NANYANG PRIMARY SCHOOL

SHORT LANGUAGE PAPER PRACTICE PAPER 1

ENGLISH LANGUAGE

PRIMARY TWO

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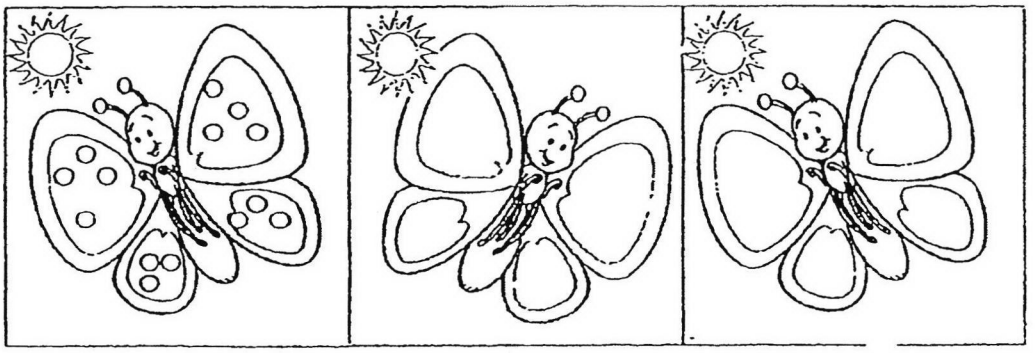
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Section A: Picture Matching (3 x 1m = 3m)

Look at the set of pictures. Listen to the statements being read out. Then, choose the picture that describes what has been read. Put a tick in the box for the correct picture.

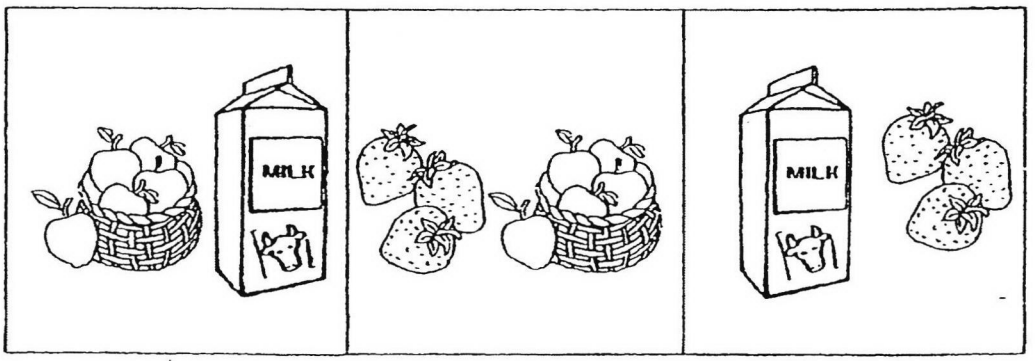
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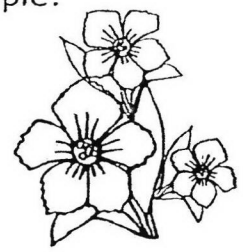
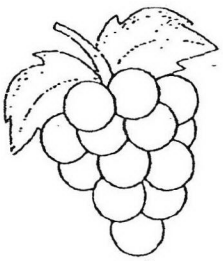
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Section B: Phonics (3 x 1m = 3m)

For questions 4 and 5, listen to your teacher carefully and write the letter or letters for the correct ending sound in the blank.

Example: cat_____
4. dr_____
5. cl_____

For questions 6, look at the picture and listen to your teacher carefully. Tick the box that has the same beginning sound as the picture.

Example:  flowers	A ☐ B ☐ C ☐
6.  grapes	A ☐ B ☐ C ☐

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Section C: Spelling (4 x 1m = 4m)

Q7. _____ _____

Q8. _____

Q9. _____ _____

Q10. _ _____ _ _ _____

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Section D: Grammar

Multiple Choice Questions (5 x 1m = 5m)

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

11. Where did _____ owl go?

(1) a (2) an (3) the ( )

12. There are _____ oranges left in the box.

(1) no (2) much (3) little ( )

13. Jane and John _____ up early this morning.

(1) wake (2) wakes (3) woke ( )

14. " _____ better to be safe than sorry," Mother warned.

(1) It (2) Its (3) It's ( )

15. The goose _____ laying some eggs earlier.

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

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SECTION E: Vocabulary

Multiple Choice Questions (5 x 1m = 5m)

Choose the correct answer and write its number in the brackets provided.

16. I made a _____ at this restaurant for my party.

(1) place (2) venue (3) reservation ( )

17. The snake _____ back to its nest.

(1) cringed (2) slithered (3) shrieked ( )

18. The paper was _____ as a result of his rough handling.

(1) cracked (2) broken (3) crumpled ( )

19. A _____ digs for precious minerals underground.

(1) miner (2) farmer (3) contractor ( )

20. The airplane glides along the _____ before takeoff.

(1) sky (2) tunnel (3) runway ( )

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Section F: Grammar Cloze (8 x 1m = 8m)

For questions 21 to 28, read the passages below carefully. Choose the answers from the words given in the box. Each word is given a letter (A to F). Write the letter for the correct word in each blank.
USE EACH WORD ONCE ONLY

Passage 1

(A)	from	(B)	into	(C)	on
(D)	out	(E)	over	(F)	with

Jon spotted a beehive hanging from a tree branch. He wanted to get some honey (21)_____ of it. When he used a stick to prod at the beehive, a bee flew out and stung him (22)_____ the nose.

