2022 PRIMARY 5 END-OF-YEAR EXAMINATION

Name: _____ ( ) Date: 26 October 2022

Class: Primary 5 ( ) Time: 8.00 a.m. – 9.50 a.m.

Total Time for Booklets A and B: 1 hour 50 minutes

Parent's signature: _____

ENGLISH LANGUAGE
PAPER 2
(BOOKLET A)

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

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

Booklet A	28
Booklet B	67
Total	95

This booklet consists of 10 pages.

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

1. Our team of athletes is unfit, so we should consider _____ our exercise routine to improve their stamina.

   (1) change
   (2) changes
   (3) changed
   (4) changing

(4) much

3. Despite Mother's many reminders, Jane has not _____ up the party decorations yet.

   (1) hang
   (2) hung
   (3) hanged
   (4) hanging

4. While Jane _____ the storeroom, she found her grandmother's wedding dress.

   (1) cleaned
   (2) had cleaned
   (3) was cleaning
   (4) were cleaning

5. If I _____ that you needed pencils, I would have bought you some from the bookstore.

   (1) know
   (2) knew
   (3) knows
   (4) had known

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6. My best friend _____ how to play the piano since he was five years old.

(1) learns
(2) has learnt
(3) is learning
(4) has been learning

7. When you have a good grasp _____ the Science concepts, you will be able to answer the test questions.

(1) at
(2) in
(3) of
(4) for

8. The librarian will help the students _____ they have trouble finding the books.

(1) will
(2) shall
(3) ought
(4) should

9. Jason wanted to play in the football match. _____, his knee injury prevented him from doing so.

(1) However
(2) Otherwise
(3) Furthermore
(4) Consequently

10. Your daughter hardly helps to complete the household chores, _____ she?

(1) has
(2) does
(3) hasn't
(4) doesn't

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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) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

11. The movements of the snake in the tree alarmed the squirrel and it quickly _____ away.

(1) scuttled
(2) marched
(3) sauntered
(4) wandered

12. Littering problems in the school were successfully _____ after the assembly talk by the discipline committee.

(1) hit below the belt
(2) nipped in the bud
(3) given the cold shoulder
(4) struck while the iron was hot

13. Our school's Green Activists shared how an increase in energy _____ was harmful to the earth.

(1) connection
(2) contraction
(3) consumption
(4) conservation

14. My little sister thanked our grandparents _____ for the birthday present.

(1) profusely
(2) generously
(3) supportively
(4) conscientiously

15. Siti never _____ from an argument when she knows that she is right.

(1) backs up
(2) backs off
(3) backs out
(4) backs down

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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)

I was delirious with joy. It was the first time I was at the National Education Show with my schoolmates. I was spellbound (16) by the elaborate decorations and colourful lights on the stage.

Suddenly, I noticed a group of students flailing (17) their hands in the air as if trying to capture someone's attention. It was then that I realised that they were frantically (18) calling out my name. I had been so absorbed by the sights and sounds around me that I had followed another school to their seats. Sheepishly, I rejoined my class. Other than a glare from my form teacher, I was extremely relieved to have escaped a scolding by the skin of my teeth (19).

As we waited impatiently for the grand show to begin, anticipation (20) filled the air. The event was so enchanting that I could not take my eyes off the stage. It was indeed an extremely memorable experience for me.

16. (3) directed

17. (1) waving

18. (4) energetically

19. (2) narrowly

20. (4) amazement

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Study this brochure carefully and then answer questions 21 to 28.

Visit To Green Ark Fish Farm

28 Krenje Road
Singapore 228822

WHAT?

Green Ark Community Club is organising group tours to Green Ark Fish Farm

WHEN?

