ROSYTH SCHOOL
WEIGHTED ASSESSMENT TWO 2022
ENGLISH LANGUAGE PAPER 2
PRIMARY 5

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**Total Time for Booklets A and B: 1 h 15 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 booklet consists of 9 printed pages (including the cover page).



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For each question from 1 to 5, 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)

1. The teacher instructed my classmates and _____ to clean up the classroom.

(1) I
(2) me
(3) mine
(4) myself

2. "The stores in this area _____ by ten o'clock each night, so choose what you want to buy now," Mother reminded Sally.

(1) close
(2) closes
(3) closed
(4) closing

3. The trouble _____ the old bicycle is that the brakes are very stiff.

(1) in
(2) of
(3) with
(4) over

4. "I have only _____ this song once before: I am not confident to perform it onstage," said Vani timidly.

(1) sing
(2) sings
(3) sang
(4) sung

5. As it was raining heavily_____ the floor was wet, the students were reminded not to run about.

(1) but
(2) and
(3) because
(4) although



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6. Madam Fatimah is going to _____ a new course on flower arrangement at the community club near her home.

(1) take up
(2) take off
(3) take out
(4) take after

7. My younger sister _____ when she accidentally told my father about his surprise birthday party.

(1) jumped the gun
(2) threw in the towel
(3) got the ball rolling
(4) gave the game away

8. The result of the race was _____ as the school's fastest runner, Jim, was participating in it. Everyone had expected him to win.

(1) flexible
(2) debatable
(3) predictable
(4) considerable

9. Our basketball team scored the winning shot _____ just before the referee blew the whistle. The supporters punched their fists in the air.

(1) on time
(2) about time
(3) before their time
(4) in the nick of time

10. We had to go through the instruction _____ before we could fix the parts of the new bookshelf in my sister's room.

(1) journal
(2) manual
(3) periodical
(4) manuscript



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For each question from 11 to 15, choose the word closest in meaning to the underlined word. Shade your answer (1, 2, 3 or 4) on the Optical Answer Sheet. (5 marks)

My heart was beating fast. I was <u>on tenterhooks</u> (11) even before I got ready for the 400-metre race. My doctor had reminded me that taking part in this race would worsen my health condition. Sweat was trickling down my face, making my anxiety <u>obvious</u> (12) to the other participants around me. Nevertheless, I was determined to represent my school in the race as it was my only chance to prove to myself that I could accomplish something.

Once I heard the sound from the starter gun, I ran like the wind. Then my worst fear came true. My knees buckled under pressure and I felt a sharp pain. My legs gave way and I <u>fell helplessly</u> (13) to the ground. Everything around me became dark. Thankfully, within seconds, I managed to <u>regain consciousness</u> (14). The pain was unbearable. However, I was <u>unfazed</u> (15) and picked myself up. Slowly, I limped my way to the finish line. The crowd gave a thunderous applause and I was proud of my perseverance.

11. (1) upset
(2) nervous
(3) confused
(4) impatient

12. (1) visible
(2) familiar
(3) vulnerable
(4) outstanding

13. (1) dived
(2) plunged
(3) tumbled
(4) plummeted



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14. (1) get by
(2) turn up
(3) liven up
(4) come round

15. (1) unclear
(2) uncertain
(3) unsettled
(4) undaunted

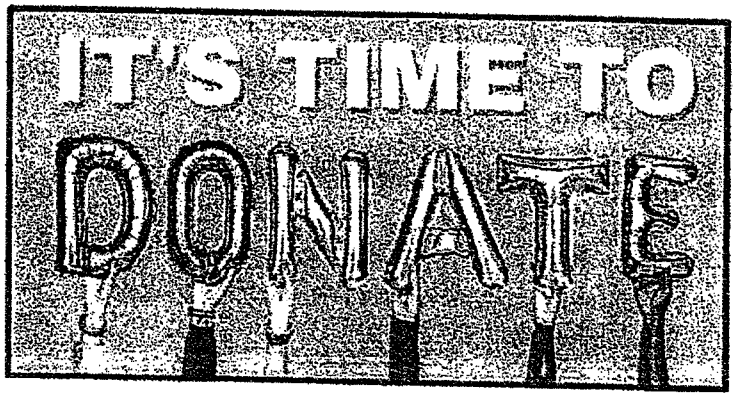


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Visual Text Comprehension (5 marks)
Study this flyer carefully and then answer questions 16 to 20.

