NAME: COURSE:

DIANA THOUGHT CHARLES GOT NANNY PREGNANT

IN 1995, Diana became convinced that Tiggy Legge-Bourke - her sons' nanny - was conducting a secret affair with Prince Charles.

She even went so far as to confront Tiggy with a dramatic allegation. Burrell takes up the story from the moment Diana's unfounded suspicions began...

FOLLOWING the separation, the nanny's timetable had to be flexible because it was dependent on whether William and Harry were back from Ludgrove and with their mother or at Highgrove with their father.

Prince Charles ensured that the visiting arrangements were set in stone, writing to the princess every two or three weeks with lists of his available dates, for months in advance. It was in 1993 that he appointed Tiggy Legge-Bourke to help him look after William and Harry.

She was more nursery assistant than nanny but the princess was infuriated when the media began describing her as a "surrogate mother". In countless newspaper images, Tiggy - a good-natured young woman who lived the quiet life in a terraced property in Battersea - was seen larking about with William and Harry.

In time, she became a confidante and personal friend of Prince Charles, and the princess began to view her as a threat. The princess told me she had filmed Panorama, it was all top-secret stuff and she felt Britain would understand her better at the end of it. "I'm sure many people will support you. As long as you are happy with the end product," I told her.

QUESTIONS

1. Answer the following questions using your own words (2 points)

a. Why did the nanny have a flexible timetable?

b. Did Prince Charles plan the visits carefully? How was that?

2. Are the following statements *True* or *False*? (1 point)

a. Tiggy Legge-Bourke was pregnant: _____

b. Prince Charles was Tiggy's friend: _____

3. Find a word or phrase in the text which, in context, is similar in meaning to: (1 point)

Very angry: _____ Take care: _____

4. Choose a, b or c in each question below. Only one choice is correct: (2 points)

1. Tiggy was
    a. a nanny.
    b. Diana's friend.
    c. Charles's lover.
2. Diana was angry because she thought that
    a. she was pregnant again.
    b. Tiggy was pregnant.
    c. Tiggy was Charles's friend.
3. Prince Charles
    a. did not care too much about his sons.
    b. managed to look after his sons on his own.
    c. had to look for an assistant for his sons.
4. Tiggy had
    a. a peaceful life in Ludgrove.
    b. a peaceful life in Battersea.
    c. a peaceful life in Highgrove.

Composition (100-150 words). *Extramarital love affairs*. (4 points)