ROSYTH SCHOOL
END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION 2022
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2
PRIMARY 5

Name: _____

Class: Pr 5_

Register No. _____

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Date: 26 October 2022

Parent's Signature: ____

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

BOOKLET A

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS:

1. Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.
2. Follow all instructions carefully.
3. Answer all questions.
4. Use a 2B pencil to shade your answers on the Optical Answer Sheet (OAS).

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

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For each question from 1 to 10, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet. (10 marks)

1 The snake was caught by the zookeeper and _____ to the zoo.

(1) take
(2) took
(3) takes
(4) taken

2 The girl had _____ a long distance before reaching the shore.

(1) swim
(2) swam
(3) swum
(4) swimming

3 The teacher instructed the children to behave _____ when she was not in the classroom.

(1) herself
(2) ourselves
(3) yourselves
(4) themselves

4 Leon always likes to make a big fuss _____ small issues. As such, his friends do not like to be with him.

(1) on
(2) over
(3) across
(4) around

5 Neither John nor his brothers _____ where the key is. As such, they have to break open the lock.

(1) know
(2) knew
(3) knows
(4) will know

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6 He would have been on time for the interview if he _____ the house at 9 a.m.

(1) left
(2) leaves
(3) has left
(4) had left

7 The boy _____ wallet was lost came to the General Office to look for it.

(1) who
(2) which
(3) whom
(4) whose

8 The students will not be able to complete the project _____ the teacher helps them.

(1) since
(2) unless
(3) except
(4) because

9 Rita, together with her friends, _____ badminton at this Sports Hall every Sunday.

(1) play
(2) plays
(3) played
(4) have played

10 Nick _____ at the letter for almost an hour. I wonder what is wrong.

(1) stared
(2) is staring
(3) has been staring
(4) had been staring

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For each question from 11 to 15, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

11 Mother _____ Meiling's request for a toy as she had done well for her examination.

(1) granted
(2) allowed
(3) conceded
(4) appreciated

12 The police _____ the area for clues to help them solve the case.

(1) sorted
(2) combed
(3) examined
(4) ransacked

13 Father often narrates to us interesting _____ inspired by various aspects of people's lives.

(1) anecdotes
(2) illustrations
(3) commentaries
(4) documentaries

14 Siti is an _____ reader. She loves reading different genres of books that she can get hold of.

(1) avid
(2) eager
(3) engaged
(4) addictive

15 Bala decided to _____ his daily expenditure so as to save up to buy his favourite soccer jersey.

(1) cut in
(2) cut off
(3) cut out
(4) cut back

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

Researchers found that children's well-being improves when they participate in after-school activities. They emphasised (16) the need to encourage children to participate in activities other than spending time on digital devices. Whether it is sports practice or music lesson, children are more likely to feel happier and healthier than those who are engrossed (17) in playing video games.

Although excessive screen time may be appealing (18) to children, there are disadvantages. Children are not only deprived of physical activities, but they also lack human interactions with one another. Parents should follow (19) researchers' advice to spend more time with their children and figure out (20) ways to encourage them to get involved in a variety of activities that will keep them away from computers and mobile devices. This will help raise a happier and healthier child.

Adapted from kidsnews.com.au

16 (1) identified
(2) indicated
(3) publicised
(4) highlighted

17 (1) trapped
(2) involved
(3) absorbed
(4) entangled

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18 (1) inviting
(2) gripping
(3) breathtaking
(4) mesmerising

19 (1) heed
(2) imitate
(3) observe
(4) understand

20 (1) find
(2) crack
(3) gather
(4) deduce

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Visual Text Comprehension

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

ALL-ABOUT-ENGLISH

DECEMBER HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS 2022

This is the chance for you to enrich yourselves with a series of workshops lined up for you!

To register: Sign up at our website at allaboutenglish.com.sg.
How to make payment: Cash and cheque payments are accepted. All cash payments must be made personally at our enrichment centre.
Registration period: 1 November to 30 November 2022, 10a.m. to 5p.m.

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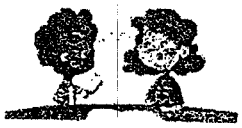
Sign up before 15 November 2022 to enjoy a 15% discount*.

Free goodie bags will be given if you sign up with a friend before 15 November 2022.

English for Conversations

This workshop will help students improve their pronunciation in spoken English.

Age: 14 - 16
Duration: 2 hours x 8 sessions
Date: 5 December to 20 December 2022
Venue: Venus Studio
Fee: $180



Creative Writing

This workshop will help students to boost their creativity and confidence in writing.

Age: 7- 10
Duration: 1.5 hours x 4 sessions
Date: 1 December to 20 December 2022
Venue: Pluto Studio
Fee: $200



*For Creative Writing Workshops only

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Fix-Your-Grammar Workshop

This workshop will review grammar topics and students will participate in activities to identify and correct their grammar in writing.

