ROSYTH SCHOOL
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION 2019
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2
PRIMARY 4

Name: _____ Register No. _____

Class: Pr 4 _____

Total duration for Booklets A and B: 1 hour 15 minutes

Date: 21 October 2019 Parent's Signature: _____

BOOKLET A

Instructions to Pupils:

1. Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.
2. Read the questions and follow all the instructions carefully.
3. This booklet consists of 19 questions (Questions 1 to 19).
4. **Answer ALL the questions and shade them in the correct ovals on the OAS provided.**

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Section A: Grammar (8 marks)

For questions 1 to 8, choose the most suitable answer and shade the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the OAS given. (8 x 1 mark)

1) Kim and Alan _____ very happy when they found their lost pet.

(1) is
(2) are
(3) was
(4) were

2) My father wanted my brother and me to split the workload between _____.

(1) himself
(2) myself
(3) ourselves
(4) themselves

3) While everyone _____ quietly in the library, Dave was chatting with his friends.

(1) reads
(2) will read
(3) were reading
(4) was reading

4) _____ girl standing there is the most hardworking student in our class.

(1) That
(2) This
(3) These
(4) Those

5) During recess yesterday, John _____ surprised when his classmates gave him a birthday present.

(1) is
(2) are
(3) was
(4) were

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6) Two days ago, we _____ many storybooks from the shop before it closed down.

(1) buy
(2) bought
(3) have bought
(4) were buying

7) "Listen carefully. Mr Lee _____ important instructions for the group activity now," muttered Siti to Tom.

(1) gave
(2) gives
(3) is giving
(4) has given

8) The tea is not sweet enough. Jane added too _____ sugar to it.

(1) little
(2) few
(3) many
(4) much

Section B: Vocabulary (6 marks)

For questions 9 to 14, choose the most suitable answer and shade the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the OAS given. (6 x 1 mark)

9) Mr Tan followed the _____ closely in order to build the shelves correctly.

(1) manual
(2) flyer
(3) workbook
(4) brochure

10) Sally _____ the answer into the teacher's ear as she was too shy to say it out loudly in class.

(1) cried
(2) shouted
(3) whispered
(4) moaned

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11) These glasses are _____. Be careful when you wash them.

(1) frail
(2) fragile
(3) feeble
(4) flimsy

12) Elephants have become _____ because of illegal hunting. Its population has decreased drastically over the years.

(1) extinct
(2) destroyed
(3) endangered
(4) dangerous

13) All of the athletes trained very hard to win the _____ and did the school proud.

(1) friendship
(2) partnership
(3) championship
(4) sportsmanship

14) It took the firemen less than fifteen minutes to _____ the fire.

(1) put in
(2) put out
(3) put up
(4) put across

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Section C: Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)

Read the following advertisement carefully. Then answer questions 15 to 19. Choose the most suitable answer and shade the correct number (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the OAS given. (5 x 1 mark)



East Zone Presents

Clean and Play 2019

1 November 2019

East Coast Park (Car Park D)

The annual Clean and Play is back! This event is organised to encourage residents in the East Zone to do their part for the environment. The highlights of the event this year are the Beach Clean-Up and a carnival.

Beach Clean-Up Details

Redeem Shopping Vouchers!

Come with your family to clean up the beach and you will be able to redeem shopping vouchers worth $20.

Time: 9 am and 4 pm
Meeting Point: BBQ Pit Number 20
Metal tongs and gloves will be provided.

For registration, please email Miss Ong at ong@beachcleanup.sg by 25 October 2019.
A free T-shirt and goodie bag will be given upon registration. Limited to the first 50 participants.

Visit National Environment Council website at https://www.nec.gov.sg/ or call hotline 62551234 to find out more.

Carnival Highlights

Purchase of Carnival Coupons
Coupons will be on sale for children's rides as well as food and game stalls. Each booklet is priced at $10. Purchase three booklets and get one free!

Flea Market

A wide range of eco-friendly items will be on sale. Enjoy discounts when you purchase $30 worth of items from the booths.

Make Your Own Recycled Product

Learn from the experts on how to make something useful using recycled materials.
* Recycled materials will be provided!

Organised by:
National Environment Council

Sponsored by:
Outlook Recycling Pte Ltd
ABC BANK

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15) The main purpose of the Clean and Play event is to _____.

