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ROSYTH SCHOOL
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION 2019
ENGLISH LANGUAGE
PAPER 2
PRIMARY 5

Name: _____

Class: Pr 5-_____

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Date: 24 October 2019

Parent's Signature: _____

TOTAL DURATION FOR BOOKLETS A & B: 1 h 50 min

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 28 questions (Questions 1 to 28).
4. **Answer ALL the questions and shade them in the correct ovals on the OAS provided.**

* This paper consists of 11 pages altogether (including the cover page)

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For each question from 1 to 10, shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet (10 marks)

1. Kumar invited James and _____ to his birthday party.
   (1) I
   (2) he
   (3) me
   (4) him

2. _____ a few bruises, the mischievous boy did not suffer serious injury from the fall.
   (1) Owing to
   (2) In spite of
   (3) Instead of
   (4) Apart from

3. The girl _____ if the lifeguard had not saved her in the nick of time.
   (1) will drown
   (2) would drown
   (3) will have drowned
   (4) would have drowned

4. _____ Roy was sorry for his misbehaviour, his sister refused to forgive him.
   (1) As
   (2) Since
   (3) Although
   (4) However

5. Susan, _____ parents donated the piano to the school, can sing and dance very well.
   (1) who
   (2) which
   (3) whom
   (4) whose

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6. My cousin from Indonesia _____ with my family since November last year.

(1) is living

(2) had lived

(3) will have lived

(4) has been living

7. Uncle Ahmad prefers running _____ swimming.

(1) to

(2) or

(3) and

(4) than

8. Tommy's mother was amazed that he was able to complete the task _____ such a short period of time.

(1) by

(2) under

(3) within

(4) through

9. After the guests _____, my parents and I cleaned the living room.

(1) has left

(2) had left

(3) will have left

(4) would have left

10. Neither the twins nor their sister _____ willing to participate in the swimming competition next week.

(1) is

(2) are

(3) was

(4) were

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For each question from 11 to 15, shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

11. After our soccer team was leading the match 5-0, the opponents decided to _____ even before the game ended.

(1) jump the gun

(2) get the ball rolling

(3) throw in the towel

(4) break an arm and a leg

12. The brothers _____ with each other because of their disagreement over the family inheritance.

(1) fell off

(2) fell out

(3) fell behind

(4) fell through

13. Dexter was _____ from the competition as he did not abide by the rules and regulations.

(1) excluded

(2) restricted

(3) dismissed

(4) disqualified

14. It is illegal for a driver to hold on to any type of mobile device while driving. This law has been _____ in Singapore since 2015.

(1) applied

(2) enforced

(3) improved

(4) abolished

15. Without hesitation, everyone in the class voted for Sophie to be the Class Monitress this term. It was a/an _____ decision.

(1) uniform

(2) significant

(3) conclusive

(4) unanimous

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For each question from 16 to 20, choose the word(s) closest in meaning to the underlined word(s). Shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

We decided to order our food online one day. Being impatient, my sister was not accustomed to (16) the long waiting time the food took to arrive. Finally, when the food was delivered, she was surprised (17) to learn that the GrabFood delivery personnel, Rosie, was wheelchair-bound.

We chatted with Rosie and learnt that she was born with cerebral palsy. Rosie would routinely (18) wheel herself from the nearby shopping centre to the blocks in my estate. However, the cemented path from the bus stop to my block was not accessible (19) to wheelchair users. My sister did not want Rosie to suffer from the agony (20) of wheeling herself for the delivery job. She donated a motorised wheelchair to her.

Adapted from www.channelnewsasia.com/news/cnainsider/help-wheelchair-delivered-grabfood-rider-roszana-cerebral-palsy-11516050

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16. (1) hooked to
(2) addicted to
(3) familiar with
(4) acquainted with

17. (1) distracted
(2) perplexed
(3) astounded
(4) overwhelmed

18. (1) normally
(2) repeatedly
(3) predictably
(4) consistently

19. (1) available
(2) passable
(3) reachable
(4) approachable

20. (1) anguish
(2) tolerance
(3) challenge
(4) annoyance

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Visual Text Comprehension (8 marks)
Study this poster carefully and then answer questions 21 to 28.