Age: 6 – 12
Duration: 1 hour x 8 sessions
Date: 1 December to 30 December 2022
Venue: Jupiter Studio
Fee: $300



Reading Strategies Workshop

Students will learn effective reading strategies such as annotating and note-taking which will help them improve their reading and comprehension.

Age: 8 – 15
Duration: 1.5 hour x 5 sessions
Date: 10 December to 28 December 2022
Venue: Neptune Studio
Fee: $250



What our participants said about *All-About-English Workshops 2021*:

"I used to dislike grammar as I thought it was boring and difficult. After attending the 'Fix-Your-Grammar' Workshop, I realised that learning grammar is not that hard after all! The lessons were fun! I want to be an English teacher when I grow up! I will introduce this workshop to my friends."

10-year-old Alyssa

"When I first signed up my children for the workshops, I thought my children would not be able to appreciate learning English Language. I was worried that the teacher would not be able to make the lessons interesting. I was proven wrong. My children told me there were many activities in the workshops which they had enjoyed. Also, the teacher who taught them used the Internet to engage them. They shared that the workshops had helped improve their communication!

Mrs Geraldine Tan, mother of two

For further enquiries about the workshops, call our hotline at 6222 3333 or email our friendly consultants at inquiry@allaboutenglish.com. Do check our website for further updates and promotions.

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For each question from 21 to 28, four options are given. One of them is the correct answer. Make your choice (1, 2, 3 or 4) and shade your answer on the Optical Answer Sheet.

(8 marks)

21 *The All-About-English Holiday Workshops* aim to _____.

(1) improve students' use of English language
(2) showcase students' creativity through writing
(3) raise awareness about the importance of grammar
(4) motivate students to improve their reading comprehension

22 To register for the workshops, parents should _____.

(1) call the hotline
(2) visit their website
(3) go to the enrichment centre
(4) email the friendly consultants

23 Marcus wants to improve on his note-taking skills and pronunciation. Which workshops can he join?

(1) Creative Writing and Fix-Your-Grammar workshops
(2) Fix-Your-Grammar and Reading Strategies workshops
(3) Creative Writing and English for Conversations workshops
(4) Reading Strategies and English for Conversations workshops

24 Mrs Yap intends to register her two sons for one of the workshops. She wants them to attend the same workshop. One of them is 11 years old and the other is 14 years old. Which workshop can she register for?

(1) Creative Writing workshop
(2) Fix-Your-Grammar workshop
(3) Reading Strategies workshop
(4) English for Conversation workshop

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25 To enjoy the early-bird discount, one has to register _____.

(1) between 1 November and 14 November 2022
(2) between 1 November and 30 November 2022
(3) between 1 December and 30 December 2022
(4) between 1 December and 20 December 2022

26 According to the flyer, Alyssa _____.

(1) attended the Creative Writing workshop
(2) wants to introduce the workshop to her siblings
(3) hopes to be an English teacher when she grows up
(4) liked learning grammar before attending the workshop

27 Mrs Geraldine Tan "was proven wrong" because _____.

(1) there were very few enjoyable activities
(2) her children did not enjoy the workshops
(3) the teacher could not engage the students
(4) the workshops had improved her children's communication skills

28 Which of the following statements is true?

(1) Only cash payment will be accepted by the enrichment centre.
(2) The workshops cater to students aged between 6 years old and 15 years old only.
(3) Students who sign up for the workshop anytime will be entitled to a 15% discount.
(4) Students will receive a free goodie bag when they sign up for any workshop with a friend before 15 November 2022.

(Go on to Booklet B)

Please note that the passage for Comprehension questions 71 to 80 is on the next page. You may now go on to Booklet B.

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

Tom owned a pet shop. A dog in his shop had just given birth to a litter of puppies. He had to quickly sell the puppies so that he could go for a holiday. Therefore, he created a poster to advertise them. Before that, he took a few photographs of the puppies for display. While he was taping the poster onto the front door of his shop, he felt a tug on his pants. He looked down into the eyes of a little girl.

"Mister," she said, "I want to buy one of your puppies."

Tom scanned the area for the little girl's parents but they were nowhere to be seen. He **doubted the girl could pay for the puppies**. She looked too young to be bringing so much money around. "Well," replied Tom, as he rubbed the back of his neck, "they come from a fine breed. Are you sure you can afford one of it?"

Disappointed, the girl dropped her head for a moment. Then, reaching deep into her pocket, she pulled out a handful of coins. "Are these enough for me to at least take a look at the puppies? I really want one. Will you please help me?" she asked in a tone that he could not ignore. Her eyes were watery as she continued looking earnestly at him.

