

Compréhension

1 - Répondez en anglais aux questions suivantes en rédigeant des phrases complètes :

5 points

a) When did 'No Angel' become a success ?

It became a success in 2001.

b) What did Dido do at age 5 ?

She started playing the recorder.

c) What happened when she was seventeen years old ?

She decided to stop playing the recorder and piano.

d) What was Rollo doing in Australia ?

He was working.

e) Who gave Dido her first contract ?

One of the managers of the American company *Arista Records* gave Dido her first contract

2 - Right or wrong : Dites si les affirmations suivantes sont vraies (right) ou fausses (wrong) et justifiez vos réponses par une phrase complète en anglais (toute réponse non justifiée sera considérée comme nulle)

4 points

a) Dido is an American musician.

Wrong – ligne 1

b) She has got a younger brother.

Wrong – ligne 10

c) Her first album was 'Reverence'.

Wrong – ligne 14

d) Dido doesn't like working with her brother.

Wrong – ligne 18

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3 - Traduction : Traduisez le passage suivant en français :

3 points

“ I wasn't good enough to be a classical pianist. And I didn't want to be a professional recorder player” she says.

« Je n'étais pas assez bonne pour être pianiste classique. Et je ne voulais pas être joueur de flûte à bec professionnel » dit-elle.

Compétence linguistique

4 - Complétez chacune des phrases suivantes avec une des prépositions ci-dessous :
to – at – from – in - with.

3 points

Dido is not American, she comes **from** Great Britain.

When she was young, she went **to** the Guildhall School of music.

She recorded her album 'No Angel' **in** 2000.

Expression écrite

5 - Rédigez en anglais 8 questions qui ont permis au journaliste d'obtenir quelques uns des renseignements suivants :

5 points

- a) Full name : Dido Florian Cloud de Bouneville Armstrong
- b) Place of birth : London, England
- c) Date of birth : 25 December 1972
- d) Jobs : worked for a publisher and in restaurants
- e) Studies : studied law at night school
- f) Father's nationality : Irish ; Mother's nationality : French
- g) Brothers or sisters : one brother : Rollo
- h) Albums sold in America: 1 million

- a) What's your full name ? 0,5 pt
- b) Where were you born ? 0,5 pt
- c) When were you born ? 0,5 pt
- d) Where did you work ? 0,5 pt
- e) What's your father's nationality ? What's your mother's nationality ? 0,5 pt
- f) Where did you study law ? 1 pt
- g) How many brothers and sisters have you got ? 1 pt
- h) How many albums did you sell ? 0,5 pt

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