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Investment

Investment is putting your money into something with the hope it'll grow in value or generate income. Think of it as planting a seed that you expect to yield a harvest.

Key Investment Types:

- Stocks: Owning a small piece of a company. Higher potential returns but also higher risk.
- **Bonds**: Lending money to a company or government. Lower risk, lower potential returns.
- Real Estate: Investing in property. Can generate rental income and appreciate in value.
- **Mutual Funds**: A basket of different investments, managed by professionals. Diversifies your risk.
- **Commodities**: Raw materials like gold or oil. Prices can fluctuate wildly.

Investing is crucial for both personal and national economic growth. For individuals, it's a path to building wealth and achieving financial goals. For nations, investment funds business expansion, job creation, and innovation, leading to higher living standards. It's a vital engine of economic progress.

Questions

- 1. Extract key words from the text; and translate them into Arabic.
- 2. Answer the following questions:
 - ✓ What is investing in simple terms?
 - ✓ What are the main types of investments?
 - ✓ Why is investing important for individuals?
 - ✓ What is the role of investing in the national economy?
- 3. What are the synonyms of the following words?

Invest, Important, Return, Risk, Growth.

- 4. What are the opposites of the following words? **Invest, Growth, Important, Risk, Return.**
- 5. What do the prepositions mean in the following sentences
- The book is on the table.
- > She walked into the room.
- > He sat beside his friend.
- ➤ The cat jumped over the fence.

- > They drove through the tunnel.
- > The bird flew above the clouds.
- > The letter is from my mother.
- We walked along the beach.
- > The dog ran towards me.
- > . She is interested in art.
- 6. Conjugate the verbs: do, watch in the Present Perfect, Past Perfect and the future Perfect
- 7. Find 3 sentences in Present Perfect.
- 8. Find 3 sentences in the Past Perfect.
- 9. Find 3 sentences in the Future Perfect.
- 10.Examples of irregular verbs

(Base Form)	(Past Simple)	(Past Participle)
Go	went	gone
See	saw	seen
do	did	done
Take	took	taken
Give	gave	given
Eat	ate	eaten
Write	wrote	written
Read	Read	Read
Know	knew	known