# Rulang Primary School

**MINI TEST**
**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**
**LANGUAGE USE AND COMPREHENSION**
**2012**

**Name : _____( ) Marks : _____ / 25**

**Class : Primary 1 ( )** **Date : 29th October 2012**

**Setter : Mdm Chua Sze Ling**

28 Questions

1 Hour

**Instructions to Pupils:**

1. Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.
2. Follow **all** the instructions carefully.
3. Answer **all** the questions.
4. This question paper consists of **8** printed pages, including the cover page.



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**Section A: Vocabulary (5 marks)**

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the bracket provided.

1. A _____ has black and white stripes on its body.

1) tiger
2) zebra
3) leopard
4) cheetah

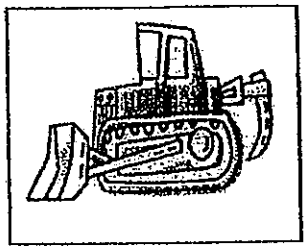
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2. The worker used the _____ to push the soil into the well.

1) crane
2) trolley
3) bulldozer
4) concrete mixer

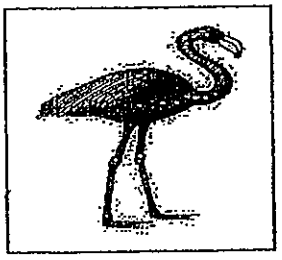
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3. We saw many _____ when we visited Jurong Bird Park last weekend.

1) emus
2) parrots
3) peacocks
4) flamingos

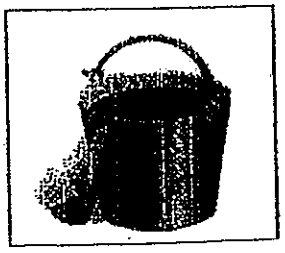
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4. Jamie and her father _____ the wall yesterday.

1) painted
2) washed
3) polished
4) scrubbed

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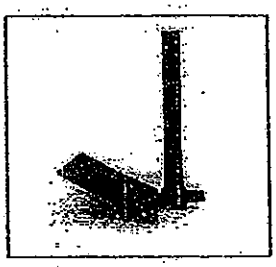




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5. John used the _____ to remove the weeds in his garden.

1) axe
2) hoe
3) saw
4) hammer ( )



**Section B: Grammar (2.5 marks)**

Read each sentence carefully. Then circle the correct answer in the bracket provided.

6. Melvin ( walks , walked ) to school every day.

7. Bala is the ( taller , tallest ) pupil in our class.

8. There isn't ( many , any ) sugar in my Milo.

9. ( This , These ) red apples look delicious.

10. The thief hid ( on , under ) the table.



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**Section C: Vocabulary Cloze (5 marks)**

Read the passage carefully. Fill in the blanks with the most suitable words. You may use each word only once.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| special | map | tub |
| invitation | pool | glitter |

Lucy is looking forward to her birthday party next month.

She is preparing ten (11)_____ cards. She uses (12)_____ to decorate the cards. She draws a (13)_____ in each card to show her friends where her house is located. She is excited to play games and swim in the (14)_____ with her friends on that (15)_____ day.



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**Section D: Grammar Cloze (2.5 marks)**

Read the passage carefully. Fill in the blanks with the most suitable words. You may use each word only once.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| its | ourselves | to |
| them | they | themselves |

Kelly loves riding her bicycle. She cycles (16)_____ the park every weekend with her brother. Sometimes, (17)_____ will take their pet dog, Poppy, along. Poppy will wiggle (18)_____ tail when it follows (19)_____ to the park. Kelly and her brother protect (20)_____ by wearing helmets and knee pads when they ride on their bicycles.

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**Section E: Word Order (4 marks)**

Rearrange the words to form a meaningful statement. Begin with a capital letter and end with a full stop or a question mark.

21. a been farm have in you Singapore ever to

_____

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22. enjoys the Jane market going every to week

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23. cycling my is activities of favourite one

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24 we fun sandcastles the had building at beach

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**Section F: Comprehension (6 marks)**

Read the passage carefully. Questions 25 and 26 carry 1 mark each. Choose the correct answer and write its number in the bracket provided. Questions 27 and 28 carry 2 marks each. Answer the questions in complete sentences.

Farmer Dell woke up early every morning to work in the farm. He would usually have his meal at a shady spot around mid-day.

One day, while having his lunch, he saw something drop from a nearby tree. He picked up the green, round-shaped object carefully as it was quite sharp. When he lifted his head and looked at the tree, he saw many similar fruits hanging on the branches of the tree.

Farmer Dell peeled open the thorny fruit and tried its flesh. It was delicious! He decided to make a fortune out of his discovery. He waited for more fruits to drop from the tree and gathered them to sell at the market.

After a month, he bought himself a bigger house.

25. Why did Farmer Dell wake up early in the morning?

(1) He woke up early to eat the fruits.
(2) He woke up early to sell the fruits.
(3) He woke up early to work in the farm.
(4) He woke up early to go to the market. ( )

26. What fruits did Farmer Dell sell at the market?

(1) He sold limes.
(2) He sold pears.
(3) He sold guavas.
(4) He sold durians. ( )

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27. How did Farmer Dell manage to buy a bigger house?

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28. Which word in the passage has the same meaning as "collected"?

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# ANSWER SHEET

**EXAM PAPER 2012**
**SCHOOL : RULANG PRIMARY SCHOOL**
**SUBJECT : PRIMARY 1 - ENGLISH**
**TERM : SA 2**

## SECTION A

| Q1 | Q2 | Q3 | Q4 | Q5 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 2 |

## SECTION B

6. walks
7. tallest
8. any
9. These
10. under

## SECTION C

11. invitation
12. glitter
13. map
14. pool
15. special

## SECTION D

16. to
17. they
18. its
19. them
20. themselves

## SECTION E

21. Have you ever been to a farm in Singapore?
22. Jane enjoys going to the market every week.
23. One of my favourite activities is cycling.
24. We had fun building sandcastles at the beach.

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**SECTION F**

25. 3
26. 4
27. Farmer Dell sold the fruits to earn more money.
28. The word is "gathered".



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