5, 12 and 19 November

Time	Itinerary
10.00 am	Meet at the farm entrance
10.15 am	Guided tour of the Vertical Fish Farm
11.15 am	Enjoy the farm activities on your own
1.00 pm	Meet at Seafood Delight Café for a delicious lunch

Cost: $40 per person

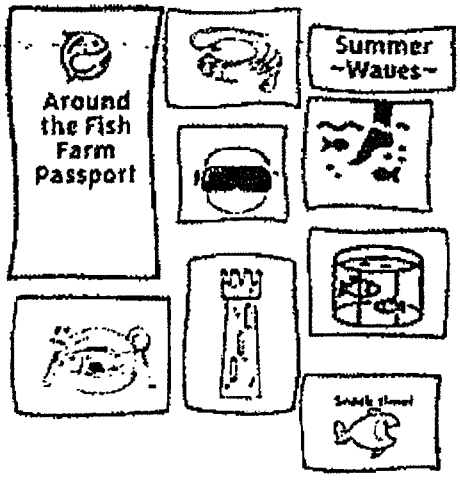
Group Size: Max 25 people

Book early to guarantee a place!

Registration, payment and enquiries at www.greenarkcc.com.sg.

Special activity for children aged 12 and below

- Collect your exclusive 'Around the Fish Farm Passport' at the entrance.
- Complete a task at each station and earn a stamp for your passport.
- Redeem a token at the souvenir shop after collecting all 8 stamps
- Show your completed passport at Seafood Delight Café to receive a complimentary dessert!

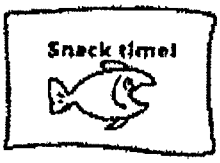


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Activity Map of Green Ark Fish Farm



Vertical Fish Farm
Singapore's first eight-storey vertical fish farm, housing high-tech fish rearing equipment. It can rear six times more fish than traditional fish farms!



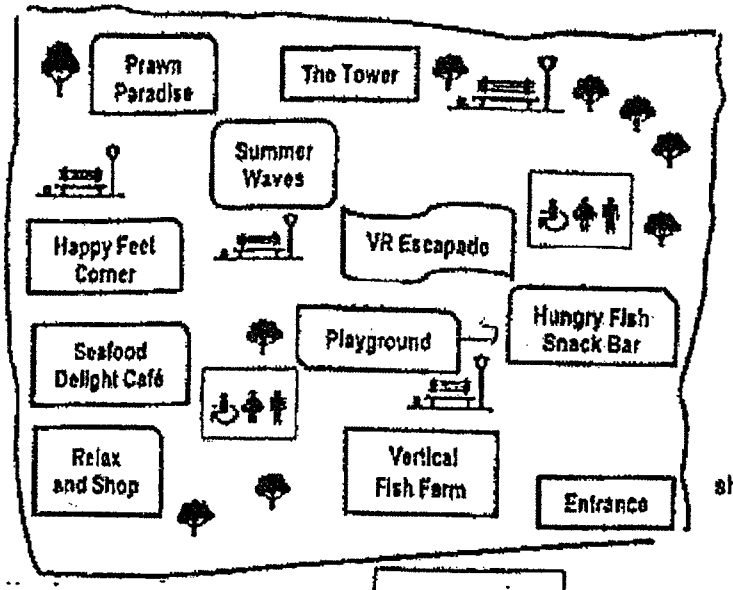
Hungry Fish Snack Bar
Feed our hungry fish in the outdoor pond with our special fish pellets, priced at $2 per packet.



The Tower
Take in panoramic views in the open from the highest point in the farm. Take photos to remember your day!

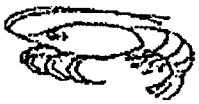


Participate in open-air water-based activities here!





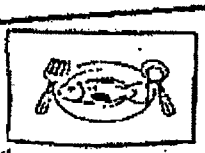
VR Escapade
Love kayaking but hate the sun? Fret not! Our virtual reality (VR) experience will take you on an exciting kayaking trip along the Mekong River.



Prawn Paradise
Rain or shine, catch your prawns in our sheltered pond and grill them on the spot!



Relax and Shop
Buy a special gift for your friends and family from our souvenir shop.



Seafood Delight Café
Enjoy local cuisine in the great outdoors! Savour delectable dishes prepared using the freshest fish from our farm by our international chefs.



Happy Feet Corner
Tired feet? Enjoy having fish nibbling at your feet? Try our relaxing fish therapy for your feet in air-conditioned comfort.



Dos and Don'ts at the farm:

- Cycling within the park is strictly prohibited.
- No feeding of the fish except at the designated place.
- Pets must be on their leash when they enter the farm.
- All open air attractions and restaurants will be closed in the event of inclement weather.