Tom sighed. Not wanting to let the girl down, he brought her to the room where the puppies were. The room had huge windows for people to view the animals. Upon seeing the girl, the mother dog barked. Unaffected by **the sudden reaction**, the girl pressed her face against the window that separated her from the puppies. As the puppies made their way to the window, she noticed something stirring at the back of the room. Out of curiosity, she squinted to take a closer look.

Soon, she saw another fur ball wobbling towards the window. This one was noticeably smaller and it was doing its best to catch up with the rest. Her eyes suddenly danced with delight. "I want that one," the girl cried, pointing to the smallest puppy. "Why isn't it advertised like the others in the poster?"

"Well, that's because the puppy isn't for sale. It's the smallest and weakest of the litter. Trust me. You wouldn't want that one. It won't be any fun," Tom answered.

What happened next caught Tom off guard. The girl stepped back from the window, reached down and began rolling up one of her leg pants. In doing so, she revealed a steel brace running down her leg that was attached to a specially made shoe. Looking back up at Tom, she said, "You see, Sir. I don't run too well myself. That puppy will need someone who understands. Trust me. I know."

Tom could suddenly feel his cheeks burning. He was quick to judge that no one would want a weak puppy and he had not considered the girl's feelings. He went into the room and picked up the little puppy. Holding it carefully, he then came out and handed it to the girl.

"How much?" chirped the girl.

"Nothing," answered Tom, "You are right. What this puppy needs most is love and understanding and there is no charge for that. This puppy will be in good hands."

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

BOOKLET B

Instructions to Students:

1. Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.
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4. Use a dark blue or black ballpoint pen to write your answers in the space provided for each question.
5. Do not use correction liquid/tape or highlighters.

	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	

* This booklet consists of 9 pages altogether (including cover page).

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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)	by	(D)	have	(G)	into	(K)	of	(N) this
(B)	even	(E)	his	(H)	is	(L)	only	(P) who
(C)	has	(F)	in	(J)	its	(M)	that	(Q) whom

Every year, World Laughter Day is celebrated worldwide on the first Sunday in May. The event aims to raise awareness about the importance _____ (29) laughter. _____ (30) year, World Laughter Day was celebrated on 1 May 2022.

Laughter _____ (31) considered to be the best medicine as it has many positive benefits. Studies so far _____ (32) shown that laughter can help relieve pain, bring about greater happiness and _____ (33) increase immunity. Furthermore, anyone can have access to it.

World Laughter Day came _____ (34) existence on 10 May 1998. The day was created by Dr Madan Kataria _____ (35) is a family doctor in India. He is also the founder of the Laughter Yoga Movement. The Laughter Yoga Movement was inspired _____ (36) the study of facial expressions. This study suggests _____ (37) an individual's facial expressions can influence his or her feelings.

The day was first celebrated in 70 countries. Soon after, _____ (38) popularity increased. Now, over 105 countries have begun celebrating the day.

Adapted from https://www.firstpost.com/ world-laughter-day

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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)

An elephant calf was rescued at the Royal Hills golf course in Thailand. The (39) [ ] calf and its mother <u>are</u> travelling through the nearby jungle when the calf fell into (40) [ ] a drainage hole. The calf had <u>difikulti</u> getting out of the pit as it was steep. A (41) [ ] passer-by discovered the elephants and <u>quick</u> alerted the National Park rangers.

(42) [ ] Unfortunately, <u>a</u> incident happened during the rescue operation. According to (43) [ ] Dr Chananya, a <u>vatereenarian</u> at the National Park, it was almost <u>imposibel</u> to get (44) [ ] near the calf while its mother was nearby. Hence, the rescue team decided to tranquilise the mother. However, she had moved towards her calf before passing (45) [ ] out, <u>caused</u> her to fall into the hole.

(46) [ ] The team pulled out the mother elephant which was <u>unkonshious</u> with the (47) [ ] help of a digger. It was treated and its condition soon <u>improovd</u>. Eventually, the (48) [ ] (49) [ ] calf was also rescued <u>by</u> the hole and reunited with its mother. Park <u>athoritees</u> (50) [ ] confirmed that the pair had safely <u>return</u> to the jungle. Dr Chananya said that it was one of the most memorable rescues he had done.

Adapted from https://www.channelnewsasia.com

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

A smart home is a home that uses internet-connected devices to control appliances such as lighting, air-conditioners and locks. When speaking _____ (51) smart homes, the typical comments will be, "Aren't you being lazy? It doesn't take you _____ (52) time and effort to press a simple switch." _____ (53), smart homes are not all about doing less work. They also help to _____ (54) energy and make your home more secure.