Jon became angry and started hitting the beehive. Soon, all the bees swarmed after him and he was stung all (23)_____ his body. Jon ran quickly and jumped (24)_____ a nearby pond to save himself. Jon would never dare to go near a beehive again.

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Passage 2

(A) fly	(B) flew	(C) has flown
(D) flies	(E) will fly	(F) were flying

White storks migrate during the change in season. Each bird (25)_____ from one place to another in search of food and shelter. To make their long journey safe, the birds (26)_____ closely as part of the flock in a V formation.

Last autumn, these white storks (27)_____ to Africa to spend winter there. I wonder where these migratory birds (28)_____ to this year. How interesting!

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Section G: Punctuation (3 x 1m = 3m)

Write the correct punctuation mark in the circles provided.

29. "Stop Thief ◯ " the old lady screamed.

30. "Have you had your recess ◯ " Mr Lee asked.

31. A Happy Meal includes a burger ◯ fries and a small cup of drink.

Section H: Word Order (3 x 1m = 3m)

Read the words carefully and put them in the right order. Begin your sentence with the underlined word. Put a full-stop at the end of each sentence.

32. had a March <u>We</u> concert last

_____

_____

33. parents pleased with <u>My</u> were results my

_____

_____

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34. before my road raised the crossing hand I

_____

_____

Section I: Sentence Combining (3 x 1m)

Rewrite the two sentences of each question below into a sentence by using the word given.

35. Jill likes animals. Jill wants to be a vet.

_____

because _____

36. The school bell rang. The pupils were having their English lesson.

_____**When**

_____

37. We bought a packet of chips. We bougnt a bottle of juice.

_____

and _____

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Section J: Picture Comprehension – Information Transfer

(3 x 1m = 3m)

Study the poster below carefully.

A Simple Recipe for

Flowerpot Bread

Ingredients

wholemeal flour



dried yeast



olive oil



salt



Instructions:

Step 1: Put the flour, dried yeast, salt and olive oil in a mixing bowl. Use your hands to stretch and knead the dough for about 10 minutes.

Step 2: Brush the flowerpots with olive oil. Shape the dough into smooth balls. Place one ball of dough into each flowerpot.

Step 3: Place the pots on a baking tray in the oven and cook for 20-25 minutes. Use a pair of mittens when removing the pots from the oven, as they will be very hot.

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For Questions 38 to 40, fill in each blank with **a word or words** from the poster.

38. This poster is a _____ showing how to bake flowerpot bread.

39. After mixing the ingredients, we have to _____ the dough for ten minutes.

40. We should wear _____ when touching hot objects.

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Section K: Comprehension (10m)

Read the passage below carefully. Then answer the questions carefully.

During the holidays, Luke's mother took him to the mountains for a hiking trip. While hiking, Luke became impatient. "Mother, you're walking too slowly. I'm leaving without you!" he said and walked off.

Moments later, Luke tripped over a rock and fell to the ground. "You silly thing!" Luke raised his voice at the rock. Just then, the mountain echoed back, "You silly thing!"

Luke had never heard someone so rude before, so he replied, "How dare you!" Again, the mountain echoed back, "How dare you!" Luke was furious.

"Go away!" Luke finally bellowed. When he heard the same nasty words echoed back to him, he buried his head and wailed loudly.

Soon, he heard some footsteps and saw his mother coming from a distance. He ran as fast as he could and hugged her. In the softest tone, he said, "Mother, I'm so sorry for saying those hurtful words to you. I'll speak kindly next time."

Mother smiled.

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41. Luke went with his _____ for a hiking trip.

(1) sister

(2) mother

(3) parents ( )

42. What did Luke do after becoming impatient with his mother?

(1) He hugged her.

(2) He did not walk away.

(3) He left without his mother. ( )

43. How did Luke feel after he heard those rude words?

Put a tick beside the box with the correct answer. (1m)

Luke was upset.	
Luke was joyful.	
Luke was thrilled.	

44.

"Go away!" Luke finally bellowed. When he heard the same nasty words echoed back to him, he buried his head and wailed loudly.

Which word in the two sentences has the same meaning as 'roared'? (1m) [ ]

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45. What did Luke do after he heard the same nasty words echoed back to him? (2m)

_____

_____.

46. Which sentence in the passage tells you that Luke was happy to see his mother? (2m)

The sentence is _____

_____.

47. How do we know Luke's mother forgave him? What was the lesson Luke learnt? (2m)

_____

_____.

END OF PAPER

CHECK YOUR ANSWERS CAREFULLY

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3	1	3	3	2	3	2	3	1	3
Q21	Q22	Q23	Q24	Q25	Q26	Q27	Q28	Q29	Q30
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Q31									
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32) We had a concert last March.

33) My parents were pleased with my results.

34) I raised my hand before crossing the road.

35) Jill wants to be a vet because she likes animals.

36) The school bell rang when the pupils were having English lesson.

37) We bought a bottle of juice and a packet of chips.

38) This poster is a recipe showing how to bake flowerpot bread.

39) After mixing the ingredients, we have to stretch and knead the dough for ten minutes.

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40) We should wear mittens when touching hot objects.

41) 2

42) 3

43) Luke was upset

44) bellowed

45) He buried his head and wailed loudly.

46) The sentences is 'He ran as fast as he could and hugged her.'

47) Mother smiled at him. Luke learnt to speak kindly next time.

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