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(8 marks)

21. Why are the words 'WHAT' and 'WHEN' capitalised?

(1) to organise the ideas on the page
(2) to make the brochure more eye-catching
(3) to draw attention to the information about the tour
(4) to emphasise that the tour is open to people of all ages

22. Which statement below about the meal served at the end of the tour is false?

(1) The fish served are locally reared.
(2) Participants can grill the prawns themselves.
(3) The meal will be served at Seafood Delight Café.
(4) The food is prepared by chefs from different parts of the world.

23. Mabel plans to join the tour. She will be assured of a place if she _____.

(1) pays $40 at the community club
(2) makes a payment on 19 November
(3) visits the website to make an enquiry
(4) registers before the places are filled up

24. The special activity on page 6 refers to _____.

(1) receiving a free dessert
(2) picking up the passport at the entrance
(3) redeeming a token with the eight stamps
(4) doing an activity at each of the stations to win a prize

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25. According to the brochure, which of the following is prohibited at all times at the farm?

(1) riding a bicycle
(2) walking your dog on a leash
(3) entering the park on rainy days
(4) taking photographs at the stations

26. Sumei has just completed her tour at Vertical Fish Farm and she is facing the playground. Which of the following is true?

(1) The nearest toilet to her is next to VR Escapade.
(2) She has to pass The Tower to get to Happy Feet Corner.
(3) The Hungry Fish Snack Bar is not too far away to her right.
(4) She will find the Summer Waves further from her than the Prawn Paradise.

27. If it is raining, which of the following places will still be open?

(1) Prawn Paradise
(2) Summer Waves
(3) Seafood Delight Café
(4) Hungry Fish Snack Bar

28. What is the main purpose of this brochure?

(1) to advertise the dining options available
(2) to encourage the public to visit the fish farm
(3) to show readers how to get around on the fish farm
(4) to arouse readers' curiosity about vertical fish farming

- End of Booklet A -

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

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Refer to the passage below when you answer questions 71 to 80 in Booklet B.

Henry was an avid hiker with many years of hiking experience. Once, he was climbing Mount Anna with his mother. It was only after a lot of coaxing that she had relented to do so. "The view had better be worth it," she told her son.

Knowing that the trails were unpredictable, Henry reminded his mother, "We've to stay a good distance away from the edges and be extra careful while walking up the steep, slippery slope. Take your time. Walk slowly." Then, he went ahead, strolling up the mountain where he observed a few other hikers walking past him. Like him, they seemed eager to reach the so that they could take in the splendid view. Amongst them was a lady chattering animatedly beside her. Her bright pink tracksuit caught Henry's initial attention. , she was moving speedily away from the main path and peering over the edge of the mountain. Henry wondered if that was a good thing to do. It had rained the previous night and the ground was still wet. "Watch it!" Henry heard the man telling the lady.

When Henry's mother finally caught up with him, the duo continued with their journey. Suddenly, he heard a piercing scream. "Paula! Paula! Someone please help!" A man was yelling hysterically. His mother froze in her tracks while Henry spun around. The woman in pink was nowhere to be seen. Henry feared the worst. Had she fallen off? The same man was kneeling by the edge of the mountain, wailing for help. Several hikers heard the commotion and ran over to assist. As there were already many individuals who had gone to woman's aid, Henry and his mother continued with their hike up the mountain.

Meanwhile, the rescuers immediately started a search, but their view was blocked by trees. Henry told his mother, "I hate to say this, but it's going to be tough to locate the hiker who might have fallen amongst the dense foliage." His mother turned pale.

"We must save her, Son," she pleaded, clasping her hands.

Henry's conscience pricked him. He knew what he had to do. Turning to his mother, he said earnestly, "Mum, I'm going to join in the search. Think you are brave enough to retrace your steps carefully down the mountain?" His mother smiled and gave him a thumbs-up. Looking at her son with admiration, she then waved her hand and gestured for her son to do what he had to.

Quickly, Henry joined the group of hikers who was searching for Paula. After a few minutes of scrambling over boulders, pushing past prickly bushes, and slipping down patches of loose dirt, Henry spotted a familiar-looking figure dressed in pink, slumped on a ledge. From where he was, Henry could see her signalling for help.