Vertical Marathon 2019

Catch the sunrise!

Start Point

Williams Hotel Level 1 (outside Starry Cafe)



22 December 2019

Start Time: 6.00 am

The categories comprise:

- **Individual Men's Open**
- **Individual Women's Open**
- **Below 18 Challenge**
- **Family & Buddies Challenge**

Note: The minimum age for participation is 12 years old.

Registration Fees

	Early Bird Special (1 August to 31 August)	Regular Rate (1 September to 15 November)
Individual Men's Open	$10 each	$30 each
Individual Women's Open	$10 each	$30 each
Below 18 Challenge	$10 each	$15 each
Family & Buddies Challenge	$20 per team	$40 per team

Note: Registration closes on 15 November 2019. Should the race be cancelled due to bad weather, please note that the registration fee is non-refundable.

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Vertical Marathon 2019

More information about the marathon





Please register at www.vm2019.com.sg. For more information, please call 61234567 or email queries@vm2019.com.sg

The vertical race to test your mental and physical limits is here again! Be one of the first to race up one of Southeast Asia's tallest hotel at the break of dawn. Soaring at a height of 226 metres, Williams Hotel has been the site for Asia's first and most challenging Vertical Marathon since it started in 1987.

Collection of free T-shirt

Date: Saturday, 23 November 2019
Time: 9:30am - 6:30pm
Venue: Williams Hotel (Level 4 Lobby)
3, Williams Road, Singapore 123456

Each participant will receive a free T-shirt and a goodie bag when you register online. Invite your family and friends to blaze up 1,336 steps over 73 storeys in the shortest time possible. Along the way, stay hydrated with isotonic drinks!

The first 100 participants who finish the race at the rooftop of the hotel will:

- get finisher medals
- enjoy complimentary food and drinks at Skylight Restaurant

All participants have up to 45 minutes to complete this challenge.

Organiser:

SG EVENTS INTERNATIONAL
We manage events!

Sponsors:

Hydro
Isotonic Drinks

Skylight
Restaurant

Williams Hotel
Singapore

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For each question from 21 to 28, choose the most appropriate option (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade the correct oval (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (8 marks)

21. The **main** purpose of the Vertical Marathon 2019 is to _____.

(1) promote Williams Hotel

(2) challenge participants to perform their best

(3) enable friends and families to spend time together

(4) encourage participants to catch the sunrise from Williams Hotel

22. According to the poster, one should _____ in order to receive a free T-shirt.

(1) call 61234567

(2) go to Starry Cafe

(3) email queries@vm2019.com.sg

(4) register at www.vm2019.com.sg

23. Mr Lee and his wife, together with their friends, have formed a team and will only sign up for the Family and Buddies Challenge on 14 November 2019. They would have to pay _____.

(1) $10

(2) $30

(3) $40

(4) $60

24. The first 100 participants who complete the race can _____.

(1) get a free T-shirt each

(2) get their registration fee refunded

(3) consume free drinks at Starry Cafe

(4) enjoy free food and drinks at Skylight Restaurant

25. To enjoy the Early Bird Special, one should register by _____.

(1) 1 August 2019

(2) 31 August 2019

(3) 1 September 2019

(4) 15 November 2019

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26. A total time of 45 minutes is set aside for participants to _____.

(1) collect the free T-shirt

(2) complete the challenge

(3) enjoy free isotonic drinks

(4) have enough time to enjoy the sunrise

27. Which one of these statements about the Vertical Marathon 2019 is true?

(1) The marathon will take place in the evening.

(2) All participants will receive a finisher medal each.

(3) The competition starts at Level 4 of Williams Hotel.

(4) If the race is cancelled, the registration fee will not be refunded.

28. The organiser of the Vertical Marathon 2019 is _____.

(1) Williams Hotel

(2) Skylight Restaurant

(3) Hydro Isotonic Drinks

(4) SG Events International

Go on to Booklet B

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 52 questions (Questions 29 to 80).
4. Answer ALL the questions and write all the answers in this booklet.