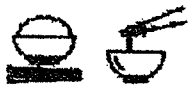
# ACE CHARITY DRIVE

**Please join ACE Charity Organisation in its first charity drive to lend a helping hand to families in need!**




## 1. Food Drive

The organisation will be collecting food items. We accept all types of non-perishable food items that are unopened and have a shelf life of at least 2 years.



**Staples**
Rice, Noodles, Pasta



**Snacks**
Biscuits, Cereals, Chips



**Canned Food**
Beans, Seafood, Soup



**Condiments**
Oil, Seasoning, Spreads



**Dried/Preserved Food**
Fruits, Vegetables, Meat

**Please deposit the items at ACE Building Foyer**
**Collection dates: 15, 16 and 17 June 2022**
**Collection Time: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.**

**Visit acecharity.org.sg or contact Ms Shirley at 6123 4567 to find out more about the food drive.**



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## 2. Cash Donation*




How to contribute

1. Visit http://forms.aceorg/donation2022
2. Click on the cash amount you wish to donate
3. ACE Charity Organisation will buy the food items on your behalf and deliver them to the families in need

*You must be 18 years old and above to make a donation.

**Stand a chance to win tickets to catch KFriends LIVE in Singapore!**



Donate $50 and you will stand a chance to win a pair of tickets to watch the performance by the Korean Pop group, KFriends, at the Star Theatre on 20 June 2022.

## 3. Join us as a volunteer



There is an increase in the number of families seeking assistance.
Volunteer your service to pack and deliver food items to those in need.

- Only for those 18 years old and above
- Sign up online at acecharity.org.sg by 25 May 2022
- Volunteers will receive a free T-shirt specially designed for this charity drive
- Volunteers will gather at Event Room 1 (ACE Building) on 18 June 2022



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(5 marks)

16. The **main** purpose of this flyer is to _____.

(1) get people to help families in need
(2) recruit volunteers for ACE Charity Drive
(3) attract families who need food assistance
(4) collect all types of non-perishable food items

17. Keith is a 10-year-old boy. He wants to take part in ACE Charity Drive. He can _____.

(1) make a donation of $50
(2) donate canned food and rice
(3) help to deliver the food items
(4) join as a volunteer to pack food items

18. Melvin has several food items that he wishes to donate. Which of the following items can he donate?

(1) A bag of fresh apples
(2) An opened can of beans
(3) A bottle of oil expiring two years later
(4) A packet of biscuits expiring on 17 June 2022

19. Mindy wants to volunteer her service to pack food items. She has to _____.

(1) register online
(2) call Ms Shirley
(3) buy the T-shirt to wear
(4) purchase the food items

20. Which one of the following statements about the activities is **true**?

(1) There is no age limit for all the activities.
(2) All activities are held at Ace Building Foyer.
(3) ACE Charity Organisation accepts both cash and food donations.
(4) All volunteers will get free tickets to watch the performance by KFriends.

(Go on to Booklet B)

Please note that the passage for Comprehension questions 49 to 53 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 49 to 53 in Booklet B.

Over thirty years of camping vacations, Jack had never experienced or heard of a wolf attack. This changed last June while he was camping with his wife and two sons at Banff National Park. Jack and his family had always wanted to camp there as it was well known for its scenic view and tranquillity. However, there were also reports of sightings of wolves. Signs about **them** had been put up around the campsites to advise campers to stay vigilant especially at night. Yet, Jack and his family decided to go ahead with the long-awaited summer camping vacation. Everything went as planned and the family had a whale of a time. They also made friends with another man named Matt who was camping alone at the next campsite. Night fell. At around midnight, Jack awoke to the sound of a panicked voice calling for help. Sensing trouble, he decided to investigate at the next campsite.