Miraculously, she was alive after slipping down the slope. Henry called an ambulance immediately. As much as she tried to keep still, Paula began to slide downwards. Every time she she slid a little more. Henry's heart was in his mouth. Risking his life, he on all fours down a narrow path until he was right next to her.

Paula was clutching her right knee and groaning in pain. Henry suspected that she might have suffered a leg fracture. Therefore, very gently, he held her hand and kept her mind off the pain by engaging in a casual conversation with her till help came. As she was stretchered away, her companion, the man who had been hiking with Paula, saluted the hero of the day.

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5. Write all your answers in this booklet.

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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) all	(D) but	(G) nothing	(K) over	(N) was
(B) and	(E) in	(H) of	(L) thus	(P) were
(C) anything	(F) into	(J) on	(M) to	(Q) with

Singapore has come a long way since it started out as a fishing village. More than fifty years ago, the island _____ (29) dirty and polluted, lacked proper toilets and many of the villagers lived in overcrowded huts. It was _____ (30) but a small country where everyone faced a lot of problems. Neighbouring countries thought that Singapore could not provide its people with proper housing, much less survive _____ (31) its own after separating from Malaysia.

Despite this difficult _____ (32) challenging situation, Singapore's team _____ (33) capable leaders worked hard to build a better home for all Singaporeans. They believed that Singapore could be transformed _____ (34) a clean and green city. In addition, they believed that _____ (35) Singaporeans should own a home of their own. _____ (36), no Singaporean would be left behind as all citizens would have a roof _____ (37) their heads.

Today, this vision has become a reality and Singapore is now a city _____ (38) world-class facilities and beautiful parks. Singapore is popularly known as a "City in a Garden"

Adapted from: https://www.cirad.org/en/horizons/

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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)

Dear Jamie,

How are you? I've missed you so much ever since you moved to Thailand with your

(39) [ ]

family. Do you remember how we use to race in our toy cars? I'm excited to tell you

(40) [ ]

about an upcoming special race which you may be interested in. Holding annually,

(41) [ ]

this car race was a huge success last year. Aparrantly, it has earned a reputation

(42) [ ]

as been one of the most dramatic races in the world! The race is held on public

(43) [ ] (44) [ ]

roads whose are located within a fixed area. I hope my disciptions have excited

(45) [ ]

you. As it will be avallable for viewing online, we can watch it "together" even though

(46) [ ]

we are miles apart! By the way, the areas around the track can acomodate more

(47) [ ]

than 80 000 spectators! Did you know that nummeraus visitors travel here just to

(48) [ ]

watching the race?

(49) [ ]

Moreover, this race is saw as one of the most thrilling on the sports

(50) [ ]

kalender and I'm looking forward to it. I feel so excited about the event! Can't wait

to watch it "together" with you!

Your best friend,

Kai An

https://sforiga.com/singapore-the-first-night-time-event-in-f1-history

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

Ramu was exhilarated. Teachers' Day was just around the corner. As a student leader, he had been tasked by the teacher in charge to ensure that the event would turn _____ well. Every day after school, he and a few other student leaders stayed behind to _____ for ideas. Some lower primary students had been rehearsing in _____ as they wanted to surprise their teachers. They would be singing an inspirational _____. On the other hand, the _____ primary students had prepared a wide _____ of interesting concert items (56) ranging from solo performances to a magic show. These had been specially selected as Ramu and the student leaders felt that they _____ show everyone's gratitude and _____ of the teachers who worked so hard all year. (58)

Planning the concert was certainly a brand-new experience for Ramu. Glad to be given the _____ to learn beyond textbooks, Ramu knew he would cherish (59) the time and involvement in this meaningful project. As he reflected on the intense and hectic preparation, Ramu had no _____. In fact, he beamed as he _____ how the absent-minded magician had _____ the flowers (61) (62) during the final rehearsal. This led to a frantic search but _____ was well (63) when his lovely assistants found _____. Ramu remembered how there had (64) been a collective sigh of _____ from the student leaders backstage. With all (65) the careful planning, Ramu hoped that the teachers would enjoy the celebration

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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. I do not like travelling alone. My father also does not like travelling alone.