	Maximum	Marks Obtained
Booklet A	28	
Booklet B	67	
Total	95	

Component	Question Numbers	Marks Obtained
Grammar & Vocabulary	29 -50 66 - 70	
Comprehension Cloze	51 – 65	
Comprehension Open-ended	71 – 80	

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There are 10 blanks, numbered 29 to 38, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to Q) in the blank. The letters (I) and (O) have been omitted to avoid confusion during marking.
(10 marks)

EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.

(A)	about	**(D)**	is	**(G)**	on	**(K)**	to	**(N)** was
(B)	are	**(E)**	most	**(H)**	one	**(L)**	unless	**(P)** were
(C)	in	**(F)**	of	**(J)**	them	**(M)**	when	**(Q)** with

Nomophobia, also known as no-mobile-phone phobia, refers to the severe panic someone struggles with on losing access to one's mobile phone.

In Asia, the birthplace _____ (29) the selfie stick and the emoji, psychologists say mobile phone addiction is _____ (30) the rise. With the addicts getting younger, the symptoms of nomophobia are worrying.

Those who are _____ (31) vulnerable to mobile phone usage in Singapore are children, as young as toddlers. With a population of just six million, it has _____ (32) of the world's highest mobile phone usage.

"Youths lack maturity and self-control, making it harder for _____ (33) to manage mobile phone usage," said the manager of Touch Cyber Wellness Centre in Singapore. He has serious concerns _____ (34) how young children behave nowadays _____ (35) they get a phone. "When mobile phones are made readily available _____ (36) very young children, there are serious consequences when these are taken away from them," he said.

In South Korea, a student has been diagnosed _____ (37) nomophobia. Her worried parents said that when their daughter's mobile phone was taken away, it caused other behavioural problems she _____ (38) facing to be more severe. She has started to retreat from hobbies and school activities.

Adapted from BBC News, 'Asia's mobile phone addiction', Sep 2015

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Each of the underlined words contains either a spelling or grammatical error. Write the correct word in each of the boxes. (12 marks)

(39) ☐

Fear is very useful to us. It is a very important respond to danger. If we do not

(40) ☐

feel fear, we may not be able to protect themselves from real threats. However, we

(41) ☐

sometimes are afraid of sichuations that do not pose any danger. In such instances,

(42) ☐

we will miss experience some of the wonderful things around us.

(43) ☐

We have the natural instincts for self-protection. Our anxious only kicks in when we

(44) ☐ (45) ☐

sense a threat into our life or well-being. Thus, this forces us to ocus over areas

(46) ☐

of our lives which need our attention It also helps us to have a better consentrasion

(47) ☐

on what we do. Seintists have proven that fear can give us "super powers", when we are

(48) ☐

under extrime pressure. For example, weightlifters can lift additional weights in a

(49) ☐

competition, especially when there is an operturiity to clinch a world championship title.

(50) ☐

When we achieve our portensial, the initial fear we had is forgotten. The subconscious brain takes over and pushes us to do our best.

Adapted from Explore Life, June 2018

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Fill in each blank with a suitable word. (15 marks)

On a sweltering day, George and his brother, Mark, were planting new grass in George's garden. The lawn in the garden had become brown _____ (51) patchy which could cause a fire in the heat. The authorities of the estate had threatened to _____ (52) a heavy fine if the situation was not looked into. George and Mark had been _____ (53) the new patches of grass since morning but the job was slow. George, who was in his late sixties, was not feeling right. He went indoors to take a break and suddenly collapsed on the couch, clutching his chest. His wife, Melissa, called the ambulance immediately.

While he was having a heart attack, George had one thing on his _____ (54) his lawn. If the new patches of grass were not planted on the lawn that day, the grass _____ (55) die. "Although he was in excruciating pain, he kept pleading _____ (56) me to have the patches of grass planted because he didn't want _____ (57) to go to waste," Melissa recalled.