(1) promote the Flea Market only
(2) inform people about the carnival highlights
(3) encourage the residents to spend time together
(4) encourage residents to do their part for the environment

16) The organiser of the event is _____.

(1) ABC Bank
(2) East Zone
(3) Outlook Recycling Pte Ltd
(4) National Environment Council

17) People can buy carnival coupons to _____.

(1) get a free T-shirt and goodie bag
(2) enjoy discounts at the flea market
(3) buy food and play at the game stalls
(4) participate in a hands-on workshop to make a recycled product

18) Participants for the 'Beach Clean-Up' will need to _____.

(1) wear the free t-shirt
(2) call Miss Ong at 62551234
(3) register for the event by visiting the NEC website
(4) gather at BBQ Pit number 20 before the start of the event

19) Based on the flyer, which one of the following statements is true?

(1) The "Beach Clean-Up' will be held on 25 October 2019.
(2) Shopping vouchers worth $30 will be given to every family.
(3) Metal tongs and gloves are provided during the beach clean-up.
(4) Participants will need to purchase four carnival booklets to get a free booklet.

End of Booklet A

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BOOKLET B

Instructions to Pupils:

1. Do not open this booklet until you are told to do so.
2. Read the questions and follow all the instructions carefully.
3. This booklet consists of 30 questions (Questions 20 to 49)
4. **Answer ALL the questions and write all the answers in this booklet.**

	Maximum	Marks Obtained
Booklet A	19	
Booklet B	31	
Total	50	

Component	Question Numbers	Marks Obtained
Grammar & Vocabulary	1-14 20-33 39-40	
Comprehension Cloze	34-38	
Comprehension	15-19 41-49	

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Section A: Grammar Cloze (8 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank. USE A WORD ONCE ONLY. (4 x 1 mark)

(A) he	(B) her	(C) it
(D) them	(E) they	(F) us

John and Karl wanted to try rock climbing. However, Tim refused to join (20)_____ as he was afraid. John and Karl decided that (21)_____ would still ask Tim to go along. Tim watched as his friends made their way up the wall and (22)_____ saw how much fun they were having. Tim soon realised that rock climbing was a safe sport. He decided to give (23)_____ a try after much persuasion from his friends.

Read the passage carefully. Underline the correct word from the words given in the brackets. (4 x 1 mark)

Sue and Marie are going to the Bicentennial Museum for their learning journey. Both girls (24) [has / have] been talking enthusiastically about the trip. Their learning journey (25) [is / are] in a week's time. They (26) [hopes / hope] to learn more about the pioneers of Singapore during their trip. Marie is excited about the interactive boards and (27) [looks / look] forward to trying them out. It will be fun going to the museum with their friends.

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Section B: Vocabulary Cloze (3 marks)

Read the passage carefully. Choose the correct word from the words given in the box and write its letter (A to F) in each blank. USE A WORD ONCE ONLY. (3 x 1 mark)

(A) recipe	(B) ingredients	(C) equipment
(D) dissolved	(E) programme	(F) sprinkled

Last week, Jane baked a chocolate cake for her best friend. Before she started baking, she made sure that she had all the necessary (28)_____ such as flour, eggs and sugar. As she had never baked a chocolate cake before, she followed the (29)_____ in the baking book closely. She did not want to make any mistakes. When the cake was ready, Jane (30)_____ some icing sugar on it to decorate it. She was happy that the cake turned out well.

Section C: Editing for Spelling and Grammar (3 marks)

Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes. (3 x 1 mark)

Lisa enjoys jogging with her father. They jog at the park every evening. Her (31) _____ father often tell her that jogging regularly has many benefits. Sometimes, after an (32) _____ exhausting day at school, Lisa does not feel like exsersizing. However, her father will always (33) _____ remind her of the benefits of jogging but encourage her to go for their jog. She usually feels more relaxed and energised after jogging.

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Section D: Comprehension Cloze (5 marks)

Fill in each blank with a suitable word. (5 x 1 mark)

My family and I were just about to have our dinner when suddenly, the whole house shook. Books fell (34)_____ the shelves and photo frames came crashing to the ground. My children started screaming. My wife tried to (35)_____ them down.