As Jack approached the other campsite, he caught sight of an animal's rear legs protruding from a collapsed tent. The legs were too large to belong to a dog. Matt shouted and that startled the animal which backed out of the tent. Suddenly, Jack was standing face to face with a wolf. "**That** was a terrifying moment," he recalled. Matt jumped out of the collapsed tent covered in blood. Moments earlier, the wolf had ripped through the tent, puncturing his arm and tearing part of the tent. Jack threw rocks at the wolf to scare it away. However, the wolf bared its teeth with its ears pointed, all ready to attack Jack. Jack was horrified but quickly regained his composure. He recalled what he had read from a newspaper article some time ago. If one were to be confronted by a wolf, the person should use fire to scare the wolf off. Instantaneously, Jack picked up a fire stick from the campfire and waved it frantically at the wolf. The wolf backed off and ran back into the woods.

Jack immediately helped Matt into his van and drove him to the nearest hospital to receive treatment. Matt, who received twenty stitches to close his wound, was truly grateful to Jack. Later that night, a few park rangers caught the wolf. The park rangers shared that such wolf attacks were so rare one had a greater chance of being killed by a dog, lightning, a bee sting, or a car collision with a deer than being injured by a wolf. However, some wolves simply had no fear for humans especially since some were feeding the wolves at campsites.

Thankfully, after months of recuperation, Matt's wounds finally healed completely. Jack, whom Matt regarded as his guardian angel, still kept in touch with him over social media. The two men even exchanged Christmas gifts. In an interview, Jack admitted to a fleeting thought during the heat of battle. The moment the wolf had locked eyes with him, Jack thought, "Why am I here and what if I die?"

*Adapted from The Reader's Digest "He Defended a Family of Campers From a Wolf"*



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# BOOKLET B

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1. Do not turn over this page until you are told to do so.
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3. Answer all questions.
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** | 20 | |
| **Booklet B** | 40 | |
| **Total** | 60 | |

| Component | Question Numbers | Marks Obtained |
|---|---|---|
| **Grammar & Vocabulary** | 21 - 36<br>45 – 48 | |
| **Comprehension Cloze** | 37 – 44 | |
| **Comprehension Open-ended** | 49– 53 | |

* This booklet consists of 7 pages altogether (including the cover page).



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There are 8 blanks, numbered 21 to 28, in the passage below. From the list of words given, choose the most suitable word for each blank. Write its letter (A to M) in the blank. The letter (I) has been omitted to avoid confusion during marking. (8 marks)

**EACH WORD CAN BE USED ONLY ONCE.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| (A) at | (D) since | (G) it | (K) to |
| (B) by | (E) has | (H) so | (L) we |
| (C) in | (F) have | (J) these | (M) who |

With electric cars occupying our roads today, flying taxis will soon become a reality as well! This is because a German aircraft company, Volocopter, plans _____ (21) start flying electric air taxis in Singapore. There are also talks that will offer flights to nearby countries, such as Malaysia and Indonesia. This (22) is good news especially for those _____ (23) travel for business, as they can reach their destination in just thirty minutes compared to three hours _____ (24) car

In 2019, a trial took place _____ (25) Singapore. An electric air taxi set off successfully for a three-minute flight along the shores. Besides being used for travel, _____ (26) air taxis can also be used during massive traffic congestion and medical evacuation.

Such advanced air mobility is an opportunity for Singapore's growth _____ (27) it will create new businesses and job opportunities for Singaporeans. Volocopter's air taxis look like small helicopters with multiple mini rotor blades. The use of such electric taxis _____ (28) been considered as a safer, quieter and more convenient mode of travel. In fact, they are more environmentally friendly too.

*Adapted from ST article, Feb 16 2022*



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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. (8 marks)

There is an increase in Personal Mobility Devices (PMDs) that catch fire easily. This (29) [ ] happens instead of the batteries that have short-circuited. A professor from the National (30) [ ] University of Singapore told the Straits Times in an interviewed that using batteries from (31) [ ] an unreliable source and overcharged PMDs can cause such fires. In addition, using a (32) [ ] charger that is not compatible is another reason when the batteries in the PMDs will short-circuit.

(33) [ ] "The recent incident of a PMD catching fire in a lift was an unfortunete incident," remarked a resident living in the same block. "It is rare for a PMD battery to catch fire (34) [ ] when it is not in use," commented another expert. To elemenate such accidents, PMDs must (35) [ ] meet safety standards imposed by the gahvenment.

(36) [ ] A certified PMD is fitted with sensor tecnologi. It shuts down the PMD once it detects that the battery has been overheated. Thus, it is important for PMD users to make sure that they do not leave their mobility devices unattended when charging them.