Neither _____

nor _____

67. Mr Ali threw his beautiful wife a birthday party.

A birthday party _____

_____

68. Billy stood up to the big bully courageously.

With _____

_____

69. Mrs Tan asked me, "When did you submit your homework?"

Mrs Tan asked _____

_____

70. My sister confided in the teacher. The teacher gave her very good advice.

The teacher, whom _____

_____

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

71. State two safety measures that Henry and his mother took to keep themselves safe during the hike. [2m]

(1) _____

(2) _____

72. What was the first thing that Henry noticed about Paula? [1m]

_____

73. Look at the table below. What do the word(s) 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) that (line 11)	
b) journey (line 15)	
c) the worst (line 17)	

74. Which five-word phrase from paragraph 3 tells you that Henry's mother was not a regular hiker? [1m]

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75. Which **three** of the following words **best** describe how Henry's mother felt in paragraph 6? Put a tick √ in the box beside each of your answers. [3m]

anxious		petrified	
confident		pleased	
guilty		proud	

76. State whether each statement in the table below is true or false, then give one reason why you think so. [2m]

	True / False	Reason
Henry's mother was reluctant to go hiking with her son at first.		
Henry decided to save Paula only after his mother assured him that she would be fine descending the mountain herself.		

77. When Henry found Paula, what were the problems she faced and how did Henry help her with those problems? [4m]

Paula's problems	How Henry helped Paula with the problems
a)	
b)	

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

_____ Henry continued with the hike when he heard the cry for help.

_____ Henry met a few like-minded hikers along the hike.

_____ Henry went ahead of his mother along the trail.

79. Circle **one** word that **best** describes the tone Paula's companion would have used in line 12. DO NOT CIRCLE MORE THAN ONE WORD. [1m]

angry / demanding / persuasive / warning

80. What did Paula's companion compare Henry to? Do you think he was deserving of this comparison? Give **a reason** to support your answer. [2m]

_____

_____

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Booklet A

Q 1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q5	Q6	Q7	Q8	Q9	Q10
4	4	2	3	4	4	3	4	1	2
Q 11	Q12	Q13	Q14	Q15	Q16	Q17	Q18	Q19	Q20
1	2	3	1	4	3	1	3	2	3
Q 21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25	Q26	Q27	Q28	Q29	Q30
3	2	4	4	1	3	1	2	N	G
Q 31	Q32	Q33	Q34	Q35	Q36	Q37	Q38		
J	B	H	F	A	L	K	Q		

Q39)	used	Q44)	descriptions	Q49)	seen
Q40)	Held	Q45)	available	Q50)	calendar
Q41)	Apparently	Q46)	accommodate	Q51)	out
Q42)	being	Q47)	numerous	Q52)	brainstorm
Q43)	which	Q48)	watch	Q53)	secret
Q54)	song	Q58)	appreciation	Q62)	lost
Q55)	upper	Q59)	chance	Q63)	all
Q56)	range	Q60)	regrets	Q64)	them
Q57)	could	Q61)	recalled	Q65)	relief

Q66)	Neither my father nor I like travelling alone.
Q67)	A birthday party was thrown by Mr Ali for his beautiful wife.
Q68)	With courage, Billy stood up to the big bully.
Q69)	Mrs Tan asked me when I had submitted my homework.

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Q70)	The teacher, whom my sister confided in gave her very good advice.
Q71)	(1) Be extra careful while walking up the steep, slippery slope. (2) Henry and his mother stayed a good distance from the edges of the mountain.
Q72)	Paula's pink tracksuit was the first thing that Henry noticed.
Q73)	a) peering over the edge of the mountain. b) Henry and his mother's hike up the mountain. c) Paula had fallen off the mountain.
Q74)	finally caught up with him
Q75)	☐ ☑ ☐ ☐ ☑ ☑
Q76)	True: Henry had to coax his mother to go hiking with him. False: He felt guilty when his mother said that they had to save Paula that made him decide to save her..
Q77)	a) Every time Paula moved, she slid a little more. — Henry crawled on all fours down a narrow path until he was right next to Paula. b) Paula suffered a leg fracture. — Henry held Paula's hand very gently and tried to keep her mind off by engaging in a casual conversation with her till help came.

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Q78)	3 2 1
Q79)	warning
Q80)	Paula's companion had compared Henry to a hero. I think Henry deserved that comparison as he had risked his life and went all out to save Paula.

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