sticks (6pts)**

Invented in the late of 2000

Can be of different sizes: 1g – 8g – 16g.....

Storing device

Used in different fields