In fact, the technology used in smart homes can cater _____ (55) the needs of everyone in the house – children, elderly, people with disabilities or even pets! For example, it can help to turn the lights on and off _____ (56) movement is detected. A three-year-old child who is not _____ (57) enough to reach the light switch can enter a dark room without his parents' help as the light will automatically turn on by _____ (58). It will then turn off once he _____ (59) the room, thereby saving energy. An elderly person on a wheelchair can also turn on and off many appliances in the home using his smartphone instead of asking for _____ (60)

Imagine you are on the way home as your friend is _____ (61) over for dinner. Suddenly, your friend texts that he has _____ (62) at your doorstep. Instead of rushing home, you can _____ (63) your door using your smartphone so that he can enter first. You can also use your smartphone to _____ (64) on the air-conditioner to make it more comfortable for him.

Smart homes are here to bring greater convenience to our _____ (65). It might take some time for the homeowner to learn how to control the appliances. Once you do, it is easy to use.

Adapted from https://homesmart.sg

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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. That lady is my neighbour. She is wearing a scarf.

_____ who

_____

67. Tom prefers cooking to eating at a restaurant.

_____ would rather

_____

68. "Finish your homework by this afternoon," Mother told me.

Mother told _____

_____

69. Josh did not know how to fix the computer. He took it to a shop.

Not _____

_____

70. Ahmad has returned the wallet to its owner.

_____

_____ by Ahmad.

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Read the passage on page 11 of Booklet A and answer questions 71 to 80. (20 marks)

71. What did Tom do to try to sell the litter of puppies? [1m]

_____

_____

72. From lines 1 to 12, 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
a) Tom could slowly take his time to sell the puppies.		
b) The girl interrupted Tom when he was busy.		
c) The girl only intended to look at the puppies.		

73. In line 9, Tom "doubted the girl could pay for the puppies". Explain why Tom thought so. [2m]

_____

_____

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74. 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. [3m]

Word(s) from the passage	What the word(s) refers to
a) they (line 11)	
b) these (line 14)	
c) the sudden reaction (lines 20-21)	

75. Based on the information from lines 18-24, fill in the table below. [2m]

Cause	Effect
Tom did not want to disappoint the girl.	a)
b)	**The girl took a closer look.**

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

_____ Tom gave the puppy to the little girl.

_____ Tom looked around for the little girl's parents.

_____ Tom took a few pictures of the puppies.

77. Which **two** of the following words best describe how the girl felt in lines 18-28? Put a tick √ in the box beside each of your answers. [2m]

DO NOT TICK MORE THAN TWO BOXES.

curious	☐	afraid	☐
relieved	☐	happy	☐
frustrated	☐	disappointed	☐

78. From lines 29-36, pick out a four-word phrase that tells us that Tom did not expect the girl to have a medical condition. [1m]

79. What quality did the girl display when Tom told her the puppy was not for sale. Support your answer with evidence from lines 32 to 36. [2m]

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80. "Tom could suddenly feel his cheeks burning" (line 37).

a) How did Tom feel? [1m]

_____

_____

b) Explain clearly why he felt that way. [2m]

_____

_____

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End of Year Examinations

Booklet A

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

Booklet B

Q29	K	Q30	N	Q31	H	Q32	D	Q33	B
Q34	G	Q35	P	Q36	A	Q37	M	Q38	J

Q39	were	Q40	difficulty	Q41	quickly	Q42	an
Q43	veterinarian	Q44	impossible	Q45	causing	Q46	unconscious
Q47	improved	Q48	from	Q49	authorities	Q50	returned

Q51	about	Q52	much	Q53	Indeed	Q54	conserve
Q55	for	Q56	whenever	Q57	tall	Q58	itself
Q59	exits	Q60	help	Q61	coming	Q62	arrived
Q63	unlock	Q64	switch	Q65	lifestyle		

Q66	That lady who is wwearing a scarf is my neighbour.
Q67	Tom would rather cook instead of eating at a restaurant.
Q68	Mother told me to finish my homework by that afternoon.
Q69	Not knowing how to fix the computer, Josh took it to a shop.
Q70	The wallet has been returned to its owner by Ahmad.

Q71	Tom took a few photographs of the puppies and created a poster to advertise them.	
Q72	(a) False	Tom had to quickly sell the puppies so that he could go for a holiday.

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	(b) True	When tom was taping the poster to the front door of his shop, the girl tugged on his pants.
	(c) False	The girl wanted to buy a puppy.
Q73	Tom could not find the girl's parents and she was too young to be bringing so much money around.	
Q74	(a) the litter of puppies on sales (b) handful of coins from the girl (c) The mother dog barking upon seeing the girl	
Q75	(a) Tom brought the girl to the room where the puppies were. (b) The girl noticed something stirring at the back of the room.	
Q76	3 2 1	
Q77	Tick : curious, happy	
Q78	caught Tom off guard	
Q79	The girl displayed determination as she showed Tom the steel brace that supported her leg.	
Q80	(a) Tom felt embarassed. (b) Tom was quick to judge that no one would want a weak puppy and had not considered the girl's feelings.	

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