Soon, the paramedics _____ (58) and took George and Melissa to the hospital, leaving Mark behind to take care of the garden. After an hour, Mark had only managed to _____ (59) the old grass. He was about to plant the new grass when two emergency vehicles appeared. Four paramedics, the same ones who had attended to his _____ (60) earlier on, got out. George had shared with them how badly he had wanted to plant the new grass patches in his lawn, so they had returned to help. The _____ (61) was completed in less than two hours!

Meanwhile, George had undergone a heart surgery. After he had _____ (62), he had been enjoying his beautiful lawn. He was amazed at _____ (63) new look covered with green patches of grass.

George and Melissa were surprised that those paramedics had gone above and beyond _____ (64) duties to offer help with the lawn. Melissa told the newspaper reporter one day, "These men not only _____ (65) George's life, but also his grass. That's just so awesome."

Adapted from Reader's Digest, Inspiring Stories by Andy Simmons

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For each of the questions 66 to 70, 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). (10 marks)**

66. My family likes to play games more than we like to shop.

My family prefers _____

_____

67. John does not like strawberry cake. His sisters do not like strawberry cake too.

Neither _____

_____

68. Every participant was given some souvenirs at the event.

Some souvenirs _____

_____

69. "Do you know the way to the library?" the tourist asked me.

The tourist asked me _____

_____.

70. Lisa found the ending of the movie disappointing.

_____ with the ending of the movie.

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Read the passage below and answer questions 71 to 80. (20 marks)

It was pitch dark when they headed to their hotel in Bali. Mike had placed his mobile phone on the scooter and was using it to guide them around. As they climbed a hill past a jungle, he glanced down at the Global Positioning System (GPS) and looked back up at the road ahead. Mike tapped the brakes to make the turn. Unfortunately, he did not step on the brake pedals in time.

Some time later, he regained consciousness to the babble of nearby water. He was flat on his back on a steep slope, surrounded by the jungle. He tried to sit up but his body would not cooperate. "What happened?" he wondered. Then, it dawned on him. Bali! He strained to think, but his mind was a fog. "I was in a scooter accident," he thought. That much came back to him now, nothing more. Nothing about slamming into trees, which explained the blood he could taste, and the dull pain all through his body. His glasses were gone. The scooter was gone. He had lost his mobile phone in the wreck. His left wrist was smashed up badly. He could not move his legs. Finally, he remembered his companion. "Stacey! Where are you?" His voice was unusually soft. He had learnt later that one of his lungs had collapsed.

"I'm right here." She was only a few metres away. Mike dragged himself towards her through the darkness until he was beside her. "We were in an accident. Can you move? I need you to get up and walk to get us help."

"I can't," Stacey whimpered. This jolted Mike. No one knew where they were. His back was broken. He was bleeding profusely.

"I'm scared. How would anyone find us?" Stacey said. Mike held onto the root of a tree for balance. At that moment, Mike remembered he had another phone! He felt around in his pocket, and there it was! Carefully, he pulled it out and decided to google the number for the local police. He hoped that whoever answered spoke English. But even if the person did, what would he say? "I've been in an accident, and I'm ... somewhere?" He noticed he had left the Facebook application open on the phone. An idea struck. Taking great care not to let the phone slip from his grip, he opened his status page on which he typed the message, "Help. In danger. Call police." In less than two minutes, Aimee, his friend in Indonesia, saw the post.

At first, Aimee had no idea what to do. What could she do? Where in Bali was he? Then, she remembered that Facebook had a function that allowed one to call his friends. She immediately opened her status page on her Facebook application and gave it a try. To her immense surprise and relief, Mike picked up. **Sometimes, being connected to the online world is not such a bad thing.**

Mike was drifting in and out of consciousness when he heard the sound of the bushes rustling. He tensed up. He was not in a condition to defend himself against any wild animal. He waited anxiously as it approached. Soon, it turned into a murmur, then into voices. A search party!

Nearly four hours after Mike had posted his plea for help on Facebook, Caitlin, his sister, who had been in constant touch with the hospital, posted on her Facebook status page: "UPDATE—BOTH SAFE AND IN THE HOSPITAL!"