I looked out of the window and saw a huge tower (36)_____ water coming our way. "Tsunami!" I cried as I grabbed my family and we ran quickly into the attic. We (37)_____ the sound of gushing water and the house started to shake again. We clung onto one (38)_____ in fear. All of a sudden, one side of the house fell down and we were exposed to the raging waters. We panicked and began to cry.

Adapted from https://shortstoriesshort.com/story/my-life-in-the-tsunami/

Section E: Sentence Manipulation (2 marks)

For questions 39 and 40, rewrite the given sentence(s) using the word(s) provided. Your answer must be in one sentence. The meaning of your sentence must be the same as the meaning of the given sentence(s). (2 x 1 mark)

(39) You need to hurry. You do not want to miss the school bus.

_____ if

_____.

(40) Peter does not like swimming. The twins also do not like swimming.

Neither _____

_____.

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Section F: Comprehension (10 marks)

Read the passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.

Two brothers, Tyler and Kean, lived near a forest. **They** were woodcutters and sold firewood for a living. Tyler was always mean to Kean. He would eat most of the food and steal Kean's belongings. Kean respected Tyler as his elder brother. Therefore, he did not get upset whenever Tyler was mean to him.

One morning, Tyler went into the forest to look for firewood. He came upon a magical tree. The tree said to him, "Please don't cut my branches. If you spare me, I will reward you with delicious apples." Tyler thought for a while and agreed not to cut **them**. A bag magically appeared. He opened it but was disappointed to see only a few apples.

Filled with greed and anger, he threatened to cut down the tree if **it** did not give him more apples. Suddenly, many needles grew out of the branches and dropped on Tyler. He fell to the ground, crying in pain from the needles on his body.

As the sun set, Kean grew worried and searched for Tyler. After a long search, he finally found Tyler. Kean quickly removed the needles from Tyler's body carefully. Tyler apologised to Kean for mistreating him and promised to treat him better in future. The tree saw the change in Tyler and gave them as many apples as they wanted.

Adapted from https://parenting.firstcry.com/articles/top-15-short-moral-stories-for-kids/

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(41) Why was Kean not upset even though Tyler was mean to him? [1m]

_____

_____

(42) Tick ✓ the correct answer.

Tyler did not cut the tree's branches because he _____. [1m]

	thought the tree would give him many apples
	wanted to bring all the apples home to share with Kean
	felt hungry and wanted to eat the delicious apples on the tree

(43) Which word has the same meaning as "rage"? Circle (A) or (B). [1m]

Tyler was filled with greed and anger.

(A) (B)

(44) In the last paragraph, list two actions Kean did to show that he cared for Tyler. [2m]

(i) _____

(ii) _____

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(45) Write **1, 2** or **3** in the blanks to show the correct order of events in the story. [1m]

_____ Many needles dropped on Tyler.

_____ Tyler apologised to Kean.

_____ Tyler found a magical tree.

For Questions 46 – 47, what does each word refer to? [2m]

The first example has been done for you.

	Words	Refers to
Example	**'They'** (line 1)	*Tyler and Kean*
(46)	**'them'** (line 8)	
(47)	**'it'** (line 10)	

For Questions 48 – 49, read each statement and tick ✓ "True" or "False". [2m]

The first example has been done for you.

	Statement	True	False
Example	*Tyler did not treat his younger brother, Kean, well at the beginning of the story.*	✓	
(48)	Tyler wanted to cut the branches of the magical tree to collect its apples.		
(49)	The tree gave the brothers as many apples as they wanted because Kean helped Tyler.		

End of Booklet B

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ANSWER KEY

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Q21 E

Q22 A

Q23 C

Q24 have

Q25 is

Q26 hope

Q27 looks

Q28 B

Q29 A

Q30 F

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Q35 calm

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Q36 of

Q37 heard

Q38 another

Q39 You need to hurry if you do not want to miss the school bus.

Q40 Neither Peter nor the twins like swimming.

Q41 Kean respected as his elder brother so he was not upset even though Tyler was mean to him.

Q42 thought the tree would give him many apples

Q43 anger

Q44 (i)Kean went to search for Tyler.

(ii)Kean remove the needles from Tyler's body.

Q45 2

3

1

Q46 the branches on the magical tree

Q47 the magical tree

Q48 False

Q49 False

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