*Adapted from The Straits Times, June 6, 2021*



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Fill in each blank with a suitable word. (8 marks)

There was a park with a small lake near my house which was home to many aquatic creatures. I liked to jog in this park during the weekends. One Sunday morning, as I was _____ (37) around the lake, I noticed an elderly woman sitting by the water with a metal cage beside her.

_____ (38) I took a closer look, I saw a few turtles inside the cage. The lady took _____ (39) of the turtles and **gently scrubbed the shell with a sponge** brush. Out of _____ (40), I asked her what she was doing.

The lady replied, "I am scrubbing the turtle's shell. Turtles accumulate algae on their shells, which weigh them _____ (41) and hamper their swimming abilities. Over time, their shells become weak and corrode away." She continued, "This is my little way to _____ (42) that these little creatures will survive."

I was not convinced. While I appreciated her efforts, I thought that all other turtles in the world are living with algae on _____ (43) shells. Her efforts would not make an impact to every one of them.

As the lady continued to clean the last bit of algae **from** the turtle on her lap, she looked up at me and said, "If this little one could _____ (44), he would gladly tell you that my care towards him is important to his survival."

I finally realised that every little act of kindness counts and each person can change the world in his or her own way.

*Adapted from The Minds Journal.com*



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For each of the questions 45 to 48, 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). (8 marks)

45. Mike won the singing contest. Mike felt very nervous on the stage.

_____ although

_____

46. If she does not reduce the volume of her music, her neighbours will complain.

Unless _____

_____

47. Jane drank the cup of milk yesterday.

The cup of milk _____

_____

48. "I will send my car to the workshop tomorrow," said Mr. Li.

Mr. Li said _____

_____



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Read the passage on page 9 of Booklet A and answer questions 49 to 53. (8 marks)

49. Which word in the first paragraph has the same meaning as 'being alert'? [1m]

50. 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. [2m]

| Word from the passage | What the word refers to |
|---|---|
| them (line 5) | |
| That (line 15) | |

51. Pick out a four-word phrase from lines 24-30 that suggests how Matt felt towards Jack. [1m]



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52. Based on the story, state whether each statement in the table below is true or false, then give one reason why you think so. [2m]

| | True / False | Reason |
|---|---|---|
| On seeing the wolf, Jack immediately used a fire stick to scare it off. | | |
| Matt fully recovered after the incident. | | |

53. What quality do you think Jack displayed when he helped Matt? Support your answer with evidence from the passage. [2m]

_____

_____

**End of Paper**



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Booklet A

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| Q11 | 2 | Q12 | 1 | Q13 | 3 | Q14 | 4 | Q15 | 4 |
| Q16 | 1 | Q17 | 2 | Q18 | 3 | Q19 | 1 | Q20 | 3 |

Booklet B

| | | | | | | | | | |
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| Q21 | K | Q22 | G | Q23 | M | Q24 | B | Q25 | C |
| Q26 | J | Q27 | D | Q28 | E | | | | |

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| Q29 | because | Q30 | interview | Q31 | overcharging | Q32 | why |
| Q33 | unfortunate | Q34 | eliminate | Q35 | government | Q36 | technology |

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|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Q37 | jogging | Q38 | When | Q39 | one | Q40 | curiosity |
| Q41 | down | Q42 | ensure | Q43 | their | Q44 | talk |

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| Q45 | Mike won the singing contest although he felt very nervous on the stage. |
| Q46 | Unless she reduces the volume of her music, her neighbours will complain. |
| Q47 | The cup of milk was drunk by Jane yesterday. |
| Q48 | Mr. Li said he would send his car to the workshop the next day. |

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Q49 | vigilant | |
| Q50 | them (line 5) | sightings of the wolves |
| | That (line 15) | standing face to face with a wolf |
| Q51 | truly grateful to Jack | |
| Q52 | False | Jack threw rocks at it and when the wolf did not back off |

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| | | |
|---|---|---|
| | | he used a fire stick. |
| | True | Matt recovered fully after months of recuperation. |
| Q53 | I think Jack displayed courage when he helped Matt. Jack was scared of the wolf but he still made the wolf back off. | |

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