Mike's friends from different parts of the world heaved a collective sigh of relief. Their sentiments could be summed up by a post from Jay in America, "Thank you, that's what we all needed to hear."

Adapted from Reader's Digest, Survival Stories by Derek Burnette

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71. Which 2-word phrase in the **first paragraph** tells us that Mike and Stacey could not see well at that time of the day? [1m]

72. List the last two actions **Mike** did just before the accident. [2m]

i. _____

ii. _____

73. Based on the information from lines 12 to 20, fill in the blanks of the following table. [2m]

Mike's body part(s)	**What happened**
left wrist	smashed up
back	i. _____ [1m]
ii. _____ [1m]	collapsed

74. Write 1, 2 and 3 in the blanks below to indicate the order in which the events occurred in the passage. [1m]

_____ Mike held onto the root of a tree.

_____ Mike crawled towards Stacey.

_____ Mike typed a help message on his Facebook.

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75. Look at the table below. What do the words in the left column refer to in the passage? Write your answers in the column on the right. [4m]

Word(s) from the passage	What the word(s) refer(s) to
it (line 2)	
wreck (line 12)	
This (line 19)	
which (line 27)	

76. Based on the story, state whether each statement in the table below is *True or False*, then give one reason why you think so. [3m]

Statement	True / False	Reason
Mike lost both his mobile phones in the accident.		
Mike heard some noises coming from a wild animal.		
Mike did not want to call the local police for help.		

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77. Which sentence tells us that Mike could not speak a foreign language? [1m]

78. 'An idea struck.' (line 26). What does the idea refer to? [2m]

79. Explain why the writer says that 'Sometimes, being connected to the online world is not such a bad thing." (lines 33-34). [2m]

80. From the **last paragraph**, what was it that Mike's friends needed to hear? How do you know? Support your answer with evidence from the passage. [2m]

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Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
3	4	4	3	4	4	1	3	2	1
Q11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
3	2	4	2	4	3	3	1	2	1
Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25	Q26	Q27	Q28		
2	4	3	4	2	2	4	4		

Q29. F
Q30. G
Q31. E
Q32. H
Q33. J
Q34. A
Q35. M
Q36. K
Q37. Q
Q38. N
Q39. response
Q40. ourselves
Q41. situations
Q42. experiencing
Q43. anxiety
Q44. to
Q45. on
Q46. Concentration
Q47. Scientists
Q48. extreme
Q49. opportunity
Q50. Potential
Q51. and
Q52. charge
Q53. planting
Q54. mind
Q55. would
Q56. with
Q57. them
Q58. arrived
Q59. uproot

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Q60. brother
Q61. task
Q62. recovered
Q63. the
Q64. their
Q65. saved
Q66. My family prefers playing games to shopping.
Q67. Neither John nor his sisters like strawberry cake.
Q68. Some souvenirs were give to every participants the event.
Q69. The tourist asked me if I knew the way to the library.
Q70. Lisa was disappointed with the ending of the movie.
Q71. pitch dark
Q72. (i) He looked at the road.
(ii) He tapped the brakes to make the turn.
Q73. (i) broken
(ii) one of his lungs
Q74. 2, 1 ,3
Q75.

it (line 2)	Mike's mobile phone
wreck (line 12)	Mike's scooter
This (line 19)	Stacey saying she could not move
which (line 27)	Mike's status page on Facebook

Q76.

False	He ha another mobile phone which he used to type a message on.
False	The noises were coming fro a search party as it turned into murmurs then voices.
False	He wanted to call the local police for help however, he did not know what to tell the police about his location.

Q77. He hoped that whoever answered spoke English.
Q78. It refers to mike asking for help on his Facebook status page.
Q79. Aimee in Indonesia was able to know that Mike was in trouble from his Facebook post, thus she could get a search party to rescue Mike and Stacey.
Q80. They wanted to know if Mike and Stacey had been rescued. They were relieved to know that both of them were in the hospital.

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